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THE HATCHET BURIED

Conclusion of Hostilities Between the Classes of 1907 and 1908

The Last Events of the 17th of March Celebration—The Freshman Parade—Speeches of the Four Orators on the old Campus.

When the final cheer for 1907 was given by the freshmen on the old campus Friday night, the last vestige of enmity between the two lower classes vanished. The celebration itself was entirely successful. The "shirt-tail" parade, the transparencies, fire-works, and march to the old campus, the huge bonfire the short, fierce struggle of the two classes, speeches of more than ordinary eloquence and wit, the burying of the hatchet and at last, the singing of "The Mountains" by the college—were all present to bring a happy conclusion to the events of the week before. The speeches deserve especial mention. The efforts of the senior orators were masterpieces. The freshmen and sophomore speakers, besides demonstrating their power of sarcasm and invective, seemed never at a loss for anecdotes to illustrate their comparisons.

The Parade

The freshman class gathered at the opera house at 7:30 p. m., attired in night-shirts and armed with Roman candles. At the head of the procession, as it formed, was the senior drag, containing Fulton and Murray, the senior orators; Fisk, Judson, Eldred, Miller, Shedden, the senior committee; Mann, Lincoln, Gregory, Pettit, A. P. Newell, Wright and Howe; the sophomore orator William Mansfield Clark of Salisbury, Conn., and the freshman orator, George Edgar Hite, 2d, of White Plains, N. Y.

Following the drag was a brass band, and next marched the freshman class, in the midst of a blaze of fire-works. The parade started from Water street, and made its way westward on Main street, to the Greylock hotel. Returning by Main to Spring street, it passed down behind the gymnasium to the old campus.

The Transparencies

1908 started out with four transperencies which, however, were but short-lived. Some of them exploited the victories of Williams in basketball, others called to mind the career of the class of 1908 and their triumphs in baseball and football. One bore the inscription: "How about the canes?" and had pictures of 1907, before and after the class football game, and of a bowl of soup bearing the numerals of the sophomore class. Still others referred to certain members of the faculty in terms of too local an interest for publication.

Conflict on Old Campus

When the parade reached the old campus, the senior drag was stationed near the blazing bonfire, and the underclasses arranged themselves around it, the freshmen inside. At a signal from the band, the classes rushed together, and the conflict waged for two minutes. At the end of the time limit, the combatants extricated themselves from each others' embrace and the mud, and gathered around the drag to hear the speeches.

Introducing the Speakers

Clifford H. Fulton 1905 introduced the speakers. He said in part: "Friends, countrymen, citizens of North Adams, members of the faculty, etc., we have come to bury the hatchet, not to raise it. We have seen the hatred manifested by the two classes—in constantly avoiding one another — though we are still far from the realization of——s' Utopia and the precepts of the—Cook-book. All of us in this institution for higher loafing have something to put out of our minds, 1907 to forget the 'guardian angel' juniors, and especially every man to forgive himself for presuming there was anything going on on the 17th." **

"The sophomores have fought an uphill fight. Their capacity for defense has been ruined by adverse legislation. We will hear their further exploits from their class orator."

The Sophomore Speaker

W. M. Clark 1907, rose in the coach and was greeted by a hearty cheer from the sophomores. "We approach not to haze the freshmen, but to thrash them." * * * * * Because Dr. Graham Taylor advised us recently to rub elbows with the poor and desititute, a sophomore, on leaving the hall, jostled a freshman, that he might rub elbows with the rank and vile.

"1908 won in baseball and football, to be sure, but was obliged to take all 1907 men to win every out-of-town game. The sophomores won the track meet, and that too,

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1905 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Eleven Games, Five at Home—Dartmouth at Hanover

The football management has announced the following schedule for the season of 1905:

Saturday, Sept. 23, Williston at Williamstown.

Saturday, Sept. 30, Harvard at Cambridge.

Saturday, Oct. 7, Union at Schenectady.

Wednesday, Oct. 11, M. A. C. at Williamstown.

Saturday, Oct. 14, Columbia at New York.

Saturday, Oct. 21, Dartmouth at Hanover.

Wednesday, Oct. 25, Worcester Tech. at Williamstown.

Saturday, Oct. 28, R. P. I. at Williamstown.

Saturday, Nov. 4, Colgate at Albany.

Saturday, Nov. 11, Wesleyan at Middletown.

Saturday, Nov. 18, Amherst at Williamstown.

Five games will be played on Weston field, instead of four as in the past. The game with Dartmouth will take place at Hanover, instead of Newton Center. Hamilton and West Point do not appear on the schedule, and in their place Union, R. P. I. and Worcester Tech. have been substituted. The Columbia and Dartmouth dates are fixed a week later than last year, and the season ends at the same time as before with the Amherst game at Williamstown.

The Profession of Law

The high standard thus far set by the Y. M. C. A. for its "Life Work Talks" was ably sustained last night by Daniel C. Brewer '86 a prominent Boston lawyer, who spoke on the profession of law. He prefaced his remarks by telling what an advantage the college man has over other men through having four years, to decide upon the profession which he will enter. He then went on to tell what were the requirements necessary to produce a good lawyer. These, he said, were a just appreciation of the profession, backbone, ability to collate facts and to present them forcibly, patience, will-power, and commonsense. He concluded by telling what a training in law had done for many of the great men of the past and predicted that the present century would offer greater opportunities than ever before to men trained along legal lines.

PRELIMINARY DEBATES

Williams Chooses Affirmative Against Dartmouth

In Lawrence hall Thursday evening, at a meeting of the men selected from Philologian and Philotechnian to take part in the Dartmouth preliminary debates, Williams decided to take the affirmative of the question submitted by Dartmouth: "Resolved, That the Monroe doctrine, as interpreted by President Roosevelt in his last annual message, should be adopted as a rational policy."

It was determined to hold the preliminary debates as early as possible, probably about April 1. The two preliminary debates may be held on the same evening, instead of on successive days as heretofore. Drawings for places in the debate resulted as follows, Westermann '07 alternate, replacing Case '07 for Philologian:

Negative.	Affirmative.
First Debate.	
Smith '05	Hulst '06
Stevenson '05	Westermann '08
Matthews '07	Perry '06
Second Debate.	
Wells '05	Gregory '05
Swan '05	Shoudy '05
Nomer '06	Allen '07

A Noble Life

Rev. John Frederick Fitschen, jr., of the class of 1889, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Ithaca, N. Y., addressed the college in chapel yesterday morning on the life and work of Boon Itt, the Siamese missionary. He told of his brilliant and successful career first at Williston, where he graduated in 1885, then at Williams and finally at Auburn Theological Seminary, where he finished his education in 1893. From here he returned to his native land, and devoted his life to missionary and philanthropic work among his countrymen.

While in the midst of his labors for the foundation of an institution in Bangkok, similar to the Y. M. C. A. in this country, he died, a victim of cholera. Rev. Mr. Fitschen closed his address with an eloquent appeal for contributions to the fund which is being raised among Americans to carry out the work to which this ardent young missionary devoted his life.

Boon Itt Memorial

The Systematic Giving Committee is sending a Boon Itt Memorial Fund card to every man in college, with the request that each man designate on it the amount he feels he can give. The committee will call for the cards within a few days.

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Record Elections

To complete the number of six new members chosen from the sophomore and freshman classes to fill the vacancies caused by the retirement of the senior editors, the Record takes pleasure in announcing the election of the following men: Northrop Clarey 1907 of Great Barrington, Mass., Alden Ellis Moore 1907 of Plainfield, N. J., and Thomas Rochester Wheeler 1907 of Buffalo, N. Y.

The New Board

The work of the new board of publishing the Record for 1905-6 begins with this number. There may be some interest or curiosity concerning the policy which will be followed this year. In answer we wish to state what to our mind is the purpose of a college paper: (1) To express through the editorial column the opinion of a majority of the student body on matters of vital college interest, to suggest a course of action which seems to us best, and to comment on events of lesser importance. (2) to print all the news as accurately as possible; to serve as a bulletin (3) to keep the alumni in touch with the college, and with each other by publishing in full the news of graduates.

In the last issue the editor from 1905, in reviewing the Record's first year of existence, unconsciously expressed our views on the meaning of the editorial column in a college paper. A word might be added on the importance of perfect fairness in dealing with any matter which may come up. Broadcast and heedless animadversions breed opposition at first, then distrust and finally absolute disregard of the opinions offered. If the Record hopes to express to the faculty the true undergraduate sentiment, this must constantly be borne in mind. On the other hand, if any faculty action seems to us unjust or unwarranted, we shall not hesitate to say so by way of criticism, not stricture.

We believe that constant reference to a student's lack of gentlemanly qualities, when witnessing an athletic contest, for example, will effect little towards the end in view when presented to him on the printed page. Therefore, editorial criticism of conduct at games, except in rare instances, will be omitted. The privilege of reproof, in showing popular disapproval of such action, should be exercised in college meetings and not flaunted before the public eye.

In presenting the news of the college the Record asks the co-operation of faculty and students. By this means alone can we hope to secure correct information of the many events of college interest and to cover the field thoroughly. We have endeavored not to fall into the common error of making unnecessary alterations merely for the sake of getting something new. Nevertheless, several changes have been made which we believe to be for the direct improvement of the paper. The calendar will be restricted to events of college interest. Meetings of organizations, rehearsals, etc., will appear in a separate column of notices. The third change in the make-up of the Record is apparent at first sight.

We congratulate the 1905 board on the success which has attended its efforts in instituting the change from a weekly to a semi-weekly publication. Through the work of the old board the Record has justified itself and given ample proof that, though Williams is the same in spirit today as always, its undergraduate interests are becoming broader, greater and more varied, and consequently need for their expression a paper which can furnish accounts with some news quality, and not "stale with age."

The Seventeenth

The March 17th celebration has taken its place in history with the other college events of the year. In view of the abolition of hazing, the sophomore class petition, and the temporary dissatisfaction of a large part of the student body resulting in a second college meeting reaffirming its first decision by a greater majority, the college

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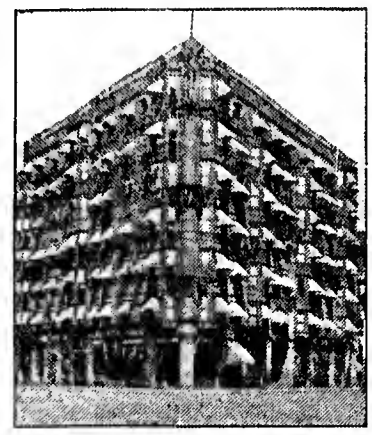
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The Sun on Williams' Claim

In yesterday's issue of the New York Sun, appeared a long write-up of the Williams basketball season. After mentioning the various victories of the Williams team this season and its two well-atoned-for defeats, the article says:

"When it is considered that Colgate defeated Princeton, Yale and Harvard by very large scores, and that both Cornell and Holy Cross defeated Pennsylvania and Harvard, the victories of Williams over Cornell, Colgate and Holy Cross are very significant.

The only disputant to the title won by Williams is Columbia, but the latter five has only played one team of any strength—Yale. Columbia has confined her efforts during the season to the large university teams which, by their exhibitions against the crack smaller college teams, have shown clearly that they are the weakest teams among the colleges. * * * * * Furthermore, Williams has greatly improved on Columbia's scores against Minnesota, Yale, Cornell and others."

Changes in Courses

Owing to the fact that Easter comes one month later than usual this year, changes in courses for the second semester that would ordinarily end at Easter, will be made as follows: Gym. work will be continued to Easter, Math. 1 will drop algebra and take up trigonometry the last week in March, Latin 1 will replace Terence by Tacitus the first week in April, arrangements for Latin 2 will rest with those taking the course, and no change will be made in the Greek department from the regular arrangement of the course.

Dr. Scott at New York

Rev. Willard Scott of the class of 1875, of Worcester, Mass., was one of the speakers at the fifteenth annual banquet of the Empire State Society, Sons of the American Revolution, which was held in the white and gold ballroom of the Hotel Astor, New York, on Friday evening. Dr. Scott responded to the toast "The Culture of Patriotism." Among the other speakers were Theodore Roosevelt, Albert Bushnell Hart, Maj. Gen. James F. Wade and Brig. Gen. Fred D. Grant.

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The Hatchet Buried

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without being obliged to hide the hammer. In cross country, relay and everything else, 1907 finished on top. Most important of all was the winning of the basketball championship of Williams college—of Williams college, for a mere victory over the freshmen who attempted to play basketball is not worth mentioning." * * * * * To be sure, the cane committee escaped—all but one, who should remember the toast. "Here's to the light that lies in women's eyes, and lies, and lies, and lies."

In conclusion, 1908 has been a "heterogeneous mass," has not hung together, and needs a strong dose of college spirit. In the future, with no seniors to lead them, they will have to stand together for their class and for Williams. Let them follow the example of the class of 1907, a class that always hangs together, a class that Williams ought to be proud of and of which she certainly is proud."

The Freshman Speaker

The next speaker to be introduced was the representative of the freshman class, G. E. Hite, 2d. He opened by addressing "Gentlemen, and members of the class of 1907." He pointed out how great a crime it seemed to the freshmen for them to destroy the fond hopes and delicious illusions of the sophomores in relation to the class baseball game, but as "the upperclassmen wouldn't let them win it, the sophomores at least had a good excuse." * * * * *

"The sophs. showed signs of being dead, but they were never really interred until the day of the football game." Continuing, the speaker told the assembled multitudes of the wealth of material for Sherlock Holmes in the heterogeneous mass of sophomores at his feet, and stated that his classmates had dwelt gently with the hot-house plants who composed the sophomore class. He then enumerated "the large blots on the lustre of the sophomore class,—the huge man who believed that discretion is the better part of valor, the crafty president, the brave and fearless denizen of Bemis', the fire-eater from Omaha, and the most excellent combination known to the world of Rattles and Sherlock Holmes."

His speech ended with a kind offer of sympathy from the freshman class, to the sophomores, "in the hope that they may some day become a class."

Burying the Hatchet

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But now the gentle dove of peace has deacended upon the land; atrife is at an end. Sophomores and freshman must now desist from spoiling one another's beauty; they must never hereafter beapatter dwellings and fences with the foul and unseemly insignia of their respective classes; they must behave themselves with decorum and with due propriety of manner. They are now to forsake the severities of warfare, and devote themselves to the arts of peace; Petersburg Pass is no longer to resound with the tread of marching men, bnt the halls of learning are once again to be visited by ready disciples of knowledge.

The speaker concluded with a serious exbortation to the underclasses to abide by the ideals of Williams, and to sink class strife in a broad and deeply-founded college spirit.

By Prof. J. L. Kellogg

The Louisiana State Board of Agriculture and Immigration has had published recently in pamphlet form, "Notes on Marine Food Mollusks of Louisiana," by Dr. J. L. Kellogg, professor of biology. This report is the result of six weeks of investigation at the Gulf Biological Station at Cameron, La., and of a visit to the oyster beds of St. Bernard Parish. Prof. Kellogg was accompanied by Dr. R. P. Cowles of Johns Hopkins university.

The aim of the investigation was to determine the possibilities of the oyster industry in the rivers and along the coast of Louisiana. Examinations of oysters taken from varions natural beds show that the Louisiana oyster grows at a wonderful rate. The natural enemies of the oyster, the starfish and "oyster drill," are seldom found in Louisiana waters. The oyster industry has not been extensively developed in Louisiana and the findings of Dr. Kellogg will be of great interest and value to everyone interested in the further development and protection of the oyster fields.

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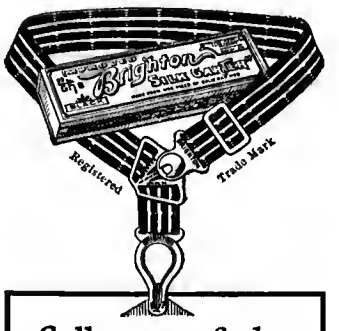

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COLLEGE NOTES

The following alumni were in town last week: Rev. Carroll Perry '90, Budington '96, Barrell '97, Bacon '98, Squires 1901, Callan 1903, Hun 1904, Parsons ex-'07.

Dr. Carroll Perry '90 delivered a lecture in the Episcopal church Friday evening on St. Augustine.

Steele '07 has gone to his home in Rochester, N. Y., with a threatened attack of appendicitis.

The footballs won from Wesleyan, The University of Vermont, and Hamilton have been placed in the trophy case in Jesup hall.

The Easter trip of the musical clubs announced recently has been cancelled.

Wadsworth '05, Morgan '06, Moore '07, Frank '08 and Meeker '08 are confined to the infirmary with German measles.

Dr. Bascom will deliver the sermon to the student body on Sunday, April 30.

The 1907 debating manager has received a challenge for a joint debate with the class of 1907 of Amherst in return for a similar debate held at Amherst last year. Action on this matter will be taken at the class meting held Tuesday noon.

Mr. Charles Bulkley Hubbell, of the class of 1874, a prominent lawyer in New York city, has been in town during the past week, recuperating from injuries sustained in the subway collision in New York over a week ago. He has spent several days at his summer home on the Green river, two miles south of town. Mr. Hubbell returned to New York Saturday.

INTERCOLLEGIATE NOTES

The Oberlin Review names the following staff as one which might prove satisfactory to the critic of the average college paper: Assistant editor, Horace Greeley; financial manager, Baron Meyer de Rothschild; assistant manager, Jay Gould; news editors, Mercury and William R. Hearst; exchange editors, James Boswell; athletics, Hercules and Caspar Whitney; literary editor, Marie Corelli and Brander Matthews; alumni editor, Methuselah.

It has been announced that the Cornell-Princeton dual track meet will be held at Ithaca, May 6, and the Cornell-Pennsylvania meet at Philadelphia, May 12.

Harvard football candidates were recently called out for spring practice in the gymnasium. Outdoor practice will be begun later, and will continue for a month.

Minnesota has decided not to be represented by a baseball team this spring.

H. D. Thrall 1905 has been elected captain of the Dartmouth track team, in place of Patteson, resigned.



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'85—Walter B. Sanford is judge of the district court of South Berkshire located at Great Barrington.

'93—Edwin F. Jenks is superintendent of the L. L. Brown paper company at Adams.

'95—Lewis A. Morrow is principal of Knox academy in Galesburg, Ill.

'96—Rev. Clarence W. Dunham is pastor of the First Congregational church at Warrensburg, N. Y.

'97—Lawrence A. Hawkins, who took postgraduate work in electrical engineering for two years at M. I. T., is now in charge of the patent department of the Stanley Electrical Co., in New York city.

'98—Albert R. T. Davis is in the Metacomet-Pocassett Bank at Fall River, Mass.

'99—Harold E. Johnston is instructor in Experimental Mechanics at Cornell university.

1900—Albert Hopkins is cashier and office manager for the firm of Welles, Auchincloss and West, at 15 Wall street, New York city.

1900—John Bray, holder of the Williams records in the mile and half-mile, has been transferred from the New York office to the Philadelphia office of the Western Electric Co.

1901—Charles F. Park, jr., is inspector of the eastern district of New York for the Spencer Trask company, financiers and brokers, of New York city.

1902—Harry J. Smith is instructor in English at Oberlin University.

1902—William Everdell, jr., has been made manager of the A. T. Stewart estate in New York city. He was formerly manager of the Fuller Block, better known as the "Flatiron Building."

Ex-'07—Knowles sailed for a trip abroad on Saturday, March 11

NOTICES

—The senior caps and gowns which are expected to arrive today, will cost $6.25, and must be paid for immediately. It is hoped that these gowns will be secured at once in order that the pictures for the class book can be taken the first of the week.

—A meeting of the class of 1907 will be held Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. in Jesup hall to elect five Gul editors and two artists for the 1907 Gul.

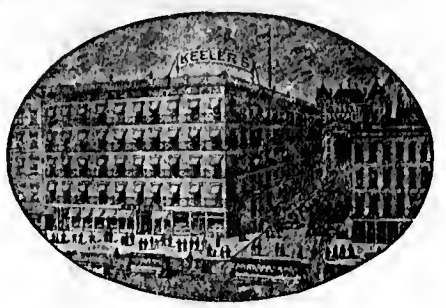
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Basketball Issue

A CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM

Unprecedented Record of the 1905 Basketball Five

The famous Williams 1903 basketball team was remarkable for losing but twice in its entire season, and the 1904 team for winning a succession of games from some of the strongest teams in the country. The 1905 team, by accomplishing both these feats, has surpassed all its predecessors. Again but two games were lost, and each one of these was amply atoned for by a victory over the same team by a much larger score. So hard, but gratifying a schedule had been arranged by the management that all but three of the twenty-three games scheduled were



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with college teams both from the east and west, of national reputation. The winning of the national championship, an honor never before secured by any athletic team under the Purple, has placed the 1905 basketball team in an unprecedented place of honor.

The season began auspiciously with a victory over Cushing in which Capt. Wadsworth's men rolled up the largest score ever reached by a Williams basketball team. Fast play defeated Dartmouth in the first two championship games, and Yale, later able to hold Columbia down to a victory by a scant two points, succumbed to the Purple by a seven point margin. During January the team lost its first game to Brown, but, besides defeating Fitchburg and Cornell, won an easy victory over the exceptionally strong Holy Cross five.

On the Western trip Cornell and the University of Rochester were beaten by decisive scores. February saw the team at its best. Colgate was defeated by a few points in a fast game, and Amherst by a large score in a slower one. The speedy Syracuse five was beaten after the hardest kind of a struggle in overtime play. The team, however, undoubtedly were at their highest pitch of excellence in the game with Minnesota two days later. On that night the team's weakest point—basket-shooting— was its strongest, and the Western champions received their worst defeat of the season.

Two games with Wesleyan on Wesleyan's floor were won easily, and Brown was beaten in Williamstown by almost three times the margin which had previously defeated the Purple in Providence. After the two victories over Dartmouth earlier in the season, the loss of the close game at Hanover was little discredit to the team. The season closed with a second victory over Amherst and two home games in which Wesleyan was snowed under.



THE TEAM

Players	Cushing	Dartmouth	Dartmouth	Yale	Fitchburg Y. M. C. A.	Cornell	Fitchburg Y. M. C. A.	Brown	Holy Cross	Cornell	U. of Rochester	Colgate	Amherst	Syracuse	Minnesota	Wesleyan	Wesleyan	Brown	Dartmouth	Amherst	Wesleyan	Wesleyan	Total
GOALS FROM FLOOR																							
Appell	2	x	x	0	x	x	0	0	x	0	x	x	x	x	x	0	x	x	x	x	x	x	2
Cowell	9	4	2	3	1	3	1	0	0	3	0	6	4	1	4	1	3	2	1	1	2	7	64
Gardner	4	0	1	0	0	1	4	1	3	2	4	0	0	1	6	4	2	3	0	2	4	1	43
Moffett	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	1	2	x	x	x	x	0	x	x	x	x	x	x	3
Neild	6	1	2	2	0	3	3	0	0	x	x	0	0	1	2	2	2	2	0	1	1	6	34
Tower	6	0	0	2	0	1	2	1	2	2	0	1	2	0	0	4	3	2	0	1	5	1	35
Wadsworth	3	4	2	1	1	3	x	x	3	2	3	4	4	3	4	6	2	3	3	1	6	3	61
Total	30	9	7	8	2	11	10	2	8	10	15	11	10	6	16	17	12	12	4	6	18	18	242
GOALS BY OPPONENT																							
Appell	1	x	x	0	x	x	1	0	x	0	x	x	x	x	x	0	x	x	x	x	x	x	2
Cowell	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	12
Gardner	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	7
Moffett	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	1	0	x	x	x	x	0	x	x	x	x	x	x	1
Neild	0	1	1	2	1	1	3	3	0	x	x	4	0	2	1	4	2	3	0	1	1	0	30
Tower	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	17
Wadsworth	1	0	0	0	1	0	x	x	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	1	4	0	0	1	14
Total	2	2	2	5	2	1	7	5	2	3	2	7	4	5	5	8	2	6	6	3	2	2	83
GOALS FROM FOULS																							
Gardner	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Neild	0	5	8	3	9	1	6	5	5	x	x	2	2	2	0	2	2	5	2	8	8	2	77
Opponents	0	3	5	2	7	3	6	5	8	3	12	2	1	2	1	0	2	2	2	0	4	0	70

CALENDAR

FRIDAY, MARCH 24.

7.15 p. m.—Class prayer meetings, J. H.

7.45 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. elections, J. H.

SATURDAY, MARCH 25.

1.30 p. m.—First call for track candidates, gymnasium office.

SUNDAY, MARCH 26.

10.30 a. m.—College chapel, Rev. Joseph H. Twichell of Hartford will speak on "Giving that which is holy to the dogs."

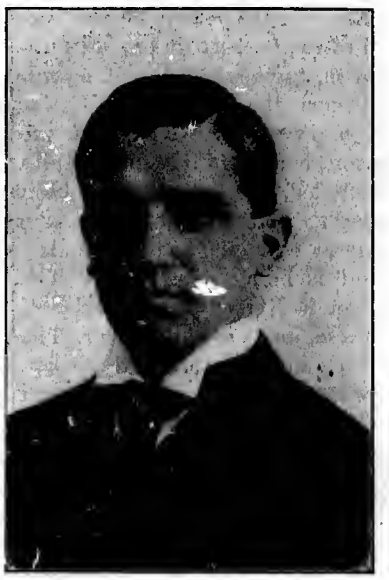
11.30 a. m.—Bible classes, J. H.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Twichell will speak on "Working out our salvation."

MONDAY, MARCH 27.

7.30 p. m.—Lyceum of Natural History, T. B. L. lecture-room. Discussion of Woods Holl.

8.00 p. m.—City government club.



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Scores

Dec. 7.	Williams 60	Cushing	4
Dec. 10.	Williams 23	Dartmouth	7
Dec. 12.	Williams 24	Dartmouth	9
Dec. 17.	Williams 19	Yale	12
Jan. 11.	Williams 13	Fitchburg	11
Jan. 14.	Williams 23	Cornell	5
Jan. 17.	Williams 26	Fitchburg	20
Jan. 18.	Williams 9	Brown	15
Jan. 21.	Williams 22	Holy Cross	12
Jan. 27.	Williams 26	Cornell	9
Jan. 28.	Williams 30	Rochester	16
Feb. 1.	Williams 24	Colgate	16
Feb. 13.	Williams 22	Amherst	9
Feb. 16.	Williams 14	Syracuse	12
Feb. 18.	Williams 32	Minnesota	11
Feb. 21.	Williams 26	Wesleyan	6
Feb. 21.	Williams 36	Wesleyan	17
Feb. 25.	Williams 30	Brown	15
Mar. 4.	Williams 10	Dartmouth	14
Mar. 8.	Williams 20	Amherst	6
Mar. 10.	Williams 44	Wesleyan	8
Mar. 11.	Williams 38	Wesleyan	4
Total	Williams 571	Opponents	238

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"W" For 1905 Basketball Team

Early in the year, with the record of the basketball five still unbroken, the advisability of awarding them the 'varsity "W" was much discussed. Now that the season has been so successfully concluded, the question has been brought to the attention of the athletic council, and we understand is being considered. The college is divided on the subject, but a majority seems in favor. The underlying objection of those opposed, whatever may be their open declaration, is based on a traditional sentiment. "Something grates in giving the "W" to a basketball team. The letter would be cheapened."

The objection is indeed no light one. Such a feeling can only be prompted by a loyal jealousy for the college and its best interests. But consider, what is the "W" granted for, and what does it mean? Since the letter was first awarded, it may be safely said that it has been given solely to men who have done Williams high honor in athletics. The only reply that can be made to the above objection is that we must not allow an unreasoning sentiment to influence our judgment. If the 1905 basketball team has had an equal share with the other athletic "W" teams in maintaining the prestige of the college, as we believe it has, its members should receive the official recognition of the college in the form of the Williams insignia.

In the first place, the Williams five has won the New England intercollegiate title without dispute, Holy Cross, the only other claimant, having been defeated by Dartmouth at Hanover last Thursday. This would, perhaps, be sufficient in itself, even granting that basketball is a "minor" sport. We have a precedent, the letter having been awarded last year to an association of the same standing, under similar circumstances.

Of more importance, however, is the claim of Williams to the national championship. The team's right to the national title seems to be founded on (1) comparative scores (2) the fact that Williams has been defeated only twice, and both times by teams from which it has in turn won by a greater score. It is not the purpose to enter here into an exhaustive review of the season's scores. Colgate's chances were lost by the Williams game, which went to the Purple by an easy margin. Holy Cross, Brown, Dartmoutth and all other teams, except Columbia, have no claims.

Columbia has played throughout the season with an unbroken list of victories. This would at once decide the question against Williams, if Columbia had met the strongest college teams. The New York Sun says: "The latter five (Columbia) has only played one team of any strength—Yale." Columbia defeated Yale by two points, Williams by seven. In the comparisons of five games of Columbia and Williams with the same teams, the Purple, besides outranking Columbia in every instance, leads by twenty-eight points. Certainly, as to the championship, Williams can stand on its record.

"Let the "W" be awarded when Williams' claim is recognized by the rules-book committee." Was a national basketball championship ever undisputed? We fail to see why the question, as far as Williams is concerned, should rest with the committee. Williams is not registered in the rules-book; we must decide for ourselves according to the facts. The committee has, however, taken no action as yet one way or the other.

There are many other arguments for and against, which cannot be taken up in detail here. If a precedent is required, Amherst awarded the letter for the New England championship three years ago. Other colleges and universities have granted the letter for basketball. In addition to the success of the 'varsity basketball five, the constant practice and training necessary for such a team, must not be overlooked. The season extends over three months. In no other branch of athletics, football not excepted, is there demanded greater endurance on the part of the players.

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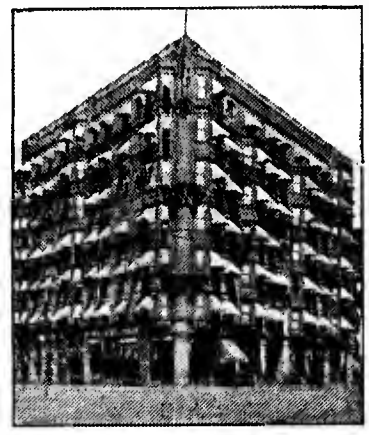
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CAPTAIN WADSWORTH

THE TEAM

JAMES WILLIAM WADSWORTH 1905, of Hammondsport, N. Y., captain of the 1905 Williams basketball team, prepared for college at the Avon (N. Y.) High School. He played right forward on the Williams team for two years, and was elected captain at the end of the season of 1904. Age, 21 years, 2 months; height, 5 feet, 10½ inches; weight, 150 pounds.

EUGENE IRVING COWELL 1906, of Ashburnham, Mass., right guard, graduated from Cushing Academy at Ashburnham. Cowell has played on the 'varsity team for three years—freshman yesr at left guard, and sophomore and junior years at right guard. He was captain of the Williams team during his sophomore year. Age, 19 years, 10 months; weight, 162 pounds; height, 5 feet, 10 inches.

DANIEL FRANCIS GARDNER 1906, of Pownal, Vt., played the position of left forward. He prepared for college at Vermont Academy, at Saxton River, where he played basketball for two years. Gardner has played for three years on the Williams team, freshman year as substitute guard and sophomore and junior years as left forward. Age 21 years, 3 months; height, 5 feet 10¾ inches; weight, 150 pounds.

FRANK ROLLINSON NEILD 1906, of Holyoke, Mass., center, prepared for college at Williston Seminary, where he was captain of the basketball team for two years. He has played center for three years on the Williams team and at the end of this season was elected captain for next year. Age, 25

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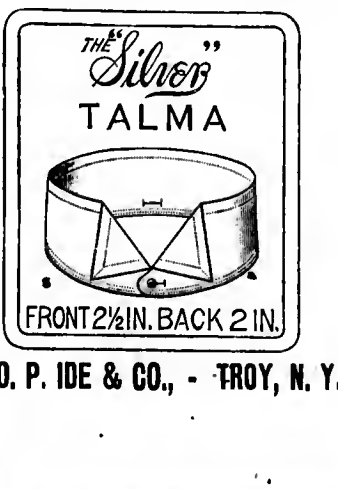
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OSWALD TOWER 1907, of North Adams, Mass., has played for two years at the position of left guard. He prepared for college at Drury Academy, where he played left guard for two years. Tower has played left guard both in his freshman and sophomore years. Age, 21 years, 2 months; height, 5 feet, 11 inches; weight, 146 pounds.

ROBERT ELWELL MOFFETT 1907, of Brooklyn, N. Y., substitute, played center in several games. He prepared for college at Williston Seminary. Age, 20 years and 2 months; height, 6 feet, 2 inches; weight, 173 pounds.

ALFRED HECTOR APPELL 1906, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., substitute, entered college from Mount Vernon High School. He played left guard during his freshman year, but was prevented from playing last year by typhoid fever. Age, 19 years; height, 5 feet, 8½ inches; weight, 156 pounds.

THE MANAGERS

GEORGE CHARLES APPELL, Jr., 1905, of Mt. Vernon, N. Y., was the efficient manager of this year's basketball team. After graduating from the Mount Vernon High School, he entered Williams, and during the latter part of his sophomore year was elected assistant basketball manager. During his senior year he managed the team, assisted by

RUSSELL VALENTINE HOBSON, 1906 of Wallingford, Conn. Hobson graduated from Williston Seminary in the class of 1902. During the latter part of his sophomore year he was elected to the office of assistant manager and will be manager for 1906.

STYLE OF PLAY

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Though poor at the jump, in other respects Naild has shown himself the equal of all the great number of first-class centers he has met this year. He covers his man well, but finds difficulty in getting free when near the basket, is an excellent shot from a distance and a reliable, accurate foul thrower.

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In order to be in shape for the harder work, all hurdlers and runners are expected to take long walks as often as three times a week, thereby accomplishing the building-up processs without the drudgery of indoor work. Unless any man shows signs of needing the work, the practice will be omitted during Easter vacation. Mr. Seeley is giving individual attention to the high jumpers, pole vaulters and weight men and candidates for these events should report daily until the form is thoroughly mastered. A meeting of all candidates is called in the gymnasium office at 1:30 p. m. sharp. Saturday.

The Moonlights

The orations of the competitors for the Moonlights must be handed to Mr. Lewis before Monday, April 3. Twenty men from the junior and sophomore classes have entered the competition and from this number five men from each class will be selected for the final contest.

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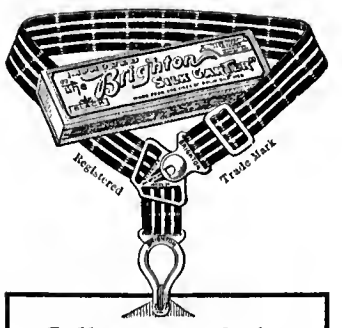

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1907 GUL. EDITORS

Elections by Sophomore Class—No Debate with Amherst 1907

At a meeting of the Sophomore class held in Jesup hall Tuesday afternoon, the following members of the class were elected to constitute the 1907 Gul board: Editors—Northrop Clarey of Great Barrington, Mass.; Horace Gillette Cleveland of Ridgewood, N. J.; George Burwell Dutton of Buffalo, N. Y.; Reginald Davis Johnson of Pasadena, Cal.; and Carroll Atwood Wilson of Westfield, Mass. Art editors—Alfred Phineas Hanchett, jr., of Council Bluffs, Iowa, and George Ryer Hotaling of New York city.

At the same meeting the class voted not to accept the challenge from the sophomores of Amherst to a joint debate in return for the Amherst 1906-Williams 1906 debate held last year at Amherst. The reason for this is the fact that the challenge was not received until too late for good preparation, and that it would conflict with the Williams freshman-sophomore debate.

Gun Club Program

Weather permitting, the college Gun Club will shoot at clay targets on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons at 2 o'clock during the remainder of the month of March. Ammunition will be sold on the grounds on Saturday, March 22.

A handsome cup has been presented to the club by A. A. Sercomb '03. Each year, the name of the member of the club making the highest average in three handicap shoots will be engraved on the cup. These three handicaps will be shot in April and May of the present year.

To have his handicap determined (this will be by distance), each member must enter at least two shoots before the cup events begin. The arrangement will aim to give the inexperienced an equal chance with the more expert.

Those who have not yet joined the club may become members by paying a fee of $1 to J. B. Pratt '05. Meet at the Biological laboratory Saturday at 1:45 p. m.

Dr. J. H. Twichell of Hartford

Dr. Joseph Hooker Twichell, one of the most prominent and popular ministers of Hartford, Conn., will address the college body in chapel Sunday morning on "Giving that which is holy to the dogs." He will also speak before the Y. M. C. A. in the evening on "Working out our salvation." All those who heard Dr. Twichell's interesting address last June on Fidelity, illustrated by his touching story of a friendship cemented in Yale stronger even than the animosities engendered by the War of the Rebellion, will remember him an one of the most original, entertaining speakers who preached before the college body last year.



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COLLEGE NOTES

J. M. Woodhouse '07 has resigned from college.

McGuckin '08 is in the infirmary, suffering with a slight case of German measles.

President Hopkins is in New York city.

The Philologian society will hold a mock trial on May 3.

The seniors held a smoker in Jesup hall last evening.

W. M. Clark was chosen captain of the sophomore debating team Monday.

Townsend '07 and Scott '08 are ill with German measles at the infirmary.

Wadsworth '05, Moore '07 and Meeker '08 left the infirmary yesterday after a few days' illness.

The gun club held a preliminary practice shoot at the golf links yesterday afternoon.

Steele '07, who has been in Rochester threatened with an attack of appendicitis, returned to college Tuesday.

The combined musical clubs will give their regular program at a concert to be held in the Congregational chapel at North Adams on Monday evening, April 3.

There will be a seventh entertainment in the Thompson course this year, an account of the eruption of Mt. Pelee. The talk will be given April 6 and will be illustrated with stereopticon slides.

A fortunate opportunity has enabled Prof. Rice to secure the loan of thirty valuable paintings by the Japanese artist Hokusai, which will be placed on exhibition in 13 Hopkins hall, tomorrow. The paintings are water-colors from the collection of Charles L. Freer of Detroit, and form a part of the gift to be made to the Smithsonian institute at Washington. The exhibition will be public and will continue until Wednesday.

NOTICES

—Preliminary meeting 1907 Gul board tonight—Press Room, 7:30

—Y. M. C. A. elections, Friday, 7:45 p. m., Jesup hall. List of nominees in Record for Monday, March 20.

—Important meeting of Papyrus club tonight, 7:45 o'clock, J. H. Subject for discussion: Thomas Nelson Page. A full attendance of members is requested.

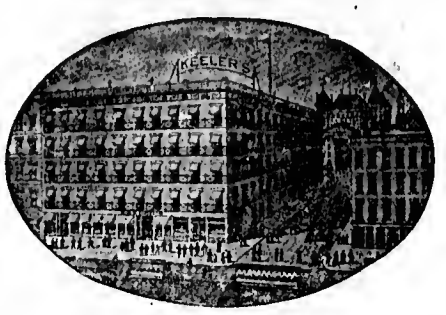
—The class prayer meetings will be held in Jesup hall Friday at 7:15 p. m. The topic is: "What is the Missionary Spirit?" Matthew 29, 35; 10, 1, 5-8. The leaders are: 1905 Stocking, 1906 Bowman, 1907 Wilder, 1908 Allen.

—A meeting of the Lyceum of Natural History will be held on Monday, March 27, at 7:30 p. m. in the Biological Laboratory. There will be a discussion on the work done at the Marine Biological Laboratory at Woods Holl, Mass., illustrated with stereopticon slides.

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MASS. RHODES SCHOLAR

Williams Senior Chosen Holder of Scholarship in Oxford

Roy Kenneth Hack 1905, of South Waterboro, Me., was elected on Thursday morning holder of the Massachusetts Rhodes Scholarship in Oxford University. According to the provisions of the will of the late Cecil J. Rhodes, the South African premier, a scholarship is awarded the first two of every three years, beginning



ROY KENNETH HACK

with 1904, to one student from each of the United States. Having passed the qualifying examination, and received the approval of the Massachusetts Committee, Hack will recieve $1,500 a year for a three years' course at Oxford University.

The Rhodes scholarship Committee of Massachusetts met at the office of the State Board of Education in Boston on Thursday to decide upon one man for the scholarship, out of the four whose names had been presented by the trustees of the fund at Oxford as having passed the qualifying examinations. Of these four men, two were Harvard students who passed their examinations early in January 1904, and two, Hack of Williams and Hildreth of Amherst, who qualified this year. In determining the choice, the committee, following the spirit of the testator's wishes, took into consideration not only excellence in scholarship but also "marked qualities of manliness, leadership among men, and proficiency in athletic sports."

This is the second year that Rhodes scholarships have been awarded. Examinations were held in January and the papers forwarded to Oxford for correction and

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DOWN THE RHINE

Prof. Wahl Speaks Before German Club

Last Friday evening before the members of the Deutscher Verein, Professor Wahl delivered an interesting lecture illustrated by lantern slides, taking as his subject "The Rhine." This famous river, he said, has acquired its celebrity not chiefly through its beauty, although it certainly is extremely beautiful, but rather because of its grand history, the legends and myths which cluster about it, and the ruined castles which crown its shores.

At Cologne, there stands what is probably the finest Gothic cathedral in the world. Begun in the twelfth century, it was not completed until 1880. Its lofty towers reach a height of 511 feet. Proceeding up stream, the next point of interest is Bonn, renowned for its university, which was founded by Frederick William III in 1813. Further on are Siegenbirge, the legendary spot where Siegfried conquered the dragon, and Coblenz and Ehrenbreitstein, old Roman towns at the junction of the Moselle and the Rhine. Still other castles in this vicinity are those at Lahneck, Stolzenfels, and St. Goarshausen.

As the traveller proceeds he reaches the castle of Rheinstein, one of the most beautiful in Germany, then Bingen, with its national monument commemorating the close of the Franco-Prussian war, and the Lorelei, famed in song as the treacherous whirlpool where the unfortunate fisherman is engulfed. And now comes Mainz with its cathedral, which contains the tomb of the wife of Charles the Great.

The country north of Cologne and south of Mainz is for the most part uninteresting, but there are two points which deserve a visit—the cities of Speyer and Worms. The first contains a cathedral, the burial place of many ancient German emperors. It was in this country that the Protestant Reformation was cradled, and Worms was the place where Luther made his famous declaration, "Here I stand. I cannot do otherwise. God help me. Amen." A statue has here been erected to the memory of the great reformer.

Death of Mrs. Carter

News was received last evening of the death, at Camden, S. C., of Mrs. Franklin Carter, wife of ex-President Carter. No particulars are known.

Y. M. C. A. ELECTIONS

J. E. Perry 1906, President—The Work of the Past Year

At the annual business meeting of the Y. M. C. A. held in Jesup hall Friday evening, the president's report for the past year was given and officers elected for the coming year. The following men were chosen officers of the association for 1905-1906: President, Joseph Earl Perry 1906 of Shelburne Falls; vice-president, William Hanford Curtiss 1906 of Olean, N. Y.; corresponding secretary, William Mansfield Clark 1907 of Salisbury, Conn.; recording secretary, John Scott Russell 1907 of Massena, N. Y.; treasurer, James Atkins Bullard 1908 of East Orange, N. J.

President Gregory's report was as follows: The work of the different committees is the only tangible report of the Y. M. C. A. that can be given, since a report of the religious activity of the college must be essentially a report of thoughts and purposes. The membership of the association has increased substantially over last year, now amounting to 246, 56 per cent of the entire college.

The systematic giving committee has, as usual, aided during the past year in the support of Pasumalai College, India, founded by Rev. George T. Washburn '55. During the year, nineteen men have taught in Sunday schools at White Oaks, Briggsville, Braytonville, Sweet's Corners, Clark Chapel, and Hemlock Brook. The attendance in the bible-study classes during the year has averaged 35.

The missionary committee's report was less favorable, largely because of the impossibility of finding a proper time for the class to meet. The attendance at prayer meetings has been fully kept up. The Sunday evening meetings have been particularly helpful. Especial mention should be made of the life work meetings. A prominent feature this year has been the deputation work. Speakers have been sent to the associations at Troy, North Adams, Bennington, Fitchburg, Cushing, Exeter and Mt. Hermon. A full financial report will be published in a later issue of the Record. In closing, reference was made to the visit of Robert E. Speer on April 9.

Lit. Board Meeting

A meeting of the Lit. Board will be held Tuesday evening, April 4, to elect new members and a business manager for the coming year. All material for the April Lit. should be handed to some member of the board before 6:00 o'clock that evening.

CALENDAR

MONDAY, MARCH 27.

7.30 p. m.—Lyceum of Natural History, T. B. L. lecture-room. Discussion of Woods Holl.

8.00 p. m.—City Government club, J. H. Dr. Nelson speaks.

TUESDAY, MARCH 28.

8.00 p. m.—Thompson course, J. H. Leland Powers presents "Lord Chumley".

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29.

1.30 p. m.—1905 Class Meeting, J. H.

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Impersonator in "Lord Chumley" —Another Entertainment April 6

As the last regular Thompson course entertainment, Leland Powers, the Boston impersonator, will present in Jesup hall Tuesday evening, scenes from Belasco and De Mille's farce "Lord Chumley." Williams students need no introduction to Mr. Powers, whose presentations have served as course entertainments for several years past. He is well known in the world of entertainment as a voice impersonator of superior talent, and the presentation of "Lord Chumley," necessitating the assumption of eight or ten male and female roles, shows him at his best.

Professor Jaggar, geology professor at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, will give an illustrated lecture on Mount Pelee, in Jesup hall Thursday evening, April 6. This lecture will be given as a supplementary entertainment in the Thompson course and has been made possible by a balance of the regularly assigned fund. The stereopticon plates excellently reproduce views of the disaster.

1907 Gul. Editor

The seven members of the 1907 Gul board met in the press room Thursday evening and elected Northrop Clarey editor-in-chief. The question of a manager was considered but was left for final decision at the next meeting, to be held March 30. The date for issuing the book was set for not later than May 20, 1906. G. B. Dutton was elected secretary of the board.

Freshman Preliminaries

At the preliminaries for the freshman oratorical contest, held in Alumni hall Saturday evening, the list of fifteen men was cut down to the following eight: Colman, Corwin, Fischer, Ford, Groben, Hite, Murray and Williams. The judges were Dr. Wetmore, Mr. Northrup, and Mr. E. Herbert Botsford.

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A Rhodes Scholarship

In our devotion to athletics, and our satisfaction for the successes of a 'varsity team, we are perhaps prone to overlook the victories on the other side. The choice of a Williams student as Massachusetts Rhodes scholar in Oxford is as much a victory for the college, and as such should be the cause of equal gratification, as the defeat of a strong rival on the athletic field.

The gain to Williams and to the holder of the scholarship is obvious. The name of the college and its methods of training are, to a certain extent, brought to the attention of Oxford undergraduates. The value of such a scholarship to the individual has been well expressed by W. E. Schutt of Cornell, New York Rhodes scholar at Oxford. He says: "Book-lore we can get at any one of the great universities of the world; but the combination of social and intellectual training, the easy informal intercourse with men old and young, of education and thorough good breeding, can be found nowhere as at Oxford. There lies the lasting benefit of an Oxford education."

The Football Schedule

Experience has shown that Williams cannot produce a football team of sufficient strength to cope successfully with the larger university elevens. It is doubtful if any Williams team ever played so near its capacity and bore up so well under a hard schedule as that of 1904; yet, in the number of games won, the season was unsatisfactory. However great the odds, dissatisfaction, criticism and half-hearted support are sure to follow a losing eleven.

In making out the schedule for 1905 the management seems to have kept this in mind. The list of games is decidedly weaker than last year. The eleven will meet no stronger teams than it did last fall. Furthermore, West Point is not played. On the other hand, four games are added with teams hitherto inferior in football to Williams, and certainly less strong (with one exception) than any which appeared on the 1904 schedule. We regret the appearance of a preparatory school on the list, though it could not have been better placed than it is, beginning the season and a week before the Harvard game. The game at Cambridge about October 1 is a fixture, but it has one great practical disadvantage, exemplified two years ago by the injury to players so short a time before the Columbia game. This is obviated in the 1905 schedule by placing the Columbia and Dartmouth games a week later—unquestionably an improvement. The games with Wesleyan and Amherst remain unchanged, the Purple and White playing on Weston field this year to end the season.

Williams meets Dartmouth at Hanover on Oct. 21, the change in place, we understand, being unavoidable. In return, we trust an arrangement has been made for a game at Williamstown in 1906. Compensation for the loss of the Newton Center contest is partially made in the Colgate and Union games at Albany and Schenectady, respectively—both games being played away from home for financial reasons.

The 1905 football schedule has two things to recommend it. In the first place, the arrangement of the minor games will tend to the development of a winning team. Generally speaking, the season will start in easy, and end up hard. In the second place, the schedule will give the college an opportunity to see what the eleven can do on its own grounds.

A Forward Step

Harvard and the University of California have already adopted association football, and a movement has been begun at Columbia favoring its introduction there. While candidates for the team at the latter university will be expected to go into training, yet everything tending to make a business of the game will be avoided. Although in itself but a small matter, this statement really implies

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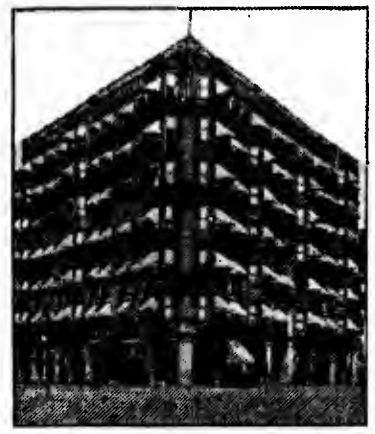
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This evening in Jesup hall Prof. Henry Loomis Nelson will speak on "City Government in the United States." The meeting is under the auspices of the City Government club and the college is invited to attend. Judging from Prof. Loomis' lecture before the club last year, the talk tonight should have great educational value as an exposition of the nature and workings of city government by one who has been on the inside for many years.

Art Exhibition

To secure a more wide-spread knowledge of art and art centers, the art department has decided to keep pictures on exhibition in the hallway of the second floor of Hopkins for the rest of the college year A frame has been placed on the north side of the hallway, and copies of paintings by famous artists, as well as photographs of buildinga of artistic value in the old world, have been placed there, the exhibit to be changed every two or three weeks.

The exhibit for this week consists of fourteen paintings by Correggio, Giovanni Bellini, Botticelli, and among others, the well-known Mona Lisa of Da Vinci. Titian's Assumption, and Raphael's Leo X, as well as views of exteriors and interiors of buildings in Pisa, Lucca, Milan, Vienna and Rome.

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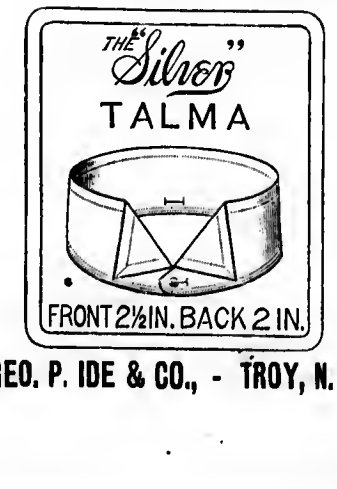
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Roy Kenneth Hack, the successful candidate, was born at Ballston, N. Y., July 3, 1884. He is the son of Rev. Rolin T. Hack, a retired clergyman now residing at South Waterboro, Me. He graduated from the Portland High School, and entered Williams in the class of 1905. Throughout his college course Hack has shown high scholarly attainments, and for three years has held the Horace F. Clark scholarship. In his sophomore year he won first Erastus C. Benedict Prizes in Latin and in Greek, and junior year the first Delano Prize in Greek 3, and also the Prize for Prizes. At the end of the first half of his senior year he was elected a member of the Phi Beta Kappa society, and received a commencement appointment.

Throughout his course Hack has made a specialty of classics and will continue to do so during his residence abroad. He will commence his university course at Oxford this fall.

Dr. Munro's New Book

Students of history, government, or economics who had the pleasure of working under Dr. William Bennett Munro, during his three years at Williams, will note with interest the appearance of the book entitled, "Canada and British North America." After outlining the early voyages to North America, the history tells the story of the several provinces welded into the Dominion. In the middle portion of the work, the politics of this middle period of Canadian history are depicted with great interest and much lucidity. The concluding portion embodies a presentation of the Canadian form of government of today, and portrays with exceptional fidelity the life of Canadians, their political deeds and prejudices. Such treatment of a hitherto inadequately covered field will afford students of comparative governments abundant opportunities to contrast English colonization with French.

Dr. Guy Carleton Lee, of Johns Hopkins University, and editor of the series in which Dr. Munro's work appears, in reviewing the volume says: "I may, therefore, in conclusion recommend the volume of 'The History of North America' because of its vigorous style, its clear grasp of the facts, and its accuracy of conclusion, all combined with a breadth and depth of learning which causes confidence to walk hand in hand with appreciation."

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'74—Lilian Herbert Andrews is counselor of the legation of the United States of Colombia. For the last three years he has been the general adviser of the Colombian government, having been selected for that position by the late Dr. Martinez Silva, former minister from Colombia to the United States. Mr. Andrews is the nearest living relative of Gen. Nathaniel Greene, of Revolutionary fame. He was born in Saratoga in 1853, and graduated from Williams at the head of the class of 1874. He immediately took up the study of law, and became associated with the late David Dudley Field '25. Mr. Andrews practiced law in New York city until his recent connection with the South American republic.

'77—Hon. Samuel S. Rogers, business manager of the Chicago Daily News, has just been elected president of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association. Mr. Rogers was born in Lee in 1857, and graduated from Williams in the class of 1877. He went west soon after graduation, and in 1880 joined the business department of the Chicago Daily News. Ten years later he became business manager, and has held that position for the past fourteen years.

1900—Chester D. Stiles, who is now teaching in a private school for boys in Plainfield, N. J., was chosen on Monday, principal of the Prospect Hill school at Westfield, Mass. He will assume his new duties about April 15.

1901—John C. Jay, jr., is assistant manager of the New York office of the Pennsylvania Steel Co., at 71 Broadway.

Ex-'02—Bertrand Wells holds a position with the Aeolian company of Syracuse, N. Y.

1903—Joseph M. Bradley is employed in the motor department of the Narragansett Electrical Co., at Providence, R. I.

1903—Richard W. Hubbell is in charge of the New York office of the Medina Stone Co.

1904—Edward E. Kemp has recently received a position in the New York offices of the Herring-Hall-Marvin Safe Co.

1904—Roscoe R. Mitchell is employed in the office of the Albany county clerk, in Albany N. Y. He expects to enter the Albany Law school next fall.

1904—William H. Peabody, now in Chicago University law school, at the annual indoor meet of the Chicago Athletic Association last week cleared 11 feet, 4 inches in the pole vault. This betters his outdoor record, and incidentally the Williams record by 1 inch.

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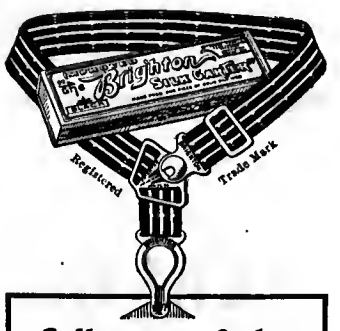

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The advantage of long walks on alternate days was emphasized. Individual attention will be paid to the physical condition of each candidate. Mr. Seeley then spoke of the value of a number of second and third string men in the dual meet with Dartmouth, as the loss of even a third last year, would have meant the loss of the meet.

Since success on the track this spring depends more than ever before upon a wide-spread competition, it was strongly urged that every man, with any athletic tendencies whatever, begin practice at once with the squad.

The Works of Hokusai

The art department has secured for exhibition in the art room, 13 H. H., during this entire week, with the exception of Monday and Friday afternoons, a collection of about thirty paintings of Japan's greatest artist, Hokusai, who flourished in the first quarter of the present century. These paintings exhibit the successive stages in the development of Hokusai's art, the earliest dating from about 1780 and the latest from 1849. The works are especially valuable to Americans, showing a scheme of art entirely unknown to Occidentals. The delicate silk on which the paintings are made, the vertical line predominating throughout his work, instead of the horizontal line, the crude but vigorous broad stroke effects, particularly in the earlier productions, together with the unusual landscapes and figures common to all Oriental art, all tend to make this exhibition of exceptional importance to both art critic and layman.

Papyrus Club

A meeting of the Papyrus club was held in Jesup hall last Thursday evening. Thomas Nelson Page was the subject of the meeting's discussion and two of that author's short stories were read. The proposition of fining members who fail to attend the meeting was discussed and laid on the table. This question will again come up at the next business meeting, which will take place on Thursday night. All members are requested to be present as matters of importance will be discussed.



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COLLEGE NOTES

Phelps '08, Wood '08 and Hobson '06 are ill at the infirmary.

Hatch '03, Chase '04 and Mason ex-'04 were in town yesterday.

Wheeler '07 returned to college Saturday.

Neild '06 has joined the baseball squad.

The preliminary Dartmouth debate will be held on Wednesday, April 5. The judges will be announced later.

A quartet consisting of Curtiss, Robbins, Yarnelle and Pevear sang before a Y. M. C. A. mass-meeting at the Colonial theatre in Pittsfield yesterday afternoon.

Brainerd Mears '03 will work with Captain Newell in developing the track team, and as soon as Weston field is in shape will take charge of the distance men.

At the last meeting of the Philologian society, Bowman '06 and Scholle '06 were made a committee to revise the constitution and compile a catalog of the names of all members since the society was founded in 1795.

Rev. Joseph H. Twichell of Hartford was prevented by a severe cold from keeping his engagement to preach in the college chapel yesterday, and will probably be unable to visit Williamstown this year. Dr. Bascom, who was to have preached April 30, occupied the pulpit.

Latin Grammar of 1806

Mr. Justin Kellogg '65 of Troy, N. Y., has presented the college library with a curious old volume entitled, 'The Rudiments of Latin Grammar'' by Alexander Adam, LL. D., published in 1806. It was used a hundred years ago in the classical department, and was "Recommended by the President and Trustees of Williams' College to be used by those who are intended for that seminary." The book is prefaced by an "Advertisement of the President and Trustees of Williams' College," in which the value of the abridged edition is emphasized, over the former edition, which contained many "useless parts."

NOTICES

—Senior class meeting to consider report of class day committee, Wednesday, 1:30 p. m., J. H.

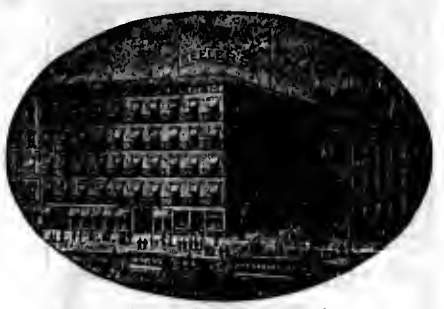
—Cap and gown pictures of Gargoyle and of the entire senior class will be taken by Kinsman Saturday afternoon. Seniors are requested to secure their caps and gowns before that day.

—The newly elected executive committee of the Mills Y. M. C. A. will meet tomorrow evening in Jesup hall to make preliminary arrangements for publishing the 1905-1906 handbook.

—All men who have not yet ordered suitable track shoes, please leave orders at gymnasium office tomorrow. This is important, as it is desired to have all men fully equipped by April 5th.

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THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT

Roosevelt will Reach Williamstown Wednesday, June 21.

President Hopkins has announced that President Roosevelt and party will arrive in Williamstown on the 9:19 train, Wednesday evening, June 21. He will be a guest at the home of Dr. Hopkins during his stay here. The President will attend the commencement exercises on Thursday, but will probably be forced by other engagements to leave on that day.

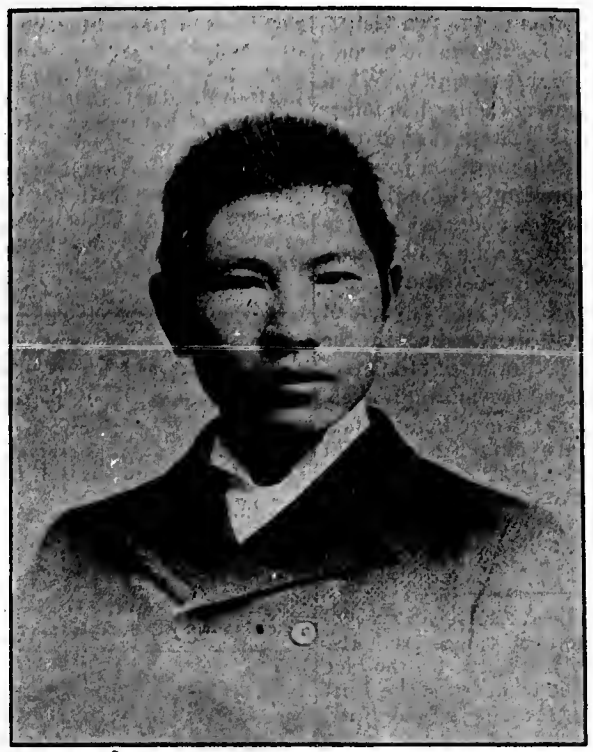
A NEW DIAMOND

Improvements to Old Campus and Weston Field.

At the meeting of the athletic council held yesterday, important improvements were voted for the old campus and Weston field. The old campus will be levelled and a new permanent baseball dismond will be constructed for the use of the second teams and the class teams. Work will begin immediately on this diamond, that the baseball squad may have a suitable place for early practice. Announcement is made that henceforth none but teams from the college will be allowed the use of this campus.

An appropriation of $50 was made by the council to repair the 220-yds. straightaway on Weston field. Another noticeable change will be made on the baseball grounds, where the skinned portion of the diamond will be extended farther into the outfield. Instead of sitting on benches along the base lines, as before, the teams will be provided with seats directly in front of the grandstand on the running track. The reporting table will be moved into the grandstand.

A still more noticeable improvement will be made at the entrance. The old unsightly ticket-office and gates are to be replaced by the fine stone tower and approaches of the Gargoyle gate, now under process of construction. On each side of the tower will be entrances, on the left for carriages, on the right for pedestrians. In place of the curving stone approaches to be built later on each side of the entrances, strong fencing will be put up this year. A very welcome improvement will be a concrete walk from the street to the field. A crosswalk may be built across Latham street at the entrance. The whole appearance of the entrance will be still further enhanced by the grading and levelling of the land about the approaches of the gate.



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Boon-itt was a Williams man, and Williams should have a share in the work which will be carried on for young men in Siam. For some years Williams has been associated in helping to support Pasumalai College and Training School, an institution which is doing a grand work in educating young men in India.

Boon-itt memorial cards have been sent to all men in college, and within *two weeks* the members of the systematic giving committee will call for these cards, and for any contributions either for the Boon-itt memorial or for Pasumalai. It is sincerely hoped that the student-body will respond with all the support that they are able to afford.

Contributions which members of the faculty or any others wish to make may be sent to H. W. Mellen, Box 452, Williamstown, and will receive prompt acknowledgement.

THE SYSTEMATIC GIVING COMMITTEE.

Class Day Report

At a 1905 class meeting held yesterday afternoon the report of the class day committee was offered by the chairman, Goodwillie, and was accepted in its entirety. The class tax was placed at $21 with the probability of a rebate after paying all expenses. Contracts were approved as follows: Music for class day and prom., Gioscia of Albany, decorating, Murray of Springfield, flowers, Whittle of Albany.

It was decided to wear the caps and gowns for the first time on April 9. The committee was instructed to provide a class cup. It was announced that the class day would probably be on Tuesday, the dedication of the new chapel Wednesday and commencement Thursday. Seats for the dedication ceremonies will be reserved for the class in the chapel.

Squad at Blackinton

Three successive days of fine weather allowed the 'varsity squad to take its first outdoor practice of the season on the Blackinton dismond yesterday afternoon. Besides the regular pitching and batting practice, the outfielders were given fielding practice, as well as the first and second infields.

CALENDAR

SUNDAY APRIL 2

10.30 a. m.—College chapel.
11.30 a. m.—Bible classes, J. H.
7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H.

MONDAY, APRIL 3

8.00 p. m.—Musical clubs' concert, Congregational Chapel, North Adams.

REVIEW OF MARCH LIT.

Dr. C. E. Lyon Writes on Current Number of Literary Monthly

It is to be regretted that the circle of contributors to the Williams Literary Monthly is so comparatively small, for under such conditions it is inevitable that a particularly good edition, such as the February number, must be followed by one much less conspicuous for merit. When two men have to contribute five articles, it is greatly to their credit when, as in the March number, there is no appearance of padding simply to fill out. Still, an occasionally heavy pressure on the blue pencil would have done no harm.

While the mellifluous verse of the author of "The Quest" is missed, still the poetry in this number is particularly good. "The Prisoner", from the prolific pen of Mr. Westermann, portrays the despondent gloom of a prisoner in a rat-infested dungeon; at the end however, his gloom gives way to faith when the prisoner invokes death to lead him into "fragrant fields of marigold and rose", where life can start anew. The metre, that of Gray's "Elegy in a Country Churchyard", is well adapted to this type of poetry, and Mr. Westermann shows much facility in its use.

The Canoe Song, "A Nocturne", is excellent, and is made doubly attractive when the closing lines,

"Ah! Come to the trysting place again,
Where we see, like star-tears that flash and wane
The fire-flies darting"

suggest the closing lines of Thomas Moore's "Ballad", written at Norfolk, Virginia:

"But oft from the Indian hunter's camp,
This lover and maid so true
Are seen at the hour of the midnight damp
To cross the lake by a fire-fly lamp,
And paddle their white canoe!"

There is in "Old Songs", by Mr. Gibson, the lovely touch

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The Interclass Debate

However large may be his opportunities in the literary and debating life of the college as a whole, a Williams man with no athletic ability has at present little chance to help his class. After the St. Patrick's day ebullition, his class spirit can express itself only by his general attitude towards class matters, and can in no way assume definite shape. To such a man—and his case is that of the great majority—the coming interclass debate, the first of a series of similar debates to be held in Williams, affords this needed outlet, and is, therefore, to be welcomed.

Nor is this debate of value to the individual alone, but should tend to spur on the debating interests of the college as nothing in recent years has done, or has had the power to do. Nothing thrives except by competition. Just as our athletes (to take the obvious parallel) are developed by the system of class athletics, so by this newly inaugurated custom will our debaters be fostered and developed. It has taken many years to rid ourselves of the fond delusion that the competition of the two debating societies is sufficient to accomplish this development. When debating society rivalry has fallen so low that its sole outward expression, the Adelphic union joint debate, has, apparently through sheer indifference, been omitted for the past two years, we must obviously look elsewhere for a stimulus.

The second, and larger value of the interclass debate lies in the fact that it will bring out the "second string" of the more intellectually inclined, where before class rivalries have only brought out the "second string" of the athletes, and thus will strengthen a branch of college activity in which at present far too little interest is taken.

We have been requested to call the attention of some students, particularly freshmen, to the fact that the right of wearing the Purple in any form is an acquired privilege.

Review of March Lit.

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familiar to readers of the offerings of this author.

The prose articles are not so uniformly good as the verse. In "Number Sixteen" and "Rest for the Weary" Mr. Morgan shows a keen sense of humor, and a considerable degree of skill in the handling of dialogue, an art to be fully appreciated by those who have tried to master it. The plot of "Number Sixteen" is rather trite: a case of mistaken identity leads a young man into complications which he tries to avoid by a plentiful use of 'nerve'. The chief point to such stories is the denouement, and as this is not striking in "Number Sixteen", one would infer that the author began the story without a clear conception of the way in which the hero was to emerge from his difficulties. The sense of humor is the redeeming feature of the story, as is the case in "Rest for the Weary". This sketch opens very attractively, but toward the end becomes a little too serious. There is no padding in Mr. Morgan's stories; an idea is ever present and consistently developed.

The author of "Dux Femina Facti" and of "Pure Grit" has a facile style which tends to run away with his pen. The two stories could stand some trimming down. In its present shape, the outcome of the house-party love intrigue is not quite apparent, and in "Pure Grit" the colors might be laid on a little more heavily to atone for a plot which is not fully adequate. But the author of these two stories is quite at home in his discursive 'Chat', in which he treats amusingly the queerness of the college man's apparel. One-fourth of the criticism launched at the college man is vacuous and vain, says 'Chat'; to the other three-fourths he says: 'why cavil at our queer customs? They make college life dearer to the memory'. 'Chat' is right; the student in bizarre apparel helps to beautify the landscape, and keeps life in a small town from becoming too prosaic.

Apropos of a recent episode, 'Sanctum' contends that the prerogatives of the senior class ought to be extended to it, and that in them should be vested the directing power—that thereby the democracy of the college is in no way attacked.

The March number of the Monthly closes with several book reviews. The usual thoughtful essay is a little conspicuous by its absence.

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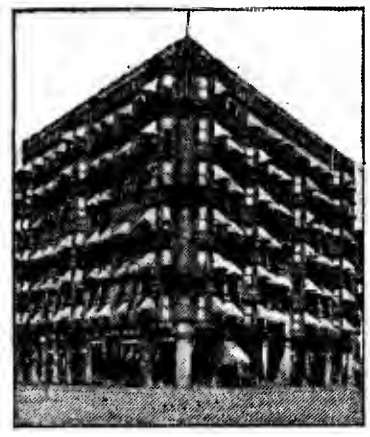
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GOVERNMENT OF A CITY

Lecture by Prof. Nelson Before City Government Club

On Monday evening in Jesup hall Prof. Henry Loomis Nelson delivered a very entertaining and valuable address on "The character and functions of city government." Dr. Nelson outlined the broad principles of city government and the ideals for the city voter, making clear his points by a wealth of practical illustrations drawn from his own personal observation. The great life of the United States is the life in the city, where minds touch minds, where dwell the great producers of spiritual and intellectual achievement. He who gets the most out of country life is the man who has come from the city, and not the man who has all his life been a "lawyer in the main street of North Adams, or a minister in the country pulpit of Ashfield."

The city's political functions fall, first, into two divisions, (1) its functions not proper to itself, but accruing to it as a servant of the state, as, for example, the police department; (2) its great local functions. Its duties, then, are to protect the property and liberty of the citizens under the law of the state, and to act as the agent of the common people in the transaction of business. Again, the control of the water-supply and the lighting ought to be in the hands of the city. If not, it is a sure sign that corruption exists.

The city has besides certain functions as a co-operative body. It must see that the buildings within its limits be built securely. It must provide for a police department, a health board, a park board, for its public schools, and, to the credit of the cities, let it be said that all but two of the large ones in this country spend more for education than for police protection. But one department in the American city, however, can be really called a success, the fire department, a single-headed, non-partisan department.

It is as much the duty of the young man going into the city to take part in helping the city as it is to take care of himself. The trouble with city government in the past has been that the power to look after city affairs has been taken from the cities and lodged in the states, that, in short, rural politicians control city legislation. Enter, then, into this struggle for home rule for the city as a thoughtful, persistent reformer, and keep a strictly non-partisan basis, always remembering that what is wanted is an administration of affairs by business men in a business way.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Hobson '06 is at the infirmary with a light attack of scarlet fever.

Rev. Robert Weeks '59 of Riverhead, L. I., is in town this week.

Amherst has decided to have no freshman baseball team this year and the game scheduled with 1908 has been cancelled.

J. M. Woodhouse ex-'07, who resigned from college last week, has gone to New Britain, Conn.

Prof. H. D. Wild has consented to serve on the state executive committee of the Y. M. C. A.

Charles J. Bullock, formerly professor of economics at Williams, and now teaching at Harvard, has an article in the April number of the Atlantic monthly on "The Cost of War."

Dr. Donald Sage Mackay, who was to have occupied the college pulpit next Sunday, has been forced through illness to cancel his engagement. As yet no preacher has been secured.

At a meeting of the athletic council held Wednesday afternoon the subject of basketball "W's" was laid on the table, to be taken up again at a full meeting of the council to be held this week.

Dr. H. F. Cleland has a very important bulletin in the series recently published by the United States Geological Survey, on "Fauna of Hamilton Formation of the Cayuga Lake Region in Central New York."

The Williams-Pennsylvania baseball game, originally scheduled for Saturday, April 22, has been transferred to Tuesday, April 18. The game will be played at Philadelphia.

The library has just received copies of two books by prominent Williams alumni, "The front line of the Sunday School Movement," by F. N. Peloubet, D. D., '53, published by the W. A. Wilde Co., Chicago, and "A Group of Great Lawyers," by Peyton F. Miller '67, treating of the life and work of such men as Van Buren, Tilden, Robert R. Livingston and Ben Butler.

Resolutions of the Faculty

At a special meeting of the faculty held Monday evening Prof. Clarke, Prof. Hewitt, and Prof. Russell were appointed a committee to draw up resolutions on the death of Mrs. Franklin Carter. President Hopkins, Prof. Hewitt, Prof. Wild and Prof. Clarke attended her funeral at Waterbury, Conn., today.

Oscar J. Brown, managing editor of the Syracuse university Daily Orange, has been expelled from the University, because he refused to prove or deny an editorial printed in the Orange on March 22. This article classifies several Syracuse courses as "cinch" courses, and states that Syracuse is obtaining the reputation of a college where no work is done.

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'44—Hon. Marshall Wilcox, the oldest living member of the Berkshire bar, celebrated his 84th birthday on March 19. A number of attorneys called at his home and extended congratulations. Mr. Wilcox was admitted to the bar in Otis in 1847, and has been practicing law in Otis, Lee and Pittsfield nearly sixty years. He has served in both branches of the State Legislature.

'59—Rev. Washington Gladden, moderator of the General Council of the Congregational Churches of this country, preached a sermon to his congregation in Columbus, O. last Sunday in which he stated in emphatic terms that the American Board of Missions should not accept the gift of $100,000 which Mr. Rockefeller has offered. There has been much controversy among Congregationalists as to whether or not this gift should be accepted, and Dr. Gladden has set himself strongly against it, saying that "the money he proffered comes from a colossal estate whose foundations were laid in the most relentless rapacity known to modern commercial history."

'66—Theodore Edwin Button, a well known mechanical engineer and designer, died at his home in Schenectady, N. Y., on February 22. He was employed as an engineer and designer by the General Electric Co. Mr. Button was born in Waterford, N. Y., in 1844, and prepared for college in that city and at Greenwich, Conn. He graduated from Williams in 1866, and was immediately offered a professorship in mathematics at the Annapolis Naval Academy. Declining this offer, he entered into business with his father, who was one of the pioneer manufacturers of hand and steam fire engines in America. Here he displayed his mechanical genius in the perfection of many improvements, the first patent on the modern reciprocating type being issued in his name. In 1891, Mr. Button made his home in Schenectady, where he resided until his death.

'74—Charles Bulkley Hubbell was the principal speaker at a large anti-cigarette mass-meeting attended by eight hundred public school children, in Faneuil hall, Boston, last Saturday afternoon. Mr. Hubbell is ex-president of the Greater New York Board of Education, and for ten years has been in active work against the cigarette evil, especially in connection with truancy among school children.

'96—Asst. Prof. Karl E. Weston, who is absent on leave in Europe, is taking a two years' course in the Sorbonne at Paris. He will spend the summer in Italy and Spain.

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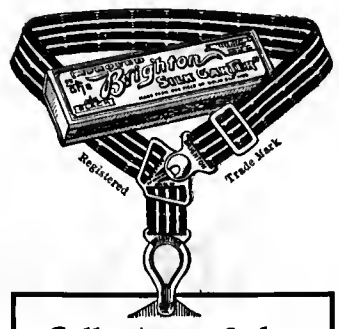

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Lieutenant Hugh Butterworth, about to depart for Africa with his regiment, has fallen into the clutches of Monsieur Le Sage, a French adventurer who holds a letter which compromises young Butterworth's honor. The latter confides his difficulties to his friend, Lord Chumley, who dearly loves his sister, but has been rejected by her. During the absence of her brother, Le Sage forces Miss Butterworth to consent to marry him, thus hoping to secure her fortune. Lord Chumley, in the meantime, by means of his self-sacrifice and a stroke of good fortune, is enabled to unmask Le Sage's villainy, and the play ends with the recognition by Eleanor Butterworth of her lover's true merit, and a realization of the great service which he has done for her brother.

Town Votes for License

The annual town meeting of the town of Williamstown was held in the opera house on Monday. By the close majority of 45 votes, it was voted to have license in Williamstown, for the year commencing May 1, 1905. At the town meeting last year the town went no-license by a majority of 148 votes, for the year ending May 1, 1905.

At the opening of the meeting, Dr. John Bascom '49 presented a resolution, which was adopted unanimously, expressing to Mrs. F. F. Thompson the town's "appreciation of the fine chapel with which she has adorned the main street."

The following Williams men were elected to town offices: Town clerk, George W. Grundy ex-'97, re-elected; school commissioner for one year in place of Willard E. Hoyt '92, Prof. Henry D. Wild '88; library trustee, Prof. Wild '88; auditor, Chas. S. Cole '70.



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At a meeting of the Lyceum of Natural History, held in the Biological laboratory lecture room Monday evening, Prof. Samuel F. Clarke told of the work done at the Zoological station at Naples and D. L. Belding 1905 and W. H. Curtiss 1906 outlined the methods followed at Woods Holl.

Prof. Clarke traced the development of biological research work and the foundation of scientific stations. The first of these was the Zoological station at Naples, founded by Prof. Anton Dohrn. Advanced biological investigation of all sorts is carried on, and Williams was the first American institution of any kind to have a table for research work there. Prof. Clarke also mentioned various other biological stations throughout the world, the first among the American stations being that at Woods Holl, Mass.

D. L. Belding 1905, who attended the Marine Biological laboratory last summer, told of the work done by the students at the summer school at Woods Holl in collecting, classifying and studying various forms of marine life, as well as in the courses of Botany and Physiology. This summer a new course, one in "Life Histories," will be offered.

W. H. Curtiss 1906, who for two summers has been an assistant at the U. S. Fish Commission at Woods Holl, explained the methods and lines of work followed there. Both fish-culture and scientific research are carried on, and the especial utility of the station is the work in studying, breeding and developing fishes which are of commercial value.

It is probable that several students of Williams will be present at Woods Holl this summer, as the fund established by the late William J. Walker, the income awarded every fourth year, will be available this year.

Lecture on Hypnotism

Professor Russell delivered a lecture on "Hypnotism" last Tuesday evening to seniors and juniors. After tracing the history of the science from its inception, he contrasted the theories of the two present schools, composed of the followers of Charcot and Bernheim. Next Tuesday at the same hour Professor Russell will lecture upon another phase of the subject, taking up the actual phenomena of hypnotism.

Y. M. C. A. Handbook

The Y. M. C. A. hand-book will be issued at the usual time this year, just before the summer vacation. The following officers have been elected: Editor-in-chief, Lowe '06; editors, Smith '06, Case '07, Kincaid '07, Anderson '08; manager, Klauser '07.

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A GENERAL SECRETARY

Important Change Found Necessary for Work of Y. M. C. A.

Plans are being made to secure for the year 1905-1906 a general secretary for the work of the Mills Y. M. C. A. The scope of the Christian Association's activity has now become so extended, that one man's time, taken up as it is by curriculum work and other college duties, can no longer suffice to give the association the constant, careful supervision its manifold activities demand. In the past this available time has in a way been sufficient, though it has always been true, as all former Y. M. C. A. presidents have testified, that the work of the association could be made more far-reaching and more effectual, if one man could have his entire time to devote to it. As the work of the association grows to keep pace with the growth of the college, however, this available time cannot suffice in the future, and permit the association to become the factor it should in college life. For this purpose, following the policy already adopted by Yale, Brown, Dartmouth, Amherst, and others, the Y. M. C. A. will attempt to secure a general secretary for next year's work.

The work of this secretary will in no way supersede the work of the student president of the Y. M. C. A., but rather the work of the one will supplement that of the other. Besides having general supervision of all the detailed departments of association work, the general secretary will pay particular attention to the outside religious interests such as, for example, the constantly growing deputation work in surrounding cities and preparatory schools. To further the systematization of association work thus inaugurated, a room will be set aside on the second floor of Jesup as a Y. M. C. A. office, where the general secretary and student president will have desks, and where the new secretary can be accessible to the student body at stated hours.

Hon. D. Chauncey Brewer '86, of Boston, chairman of the Massachusetts state committee of the Y. M. C. A., is interesting himself in the work of securing the general secretary, and is being assisted by a committee of the faculty. Letters have been written to the alumni in the hope that enough contributions may be secured to endow the position for three years, a long enough time to find out whether the plan will prove as feasible at Williams as it has at other colleges. At all events, it is planned to obtain $1,000 to provide for a general secretary for 1905-1906.

ELY FOOTBALL COACH

Hatch '03 as Assistant.—The System of Graduate Coaching

Morris Ely, Yale '98, coach of the 1904 Williams eleven, has been re-engaged by the football management, through the co-operation of New York alumni, to act as head coach for the season of 1905. James Arthur Hatch '03, captain of the 1903 Williams eleven, will act as assistant and work with Mr. Ely, thus inaugurating a new plan which it is hoped will be the beginning of a system of graduate coaching at Williams.

Football practice will begin about September 11. The coach



MORRIS ELY, COACH FOR 1905

will be on the field early and for three weeks will conduct practice in person, aided by Mr. Hatch. About two weeks before the close of the season Mr. Ely will again take charge of the eleven in preparation for the Wesleyan and Amherst games. It is also expected that he will be in town at least a part of each week. During his absence the assistant will have full control and will continue the Yale system as taught by Mr. Ely.

Morris Ely is well known to Williams men as a football coach and player of the first order. Throughout his course at Yale he played on the 'varsity squad and in '98 was regular quarterback on the eleven. For the past six years he has been closely connected with the game of football, and has become widely known as an official and coach.

James Arthur Hatch 1903, of Cazenovia, N. Y., played on the Williams 'varsity team for four years at right tackle. At the end of the 1901 season he was elected captain of the 1902 eleven. Graduating from Williams, he entered the Albany law school, from which he will graduate in June. He coached the Colgate team in 1903, and the R. P. I. team in 1904.

ON THE DIAMOND

'Varsity Squad at Work on Old Campus—Prospects for Season

With the coming of fair weather the baseball squad has left the cage and begun outdoor work in earnest. Under the direction of Captain McCarty the team is developing rapidly. Mr. Lewis, captain of the '96 team has been coaching the pitchers. In regard to the prospects for the season as a whole, and the work of the candidates to date, Captain McCarty says:

"The recent change in the weather has been very beneficial to the baseball squad. For four days the squad has been outdoors and the work of the men, especially of the infield, has been good for so early in the year. The prospects for a fine fielding team have not been so bright in years. If the team can hit, there is no reason why Williams should not make a strong showing this year.

"For catchers there is an abundance of material, Waters showing up especially well. Southworth is also doing good work. In the box Williams will be as strong as any college team in the country with two veteran pitchers, Wadsworth and Westervelt, and Ford as reserve. Among the other pitchers, Mills and Pierce are doing the best work.

"For first base, Parsons, Willcox and Harman are the candidates. The latter appears to be doing the best work at present. For second base Bonham is by far the most likely candidate, as both his fielding and batting have been of a high standard. Nesbitt is a fixture at short-stop and at third Neild and Mahan are the two leading candidates.

"For the outfield there are many candidates, including Hogan of last year's team. He will probably play left field with Westervelt and Wadsworth alternating in center. For right field there will undoubtedly be a hard struggle.

"The second team men will be chosen from the present squad, and any time a member of the second team shows his superiority over a man on the 'varsity, he will win the position. At present the squad consists of McCarty, Nesbitt, Wadsworth, Mills, Shedden, Austin, Osborne, Stocking, Parsons 1905; Westervelt, Hogan, Neild, Willcox, 1906; Ford, Warren, Domett, Southworth, Pierce 1907; Bonham, Waters, Mahan, Harman, Gillett, Osterhout, Stower, LaMent, Waterworth, 1908."

Further baseball news will be found on page 7.

CALENDAR

MONDAY, APRIL 3

8.00 p. m.—Musical clubs concert, Congregational chapel, North Adams.

TUESDAY, APRIL 4

7.30 p. m.—Lecture on "Phenomena of Hypnotism," by Prof. Russell, 10 H. H.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5

1.30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H.

7.30 p. m.—Dartmouth preliminaries, T. B. L. lecture-room.

THURSDAY, APRIL 6

7.30 p. m.—Lit. board meeting. Election of 1906 board.

8.00 p. m.—Thompson course. Lecture on Mount Pelee, J. H.

FOR COMMENCEMENT

Partial List of Events for Commencement Week

With the exception of the date for commencement proper, the program for the 1905 commencement week will be much the same as in previous years. As far as has been decided, the calendar is as follows:

Saturday, June 17, p.m.—Graves prize speaking contest, Congregational church.

Sunday, June 18, a. m.—Baccalaureate sermon.

Tuesday, June 20.—Class Day.

Wednesday, June 21.—Dedication exercises, Thompson memorial chapel. Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall '72 will deliver dedicatory sermon.

Wednesday, June 21, 9:19 p. m.—President Roosevelt reaches Williamstown.

Thursday, June 22, a. m.—Commencement exercises, Congregational church. President Roosevelt receives degree of LL. D.

Thursday, June 22, p. m.—Alumni dinner, gymnasium.

AFTER FIFTY-FIVE YEARS

Reunion of the Class of 1850—Twelve Members Living

Among the classes graduated from Williams in years ending with 5 and 0 which are making extensive preparations for reunions at Williamstown in June, one of the earliest is the class of 1850. William D. Porter of Summit, N. J., who has been secretary of the class since its graduation, is making every effort to have all the surviving members present at commencement. Many of them, owing to the great distance they have removed from their former homes, have not met since they parted fifty-five years ago.

The class of 1850 has secured the Manix house on Water street for its headquarters, and the reunion will be held there at 1 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, June 20.

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The General Secretary

In giving over to a general secretary the direction of the Mills Y. M. C. A., we find an attempt to extend the religious interests of the college. A student president cannot give to his office the time it requires. Aside from this, however, is the inefficiency of student administration. The president assumes his duties, prepared perhaps a little better than most men in college, but with a previous knowledge entirely inadequate to the task before him. In short, he cannot guide religious efforts in the light of experience. The change is commendable, for it aims to correct a fault in the system. Success depends upon the choice of a general secretary. With the wrong man at its head, the association will be no better off than at present, and will fail to fulfill its purpose in college.

The new secretary must be in sympathy with college men, and though not necessarily a Williams man, yet a graduate of recent standing. Such a one would be best qualified to direct voluntary interests, that is, to assist one whose natural tendencies lead him into Y. M. C. A. work, but who has given up on finding conditions unsuitable. Furthermore, the secretary should have the insight to answer the questions: What preachers does the college want? What men will it look forward to?—and the judgment to choose only the topics vital to the time.

He must be a man of administrative ability. With careful control, the work of the seven committees of the association can be greatly enlarged. Certainly there is an opportunity in college for a more active interest in some departments of the Y. M. C. A.

The value of the coach to his team or the instructor to his class lies in effectiveness of method and in originality. So it is with a general secretary. He must do more than tread the old paths. He should be quick to gauge the needs of the college in so far as these are affected by the work of the association, and to broaden the influence exerted by the college through the Mills Y. M. C. A. in the world outside.

Amendment to Constitution of Baseball Association

On Wednesday a college meeting will be held to consider a proposed amendment to the constitution of the baseball association. The amendment provides that the assistant manager be elected a month earlier than heretofore, that is, on or after May 1, and not June 1, according to the present reading of the constitution. The amendment should be passed unanimously. We can conceive of no possible objection to the proposal. On the other hand, an earlier election would be a practical advantage both to the student-body and to the management.

Under the present method, the choice of a baseball manager may or may not be the expression of the wish of a majority of the college. After June 1 examinations and preparation for them take precedence over events of college interest. College meetings held at this time, under such conditions, have more than once been attended by less than half the college. It is thus possible for a minority to successfully oppose the wish of a majority three times as large. It seems to be decidedly unfair to deprive a man of his vote because he fails to be present at a meeting, held at a time when his attendance might mean great sacrifice to his curriculum work.

If the amendment offered is passed, the work of the baseball management will be greatly facilitated. Under the present arrangement, a second team playing in Williamstown, on days that the 'varsity has out-of-town games, must be left in charge of the manager, usually the assistant. To satisfactorily conduct a game on Weston field, is more than one manager can do without the help of an assistant. The expense of hiring men to perform the excess work is unnecessary and avoidable.

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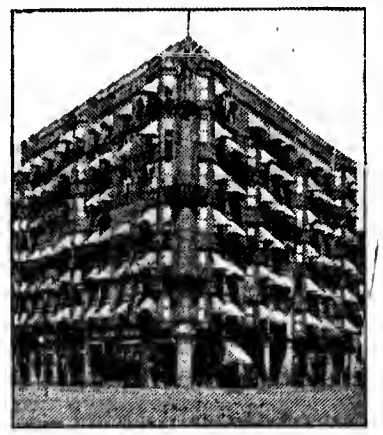
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At a meeting of the athletic council held Saturday afternoon the following motion was passed: "That in view of the unprecedented record achieved during the season of 1905 by the Basketball Team, who have won not only the intercollegiate championship of New England, but have laid well-grounded claim to the intercollegiate championship of the country, the Athletic Council award to the team, including the manager, the privilege of wearing the 'W'." The men affected by this notice are Capt. Wadsworth, Mgr. Appell 1905, Cowell, Gardner, Neild 1906, Tower 1907. As the basketball association is under the control of the football association the letter awarded will be the football "W."

At the same meeting the council voted to award the hockey team the insignia "HWT," with crossed hockey sticks, the design of the insignia to be submitted to the athletic council for approval. The following men will receive this monogram: Mellen, Nesbitt '05, Brady '06, Rudd, Townsend '07, Frank, Stower '08.

Lecture by Prof. Clarke

On Friday at 7:30 p. m. in the Biological laboratory Prof. S. F. Clarke will speak on "Some important results of food experiments on the faculty and athletes at Yale." The lecture will be illustrated by stereopticon slides.

ALUMNI NOTES

Ex-'49—David Smith Pierce, a prominent resident of Troy, died at his home in Upper Troy on February 23. His life has been an active and varied one, as he was prominent for years as an artist, an educator and a public spirited man. Mr. Pierce was born in Lanesboro, Mass., where he received his preliminary education. He entered Williams in the class of 1849, but did not stay to complete his course. He was one of the delegates to the first convention of the Republican party.

Ex-'97—Everett Henry Thayer, for three years a member of the class of 1897, died at his home in Yonkers, N. Y., after an illness of a few days, on Friday, March 31. He left college at the end of his junior year, and became associated with Charles Dudley Warner, Edmund Clarence Stedman and Hamilton Wright Mabie '67, in the preparation of the "Library of the World's Best Literature." For six years he was connected with Tiffany & Co., in New York. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at Yonkers.

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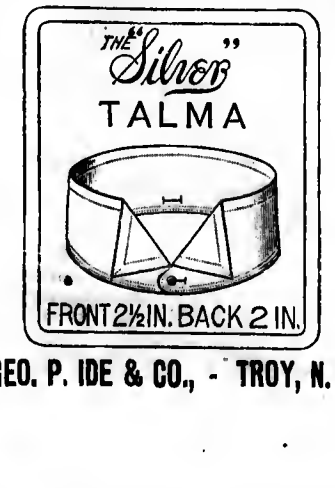
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Up to the present time the work of the 'varsity candidates has been largely indoors. A relay squad of 20 men has been given seven weeks of winter practice, and many of the 'varsity men are in fairly good condition. During the past ten days cross-country and individual gymnasium work have been required of the fifty candidates for positions on the track team. While a certain amount of routine will be necessary, an effort will be made to bring variation into the daily practice. It has been thought advisable to keep a small squad over Easter vacation.

One week before the contest with Dartmouth, the regular college meet will be held, when the individual championships will be decided. On the results of the events in this meet will depend largely the choice of a team to represent the college the following Saturday.

The fact that a larger number of men than usual is out for the different events, augurs well for a point-winning team. The prospect for the half, mile and two-mile runs is especially encouraging. The team will be materially strengthened in the weights by Marshall 1908 and in the high jump by M. Brown 1907 and A. M. Brown 1907, whose work has shown constant improvement.

Dartmouth Trial Debates

The Dartmouth preliminary debates will be held Wednesday, April 5, at 7:30 p. m., in the Biological laboratory lecture-room. The subject, the same as for the Williams-Dartmouth debate, is the following: "Resolved, That the Monroe doctrine, as interpreted by President Roosevelt in his last annual message, ought to be adopted as a national policy." Prof. Nelson, Prof. Maxey, and Mr. Clark will serve as judges. The debaters will speak in the order below:

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AMHERST LETTER

Studying a Feature of Winter Term—Debate with Bowdoin

Amherst, Mass., April 1.—At Amherst it is perhaps true that the winter term is the time of least activity along lines of outside work and interests. In fact the complaint has been heard that there is nothing to do but study. Whether or not the lamentation can be justified, it is certain that a great deal of studying has been done at Amherst during the past year. Elections to Phi Beta Kappa on the absolute ranking system show eleven seniors attaining a general average of at least 85 per cent, and twelve juniors with a marking of at least 88 per cent.

During the early winter the relay team proved the most important and most satisfying branch of athletics. Cornell was defeated at the B. A. A. and Trinity college in some dual events held at Hartford. The basketball team has had a most disappointing season, losing every game played with a college quintet. Baseball practice is held daily, and the first game will be played with Yale on April 11.

On March 24 was held the fourth intercollegiate debate with Bowdoin. The question was: "Resolved, That President Roosevelt's recommendation that the Interstate Commerce Commission be empowered to fix railroad rates subject to judicial review should be adopted." Amherst had the negative. Bowdoin won the debate.

On March 22 the oratorio "Elijah" was presented by Professor Bigelow's chorus and orchestra in the Town hall. Among the soloists secured for the occasion was Carl Dufft. This is the fifth year in which oratorio work has been successfully carried on at Amherst, and the college is justly proud of its unique attainments along this line of work.

A pleasant feature of the chapel exercises this term has been a series of talks by President Harris on some phases of college life. He has spoken of college classes, college fraternities, college publications, and the intellectual side of college.

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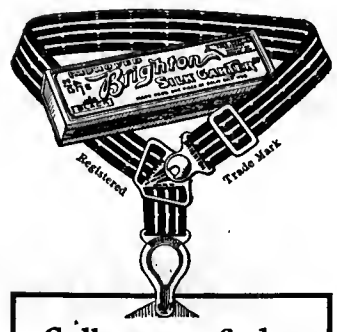

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COLLEGE NOTES

Freshman baseball practice will not begin until after Easter.

Assistant-Prof. Perry will take one hour of English 10 for the rest of the year.

The inter-class debate will be held in Jesup hall Friday evening, April 14.

Whittlesey '05 has left college temporarily, owing to trouble with his eyes.

The senior class had its picture taken in caps and gowns on Friday in the entrance to the new chapel.

The annual Lit. meeting, which was to have been held tomorrow evening, has been postponed until Thursday.

Bullard has been elected leader of the 1908 bible-study class for next year, with McIntyre as assistant.

Perry 1906 has been attending the convention of Eastern college Y. M. C. A. presidents, held under the auspices of Wesleyan at Middletown, March 30 to April 2.

At a meeting of the 1907 Gul. board held Thursday evening, Kellogg Patton of Newark, N. J. was elected business-manager of the Gul.

At the organization meeting of the town selectmen, G. W. Grundy ex-'97, was appointed clerk of the board and Clarence M. Smith ex-'77, town counsel.

All men who expect to room in West college next year must pay the treasurer a preliminary deposit of $25 upon signing the room obligations.

The following alumni were in town last week: Ide '71, Hubbell '74, Mann '78, Ide '98, Holmes ex-'98, Palmer '02, Bissell '04, Heermance '04.

A union prayer-meeting for students of each class and for the faculty was held Friday evening in Jesup hall, on the subject "Watchfulness." President Hopkins spoke.

A twelfth subject has been added to the list for the Graves prize essays: "The movement against corporate abuses, as typified by recent attacks on the Standard Oil interests—its sources, phases, extent, and effectiveness."

At the request of Appleton and Co., New York city, who are about to publish a book of short stories by college men, the editor-in-chief of the Lit. has recommended a story by Royal E. T. Riggs 1902, published in Vol. 17 of the Lit. in 1901, entitled "One Thing Thou Lackest."

A practice game between the 'varsity and the second baseball teams was played on the old campus Saturday afternoon. Mills and Wadsworth pitched for the 'varsity and McCarty caught. The second team battery was Pierce and Southworth. The teams showed up well in both fielding and batting.



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The second team will meet Amherst second at Williamstown on May 24.

College Meeting

In accordance with Section 2, Article VI, of the constitution of the baseball association a special college meeting is called for Wednesday, April 5, at 1:30 p. m., to consider an amendment to the constitution. Section 1 of Article VI reads, "The annual meeting shall be held on some date not earlier than June 1st—". It is proposed to amend that section to read, "The annual meeting shall be held on some date not earlier than May 1st—".

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Papyrus Club

At the last meeting of the Papyrus club a motion was passed to the effect that all members of the club absent from three successive regular weekly meetings shall be dropped from the club. This motion is to go into effect April 6.

The author for discussion at the Thursday meeting will be James Lane Allen.

NOTICES

—Candidates for the moonlights are expected to hand in their essays to Mr. Lewis not later than today.

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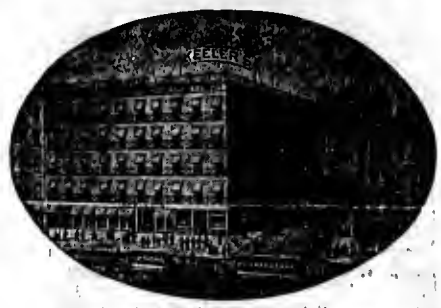
—Inasmuch as seniors are allowed to pass off their February conditions any time before the Saturday preceding commencement, no notice of the Easter examinations for the removal of these conditions will be sent to them. Time for examinations must be arranged with the instructor.

Columbia has again awarded the 'varsity "C" to the members of the basketball team.

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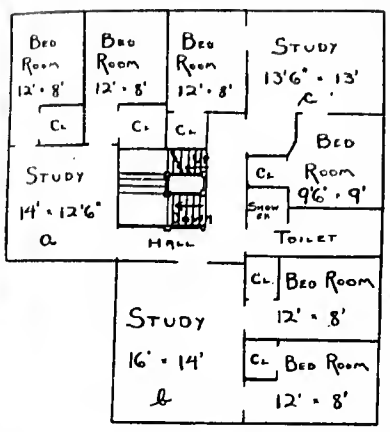
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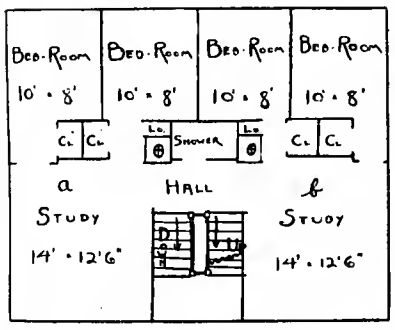
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Extensive Improvements to the Dormitory—The Plans

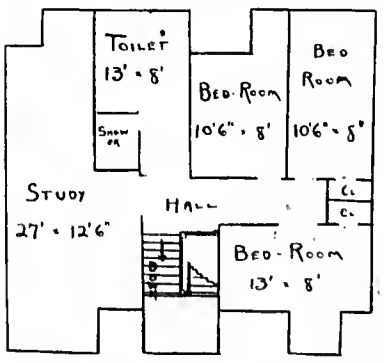
The improvements in Morgan Hall, the aggregate cost of which will amount to $32,000, over 60 per cent of the value of the building before the fire, are progressing rapidly under the direction of contractor Perry A. Smedley, and have now reached a stage where a good general idea can be obtained of the building when finished. Work on the west wing of the dormitory has proceeded so far that the rooms will probably be ready for occupation, since all that remains to be done is the plumbing and a little papering, by April 15, while in the central sections the plastering is so nearly completed that the paper-hangers will go to work the last of this week. These two central entries are expected to be finished by the middle of May. No work will be done on the east wing till summer. The roof has been entirely re-slated, and only waits the arrival of of the capstones for the middle fire-walls, to be in its completed form.



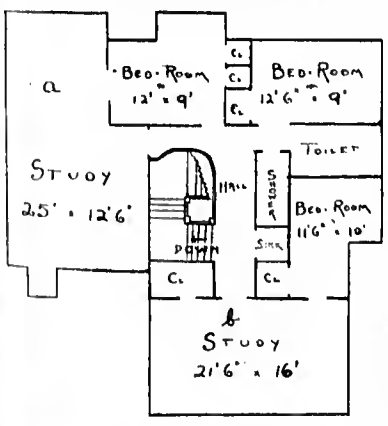
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A—Rooms 3-6-9 (west wing), 30-33 36 (east wing).
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C—Rooms 1-4-7 (west wing), 28-31-34 (east wing).



1st, 2d and 3d floors, central sections.
A—Rooms 12-14-16 (W. Sec.), 20-22-24 (E. Sec.).
B—Rooms 13-15-17 (W. Sec.), 21-23-25 (E. Sec.).



4th floor, central sections.
Room 18-19 (west section), 26-27 (east section).



4th floor, east and west wings.
A—Room 11 (west wing), 37 (east wing).
B—Room 10 (west wing), 38 (east wing).

Interior Alterations

In spite of the reconstruction of the interior, the exterior differs so slightly from that of old Morgan that one not in college during the actual work of improvement could scarcely detect the difference. Two large double dormer windows have been built on the south side of the fourth floor, and four other windows have been cut, one on each floor of the west end. Corresponding openings will be cut in the east front during the summer. The interior has been entirely torn out and the suites constructed on a totally different plan. Not to go into minute details, the new Morgan Hall will be characterized by this complete rearrangement of the partitions, and by extensive improvements in plumbing and fire-protection.

Protection Against Fire

Besides the fire-walls extending through the roof, further fire-protection will be afforded by the new sliding fire-doors provided for the break in these walls at the basement corridor, and by a system of fire-mains in each entry, with a hose on every floor.

Plumbing Facilities

The improved plumbing facilities are easily the leading features of the reconstruction. The large toilet-room in the basement will be completely refitted, with the addition of new showers and tubs. There will be built besides, completely equipped bath-rooms on every floor of the two wings and on the top floor of the two central sections. A shower will also be put in on the three lower floors in the central section, with a lavatory

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REV. R. E. SPEER TO SPEAK

In Chapel Sunday Morning and at Y. M. C. A. Evening Service

Rev. Robert Elliott Speer, secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions, will occupy the chapel pulpit on Sunday and will address the Y. M. C. A. meeting in the evening. Rev. Mr. Speer has been prominent in missionary and international Y. M. C. A. work for over fifteen years. In 1889-90 he was traveling secretary of the volunteer movement for foreign missions, in 1891 was elected secretary of the Presbyterian board, and in 1896-7 made a tour of visitation of Christian missions in Persia, India, China, Japan and Corea. He is the author of numerous books on missionary and religious subjects, and is an eminent authority on all questions of religious and missionary interest.

His greatest fame, however, is as pulpit orator. All those who have at any time heard Mr. Speer will remember him as one of the most earnest, eloquent and convincing of present day American speakers. Besides addressing the students at the morning chapel and Y. M. C. A. meeting, Mr. Speer will take part in a union bible-class meeting in 17 Jesup directly after after chapel. A further opportunity for conference with him by all those interested in religious work will be held in the afternoon, the exact time and place to be announced in chapel.

SITE FOR DORMITORY

Committee Decides on Situation Southeast of Clark Hall

The committee on grounds, buildings and improvements, at a meeting held in Williamstown yesterday, decided to invite architects to submit plans for the new dormitory. The dormitory will be situated on or near the present site of the Sewall house, occupied by Mr. E. M. Lewis, southeast of Clark Hall. Until the presentation and acceptance of the architects' proposals, the plans for the size, style, material and details of the building cannot be decided.

The committee inspected the gymnasium, and decided upon improvements to the locker rooms and bathing facilities. The members of the committee are Dr. Hopkins, Hon. James M. Barker '60 of Pittsfield, Dr. Henry Lefavour '83, President of Simmons college, Boston, and Hon. Bentley W. Warren '85 of Boston.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, APRIL 6

7.30 p. m.—Lit. board meeting. Election of 1906 board.

8.00 p. m.—Thompson course. Illustrated lecture on Mont Pelee, J. H.

FRIDAY, APRIL 7

7.30 p. m.—Lecture by Prof. Clarke, T. B. L.

SATURDAY, APRIL 8

2.30 p. m.—Meeting of Williams I. A. A., Hotel Wendell, Pittsfield.

SUNDAY, APRIL 9

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Rev. Robert E. Speer will speak.

11.30 a. m.—Union meeting of Bible classes, 17 J. H.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Mr. Speer will speak.

DARTMOUTH DEBATERS

Gregory '05, Swan '05 and Perry '06, Chosen—Wells '05, Alternate

On Wednesday evening the Dartmouth preliminary debates were held in the biological laboratory, eleven men competing from the different societies. As a result of the debates, the following men were chosen to represent the college against Dartmouth at Hanover, in May: Russell Gregory 1905, of Salem, N. Y., Walter Albert Swan 1905, of Geneseo, N. Y., and Joseph Earl Perry 1906, of Shelburne Falls, Mass.; with Clarence Elmore Wells 1905, of Riverhead, N. Y., as alternate. The subject of the debate was: "Resolved, That the Monroe doctrine, as interpreted by President Roosevelt in his last annual message should be adopted as a national policy." The first debate was won by the negative, while on the merits of the second the opinion of the judges was a tie.

The debaters spoke in the order published in the last issue of The Record. The debates as a whole were spirited, and lacked the statistical flavor so often found in debates on more technical subjects. The rebuttals were particularly well done, all the speakers avoiding parallelism of argument, meeting their opponents' reasoning squarely. Judges of debate were Asst. Prof. Webster and Prof. Cleland; the judges of debaters, Prof. Maxcy, Prof. Nelson and Mr. Clark; the presiding officer, Mr. Rees.

Capt. Watson to Coach Hamilton

Harry T. Watson 1905 has consented to coach Hamilton in football next fall. The Hamilton Life says: "He has had a fine record as a player, both in preparatory school and in college, and comes to us highly recommended. With such a man for trainer we should be successful in the majority of our games."

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The Football Coaches

If not a mistake, the choice of any other coach than Mr. Ely for the football season of 1905 would at least have been a dangerous experiment. The system, of which he is so thoroughly master, was successfully introduced by him at Williams last fall. Its further development will come in 1905, perhaps even in 1906, and is properly intrusted to a man in whom the college has every reason to feel confidence.

Although graduate coaching has been tried and is now being practiced in other colleges and in universities with satisfactory results, at Williams it is an innovation. With Mr. Hatch '03 as assistant to Mr. Ely, the system is begun under very favorable conditions.

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The Hockey Insignia

The action of the athletic council in awarding a monogram to the hockey team is a radical change in the policy of granting athletic insignia. To the team itself it is the recognition of a successful season, of a schedule of matches concluded without a defeat, and an incentive to the players for a stronger team and a more extended schedule next year.

To the lesser branches of athletics in general, the award is of greater importance, for it is the first step in placing them on a fairer working basis. If the policy is carried out, competition for these teams will certainly be keener. As a result, the college will be better represented in the minor sports than it has been in the past.

Teams That Do Harm

Last Saturday a basketball team composed of five Williams men, one or two from this season's college team and the rest drawn from the class teams, played a game in Pittsfield. The team was unrecognized by the athletic council and the men on it played under assumed names, yet the team appeared on the program and in the newspapers as the "Williams Collegiates." During the winter a number of other teams denominating themselves the "Electric Five of Williamstown," the "Williams Fast Five," or the "Williams Athletic Associates," have played in various parts of the State. Late last fall a football team wholly unknown to the athletic council played in Shelburne Falls, was advertised quite without the consent of the managers, as the Williams 'varsity team, and was utterly overwhelmed by a squad of blacksmiths and plowboys.

The Record is optimistic enough to believe that the players on these teams will discontinue the practice of using the college name in any manner whatsoever, if they can be made to realize first, that they are infringing on the rights of others in assuming a privilege not rightfully theirs, and second, that great harm results to the athletic prestige of Williams from indiscriminate use of the college name.

It is almost unnecessary to emphasize the fact that these teams have no legal status under the athletic council, the body which governs all the college athletic teams and from which only they secure their right to use the name of Williams. As a matter of fact, the players tacitly admit that they are ashamed of the practice, since they always appear under false names. The use of "Williamstown" as a means of escape from using the name of the college, is of course, an empty quibble.

But aside from the matter of legality, Williams athletics have more than once suffered from this practice. People who usually witness these games do not as a rule have sufficiently fine discrimination to distinguish between the "Williams Collegiate" and the "Williams College" team. Luckily the game on Saturday was won by a good margin, but supposing the team had lost, as have so many of these irresponsible aggregations, the injury that would have resulted to Williams athletic prestige is obvious.

In short, all teams playing under the college name in games outside the 'varsity or class team schedules, are not only taking upon themselves the exclusive rights of authorized college teams, but are acting directly against the best interests of Williams athletics.

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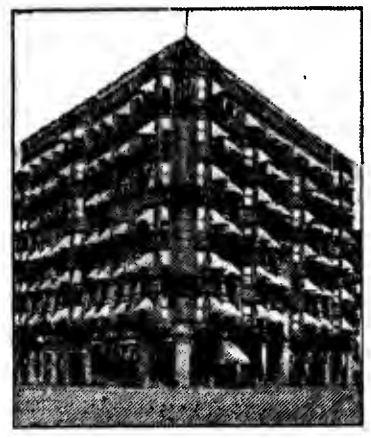
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We gratefully remember her unfailing courtesy toward us and our families, as well as her devotion to the best interests of the students, which won for her the esteem and affection of all connected with the college.

We desire, also, personally to extend our heartfelt sympathy to the members of your family.

Samuel F. Clarke,
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Committee of the Faculty.

Geological Trip

Through invitation of Prof. W. M. Davis, geology professor at Harvard. Dr. H. F. Cleland and six or eight members of his geology class, will join an expedition to go from Harvard next week for the purpose of geological study in the vicinity of Syracuse, N. Y. Probably a dozen Harvard men will make the trip, which is to start April 15. Several days will be spent in practical study of the vicinity. The region around Syracuse is of especial interest to geologists because of the passage of a glacier over the country, and the destruction of the original outlet to the Great Lakes, in the days when there is thought to have been a waterway from them to the Mohawk, and thence to the Hudson river. This glacial structure will be the principal object of study of Prof. Davis' expedition. A special dispensation of cuts will be granted to those who make the trip.

For Work at Woods Holl

At a recent meeting of the Lyceum of Natural History it was stated that through the kindness and liberality of Mr. Edmund Seymour '82, the tuition fee of fifty dollars was provided, in order to send a member of last year's class in Biology 2 to attend the summer course at the Marine Biological Laboratory at Woods Holl.

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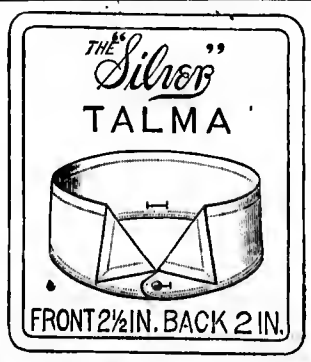
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Second Lecture on Hypnotism

Tuesday evening, Professor Russell delivered to the members of the upper classes the second of his series of lectures on "Hypnotism." Three main topics were treated, the conditions necessary to produce hypnotic suggestion, theories which are advanced by experimentors concerning its nature, and some of the actual phenomena which may be produced. The subject of next week's talk will be "The Effects of Hypnotism."

COLLEGE NOTES

Dr. Nelson has taken charge of the Government 2 classes.

The first installment of glass for the chapel windows arrived yesterday.

Illness prevented Assistant Professor Perry from meeting his classes on Monday and Tuesday.

Repairs are being made to the cinder track on Weston field in preparation for early practice.

At a class meeting Tuesday night Stower was elected captain of the 1908 baseball team.

Two squads of track candidates were taken out for cross country runs yesterday.

Pettit has resigned from the senior prom. committee and as yet his successor has not been chosen.

Capt. Newell announces that strict training for the track candidates must begin on Monday.

Dr. John Bascom has expressed himself, in the Springfield Republican, as opposed to the acceptance of the Rockefeller gift by the American Board of Foreign Missions.

Buffum '05, Lyman '06, Pevear '07, Moffett '07 and Walker '08 have been at the infirmary this week. Hobson '06 is recovering from an attack of scarlet fever and will be out next week.

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ALUMNI NOTES

'72—Rev. Charles Cuthbert Hall, president of Union Theological Seminary, will deliver the William Belden Noble series of six lectures next year at Harvard University. The general theme of his lecture will be "The Attitude of Christ towards foreign Races and Religions." The lectures will be delivered during the last week of March and first two weeks of April, 1906.

Ex.'85—Hon. John Todd Hill, American consul at San Juan del Norte, Nicaragua, died suddenly in his office on Sunday evening, February 19. For some time Mr. Hill had been complaining of spinal trouble, but little was thought of it. However, on Sunday evening, he arose from his desk, where he had been writing, was suddenly seized with a hemorrhage, and died before aid could reach him. Mr. Hill lived until recently at Saybrook, Conn., where he had been devoting his time to the art of sculpture, in which he was very proficient. He was appointed to the Central American consulate, and took charge March 23, 1904. Mr. Todd was for two years a member of the class of 1885 at Williams, but left college before graduation.

1902—Orwell B. Towne, formerly of Saratoga Springs, who has been instructor of oratory in Washburn college at Topeka, Kansas, has recently been made professor.

1904—Herbert L. Gutterson, who has been teaching in the winter school of Paul C. Ransom '86 in Florida, has decided to take up the study of law next year.

Hockey Elections

At a meeting of the hockey team held in Jesup this noon Tracey Allen Rudd 1907, of Albany, N. Y., was elected captain for 1906, and Horace Gillett Cleveland 1907, of Ridgewood, N. J., assistant manager.

Dartmouth Dramatics

The Dartmouth college dramatic club will appear at the Williamstown Opera house on Wednesday, May 10.

NOTICES

—Lyceum of Natural History meeting Friday, April 7. Lecture by Prof. Clarke on "Some important results of food experiments on the faculty and athletes at Yale."

—The regular class prayer meeting will be held Friday evening at 7:15 in Jesup hall. The topic is "Our Responsibilities," Matt. 25: 15-30. The leaders are, 1905 Hadley, 1906 Schell, 1907 McCleary, 1908 Nelson.

—Pursuant to section VI, article 1. as amended, the annual baseball association meeting for the election of a vice-president and assistant manager will be held Monday, May 1, at 7:30 p. m., in Jesup hall.

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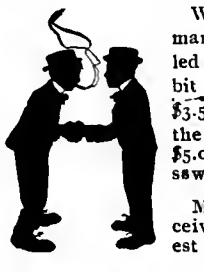
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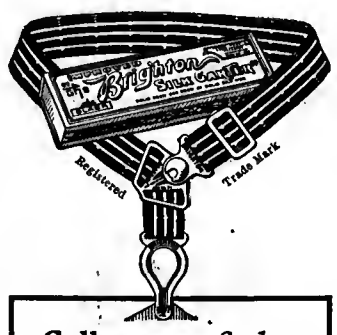
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Baseball Practice

Coach Dowd's work with the baseball squad for the past few days has been confined chiefly to batting grounders to the infield candidates. In addition to the usual batting and fielding practice, a practice game was held between the 'varsity and the scrub on the old campus yesterday afternoon. The 'varsity line-up was as follows: Westervelt, Mills, p, McCarty c, Harman 1b, Bonham 2b, Nesbitt ss, Neild 3b, Hogan lf, Wadsworth, Westervelt cf, Waters rf. Pierce and Gillett pitched for the scrub. The 'varsity won by a score of 14-2, scoring nine runs in the last two innings.

For Earlier Elections

At a college meeting held in Jesup hall Wednesday at 1:30 p. m., section 1 of article VI, of the constitution of the baseball association was amended exactly as proposed in the manager's announcement in the last issue of The Record, changing the earliest date for election of an asisstant baseball manager from June 1 to May 1. The same change was made in section 1 of article VI, in the track association's constitution.



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Prof. Charles Elliott Fitch, Regent of the University of the State of New York, and Chief of Records in the New York Department of Education, is secretary of '55. He is making plans to reunite the class at commencement. Its surviving members are residents of eight eastern states. It is probable that at least one half of the class will be present to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary. The class will meet in the senior prayer-meeting room No. 8 in Jesup hall, on Tuesday afternoon, June 20, at three o'clock. The members will then take a drive over the old scenes about Williamstown and at seven o'clock will hold a dinner at the Richmond hotel in North Adams.

Concert in North Adams

The musical clubs gave a very successful concert in the Congregational chapel at North Adams, Monday night. On account of the illness of Pevear '07, his solos were omitted. In their place, Lord '05 sang with his usual charm two dainty little German songs,—"An Episode" and "The Young Maidens," by Herrmann Noehe. The well-known "Dixie Kid" by the entire glee club was substituted for "If you love me, Lindy" and Gale and Smith gave a taking banjo duet.

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A STRONG SPEAKER

Three Inspiring Addresses by Robert E. Speer Yesterday

Mr. Robert E. Speer, one of the most brilliant of American orators, and most inspiring of American religious workers, visited the college on Sunday, delivering three of the most searching, helpful addresses given before the college in a long time.

At morning chapel Mr. Speer spoke from the text John 1. 42; Thou shalt be called Cephas, which is by interpretation, rock. Mr. Speer divided men into three classes, those who appear good on the outside but are rotten inside, those who, like the rich young ruler, are good inside and out, but their goodness negative, and those who are very good inside, but often have a rough exterior, like Peter in the text. Mr. Speer pleaded for the third class, advising each man to ask himself to which class he belonged.

Immediately after the chapel service Mr. Speer addressed a union meeting of the bible classes in 17 Jesup hall. Speaking on reasons why men should study the Bible, he said, in brief: Some books are valuable for the greatness of their author, some for the importance of their subject matter. The Bible excels in both of these respets. It is a book which all should study, since it treats of three questions we all naturally ask ourselves; where did man come from, what are we here for, and whither are we going. It is a "streak of treason" in a college man not tostudy the Bible, and then pretened to be an educated man.

Mr. Speer's third address was given at the Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday evening on "The ideals of manliness, as embodied in Jesus Christ." Mr. Speer said that no one was a man, in the complete meaning of the word, because of mere intellectual or athletic prowess. No "beast body" or intellectual cleverness can atone for lack of moral qualities. To be a man, one must have the five great moral qualities of Jesus: Truth, purity, decision and energy, gentleness, holiness. Mr. Speer also gave personal conferences to men interested in missionary and religious work, at four o'clock Sunday afternoon and after the Y. M. C. A. meeting. During his stay at Williams he was the guest of President Hopkins.

Moffett '07, Brockway' 07, C. D. Sheldon '08 and Crombie '08 are in the infirmary.

DARTMOUTH VAUDEVILLE

Will Appear in Williamstown May 10—The Program

The Dartmouth college vaudeville company, which has been scoring a hit in all the New Hampshire towns in which it has played, is to appear in the Williamstown Opera house on May 10 when the following varied program of "stunts" will be presented. The manager of the club writes that, "If you fellows will not bring any eggs, we'll promise to leave town immediately after the performance."

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Mr. Ford Receives Degree

Walter Burton Ford, instructor in mathematics, has been notified of his success in passing his Harvard examination for the degree of doctor of philosophy. He will receive the degree from that university in June.

Classical Society

The next meeting of the Classical society will be held tomorrow evening at 7:30 in the west wing of the library. Prof. Wild will give a short introduction, followed by the reading by the members of the society of Cicero's Dialogue, 'De Senectute."

FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY

Reunion of the Class of '65—Thirty-five Members Survive

The class of 1865, the last class which graduated in the old village meeting-house at the head of Main street, will celebrate its fortieth anniversary at Williamstown at Commencement. The class graduated fifty members; today twenty-eight of them survive, besides seven sometime members. The class entered college during the stirring days of the first campaigns of the Civil war, and graduated only a few months after the surrender of Lee at Appomattox. Their whole course was spent in the disquieting days of the nation's greatest struggle. Seven of the class were in the Union army, one of whom died in service in 1864. The class includes two college presidents, five ministers, seven doctors, three lawyers, one of whom is a member of Congress, and one a judge of the supreme court of California; a state senator, and two missionaries, one in Chili and one in China.

The thirty-five survivors are well scattered, some of them living in Kansas, Colorado, Texas, California, Valparaiso, Honolulu and Shanghai. Justin Kellogg of Troy, is making extensive plans to bring together as many as possible at Williamstown. It is expected that at least twenty members will be here, and will attend the reunion banquet at the Greylock hotel on Tuesday evening, June 20.

WILLIAMS I. T. A.

Special Meeting Held Saturday at Pittsfield

The Williams College Interscholastic Track Association held a special meeting at the Hotel Wendell in Pittsfield last Saturday, to discuss the question of admitting the Albany High school and the Sedgwick school of Great Barrington to the organization and to consider several proposed changes in the constitution. Delegates representing Williamstown, Adams, Pittsfield, Drury and Searles High schools were present at the meeting, at which Manager Goodwillie of the track association presided.

It was decided to put over the question of admitting the two schools until the annual meeting in December. Henceforth, through a change in the constitution, an athlete will be allowed to compete in different events only four years in succession, instead of five, as

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CALENDAR

TUESDAY, APRIL 11

7.15 p. m.—Lecture by Prof. Russell on "Effects of Hypnotism," 10 H. H.

7.30 p. m.—Meeting Classical Society, Library.

LIT. ELECTIONS

Three New Members Chosen—Dutton '07 Elected Chairman

The annual meeting of the editors of the Literary Monthly, held last Thursday evening, resulted in the election to the board of Albert Francis Buchanan '06, of Indianapolis, Ind., Shepard Ashman Morgan '06, of Rochester, N. Y., and George Burwell Dutton '07, of Buffalo, N. Y., the last named being chosen chairman. Barnaby Matthew Hogan '06, of Williamstown, was made business manager. John Adams Lowe '06, of Fitchburg, Mass., is the only member remaining on the board from last year. The number of the Literary Monthly which appears in May will be the first issue of the magazine by the new board.

Saturday afternoon Buchanan tendered his resignation, which was accepted by the board.

'VARSITY BASEBALL

Second Team Defeated in Seven Innings 7-1

A second game between the 'varsity and the scrub was played on the old campus Saturday afternoon, the 'varsity winning in seven innings by a score of 7-1. Ford and Westervelt pitched for the 'varsity, and Pierce and Gillett for the scrub. The 'varsity line-up was as follows: Ford, Westervelt p, McCarty c, Willcox 1b, Bonham 2d, Nesbitt ss, Neild 3b, Hogan lf, Westervelt, Osborne cf, Warren rf.

Improvements to Diamond

As a first step in the improvement of the old campus, the baseball management has put up a permanent backstop at the northwest corner of the campus. The backstop is eight feet high, and built in three sections, the central one twenty-six feet in length, the two wings each thirteen feet.

During the week men have been at work on the Weston field diamond, enlarging the skinned portion of the field, so work on the old campus will not begin until tomorrow on Wednesday. Since third base is at present eighteen inches higher than home plate, about half of this rise will be cut off and used to fill in around first base. The whole ground, especially about third, will be rolled and levelled.

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The Literary Monthly

At their last meeting the senior editors of the Literary Monthly severed their connection with the magazine, and intrusted its publication for the coming year to the new board from 1906 and 1907. Although one more number will be given to the college by the 1905 board, its active relation to the literary interests of the college is practically ended. There is far less to criticise in the work of the retiring board than there is to praise.

The Lit. has broadened its field. It has succeeded in getting an intimate view of the college, and without discarding for a moment its old-time dignity, has discussed the balder phases of our every-day life. Sanctum has made our democracy its theme, compared it with that found elsewhere, and arrived at a square conclusion. It has taken a fair position on the vital questions which the college-body has this year been called upon to decide. Sanctum has dipped its pen even into the fraternity system at Williams, writing hard and furiously against the methods "pursued by some fraternities" in undergraduate elections. Chat has gone less deep, and in lively phrases has presented a true picture of our superficialities.

The thoughtful essay takes its place at the head. Though by no means new to the magazine, the essay has this year occupied a place which we trust it will retain. Except in one instance, the short story has lacked the chief requisite, originality. The verse has been uniformly excellent, reaching its high-water mark in "The Quest," "A Nocturne" and "The Father's Children." The Record extends to the Literary Monthly congratulations and wishes for its continued good-fortune.

A Sophomore Chairman

We notice with disapproval the election of a sophomore as chairman of the Literary Monthly board, to the exclusion of upperclassmen members of the board. Underclassmen have been placed in charge of undergraduate interests before, but under far different circumstances. A sophomore was chosen captain of the 'varsity basketball five two years ago, there being at that time no senior or junior on the team.

In the present instance, custom has been disregarded, precedent to the contrary notwithstanding. The precedent, however, is not clear. In April 1896 the election of a sophomore editor was made by a board, five of whom were members of '98, and one only from '97. A change was subsequently made in the constitution, elections being held by the retiring board instead of the incoming board, perhaps for the purpose of meeting such a contingency. In connection with the question of hazing and democracy, the Lit. (Vol. XX, No. 8, p. 373-4) argues that the prerogatives of the senior class be reserved to it. "If a college education is at all valuable for giving a man good judgment, then necessarily the average senior is more mature and of better judgment than the average member of any other class, and, this being true, it is ordinary common sense to entrust the complete direction of affairs to the senior class." The writer says further that, although the distinction between the sense of juniors and seniors may be difficult, we must construct our society on the law of averages. If this last is so, is it not equally true that, wherever possible, the direction of affairs which have passed out of senior control, should devolve upon the junior class?

The Thompson Course

The Thompson course entertainments seem to grow better every year. For the program offered this winter it is indeed difficult to find a just word of criticism. The attendance, both of the college and townspeople, has in almost every instance been limited only by the capacity of the hall, conclusive evidence of the popularity of the entertainment course.

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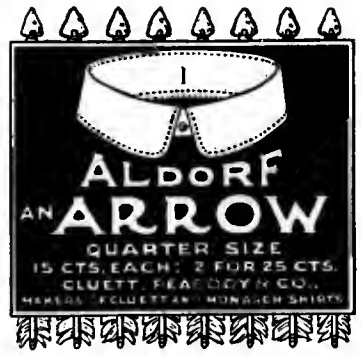
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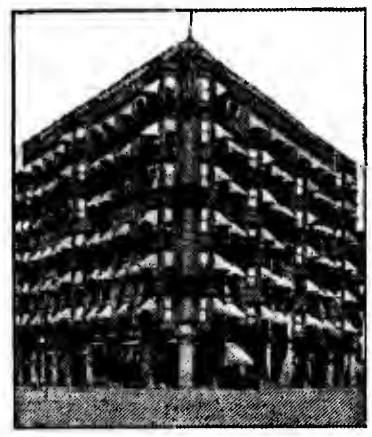
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Illustrated Description of the Catastrophe of May 8, 1902

The seventh and last number of the Thompson entertainment course was given in Jesup Hall Thursday night by Prof. Thomas Augustus Jaggar, jr., Ph. D., assistant professor of geology in Harvard University and Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Prof. Jaggar lectured upon the eruption of Mont Pelee in 1902, in a scholarly manner, illustrating his description by stereoptieon views taken on the scene two weeks after the disaster, dealing not only with the awful results of the catastrophe in the sacrifice of human life, but also explaining simply and logically the causes of the phenomena of the disaster.

Prof. Jaggar was one of a party of geologists who embarked on a tour of observation and study on the relief steamer "Dixie," which arrived in Martinique thirteen days after the first, and fatal, eruption of May 8, 1902. In his lecture, the speaker first described the disastrous eruption of La Souffriere in St. Vincent, May 7, 1902, in which over two thousand lives were lost, followed on the next day by the terrible eruption of Pelee, wiping out the city of St. Pierre at its feet, with a loss of twenty-five thousand lives.

He showed the startling contrast between the city of St. Pierre, lying peacefully on the slopes of Mont Pelee, at the edge of a little harbor, backed by the red-tiled roofs and palm-lined streets of the city; and the same spot as it appeared to the geological party when nothing remained but huge piles of bricks, beams and debris, scattered in the utmost confusion, and mantled with a thick layer of volcanic dust and ashes. So dire was the havoc wrought by the blast of volcanic spume, that only one life, that of an entombed prisoner, was spared of all those in the ill-fated city; and so thoroughly was the city destroyed that the services of a guide were needed to point out which were the streets, and which the sites of buildings.

After the danger of eruptions was passed, Dr. Jaggar's party ascended the sides of the volcano, and explored La Riviere Seche, La Blanche Riviere, the cleft from which issued the main force of the eruption, and traversed the whole region blighted by the blast of igneous rock, dust and ashes. Some beautiful views were shown of the huge volumes of smoke, cauliflower-shaped, which ascended from the crater, and rose to a height of five miles. Clouds of dust and ashes were belched forth, were blown to sea, and fell nine hundred miles from Pelee.

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crater, a mile across and two thousand feet deep. In conclusion Prof. Juggar told of the immense value of such object-study in the field of geology; for, in the space of a few hours phenomena of eruption, erosion, formation and sedimentation formulate, which, under the ordinary processes of nature, would take centuries to materialize.

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formerly. It was also provided that to be eligible for the meet, the members of the team must have attended school for a full year and have attained the necessary standard of scholarship during the two months previous to the meet. Hereafter, the two-mile bicycle race will be omitted. The Pittsfield High scool was presented with the banner won last June.

On the Track Today

The three weeks preliminary practice of the track team has been concluded and regular track work was begun on Weston field this afternoon. The new system of individual work tried this year has proved very successful. Over fifty men have been doing regular gym. and cross-country work and all seem in good shape to begin training on the cinder track.

Owing to the steady cold weather of the past winter, the track was in better shape than ever this spring, and last week it has been thoroughly filled and rolled and is now in far better condition than at this time last year.

Among the new men who have shown consistent improvement from the preliminary work are M. Brown '07 and A. M. Brown '07 in the high jump, Marshall '08 in the shot-put, and Winslow '07 in the pole-vault.

To Alumni and Undergraduates

In commemoration of the expedition to the Pacific coast in 1804 of Meriwether Lewis and William Clark, an Exposition will be held at Portland, Oregon, from June 1 to November, 1905. The University club of Portland will be pleased to extend the privileges of the club rooms and restaurant to all college men.

A Williams dinner will be given at the club Saturday, July 15th, 1905. It is hoped that all Williams men planning to visit Portland during the Exposition will arrange their trip so as to be present on this date.

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ALUMNI NOTES

'77—Prof. Albert H. Tolman, Ph. D., is a professor in the department of English in the University of Chicago. Prof. Tolman is recognized as an authority on Shakespeare, and is the author of several books on his poems.

'85—James Craig McLanahan died at Philadelphia on March 4, after an illness of six months. Mr. McLanahan was born in Hollidaysburg, Pa., May 22, 1862, and prepared for college in Prof. Stewart's academy in his native town and at the Greylock preparatory school at South Williamstown. He entered Washington and Jefferson college, in Pennsylvania, but after remaining there two years, entered Williams and graduated with the class of 1885. He graduated from the law school of the University of Pennsylvania in 1887, but did not apply for admission to the bar until 1894. Mr. McLanahan was engaged in the iron business in Lawrence county, Tenn., until 1894, when he was admitted to the bar. He never engaged in the practice of law, but became extensively interested in the real estate business in Philadelphia and Nashville, where he resided at the time of his death. In his last will he made Williams college the residuary legatee of his estate.

'92—Munson Burton is vice-president and manager of the Mankato Mills Co., at Mankato, Minn.

'93—Frank E. Parks is superintendent of the open-hearth department of the Carnegie Steel Co.'s large mills at Duquesne, Pa.

'94—Miles T. Hand is with the National Elevator Company at Honesdale, Pa.

'96—Dr. James H. Irish is now head surgeon of the Syracuse Homeopathic hospital.

'97—C. A. Wright has been chosen one of the field coaches of the Columbia football team for next fall.

1901.—R. P. Bloom has recently secured a position with the Syracuse Railroad Construction company.

1904—Winthrop D. Foster, who has been teaching physics, has accepted a position with L. M. Barrett & Co., wholesale druggists at Chicago.

1904—W. H. Peabody won third place in the pole vault, with a vault of 11 feet, in the open meet held by the Illinois Athletic Club, in the Chicago Coliseum on March 28.

Ex-'05—Brastow has recently left the hardware business with which he was connected and has joined the editorial staff of the Illustrated Sporting News.

Ex-'07—Horsley is now engaged in the packing business in Chicago.



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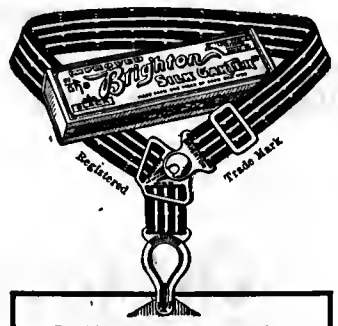

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COLLEGE NOTES

Whittlesey '05 has returned to college.

Rifenbergh '08 is at his home in Pittsfield with the measles.

L. G. Thomson '07 has resigned from college.

Tarbox '92, Squires '00, and Stower '04 were in town Sunday.

The class-day committee has appointed Fulton to the prom. committee.

The senior class appeared in caps and gowns yesterday for the first time.

Harman '08, a promising candidate for the position of first base on the baseball team, is at the infirmary with the measles.

Thompson '03, who is attending the Hartford Theological school, and Lederer '03, now teaching in Pittsfield, were in town over Sunday.

Tentative arrangements have been made by the class-day committee for holding the prom. Tuesday evening, the dedication of the Gargoyle gate Wednesday, and the class banquet Friday.

Manager Judson of the class book has contracted with the Excelsior Printing Co. of North Adams for printing the book, and with the Electric City Engraving Co. of Buffalo for the cuts.

NOTICES

—The gun club will hold a shoot at the golf links Wednesday afternoon. Contestants meet at two o'clock.

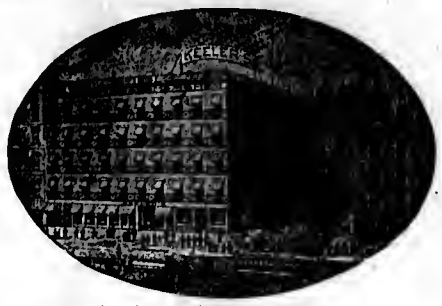
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UNION SATURDAY

First Baseball Game of Season—The Batting Order

The first baseball game of the season will be played Saturday afternoon at 2:30 on Weston field if possible. Work has been done on the diamond all the week, and in spite of Tuesday's rain it is hoped to have the field in shape for Saturday. In case Weston is not in shape, the game will be played on the old campus. The visiting team is composed mostly of new material containing but



T. J. DOWD, COACH

four of last year's nine. It has had about the same amount of outdoor practice as Williams, but has had the experience of one game at West Point Saturday, when it succumbed to the cadets by a score of 5-0.

The two teams will begin the game as follows:

Williams	Union
McCarty, c. Capt.,	2, Diver
Bonham, 2	m, Hagar, capt.
Nesbitt, s	l, Colburn
Westervelt, m	3, Hildreth
Hogan, l	1, Rider
Neild, 3	r, Taylor
Warren, Osterhout, r	s, Vogt
Harman, 1	c, Harvey
Wadsworth, Ford, p	p, Davis

The substitutes for Union are Jewell, Richards, Tiedeman.

Two pitchers will be used by the Purple during the game, and possibly all three.

With regard to the general development and personnel of the team, Coach Dowd says:

"The team is showing up very satisfactorily so far, considering how poor the weather has been, and the shape in which the old campus is at present. I look for marked improvement as soon as we are able to get on Weston. The team

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INCENDIARISM

Grave Charge Against Prisoner —Trial May 3

Important meetings of Philologian and Philotechnian were held last evening. In both societies changes to the present constitutions were proposed, to make them comply better with present conditions. These will be acted upon at the next meetings. In Philotechnian it was voted to expel from the society any member who fails to pay his fine within a specified time. A committee was also appointed to make an effort to procure a larger attendance.

Shoudy '05 and McIntyre '08, the 'Logian committee for arranging the details of the mock trial, to take place May 3, also submitted their report. The crime with which the prisoner is to be charged, will be that of having set fire to Morgan hall. Gregory '05 will act as judge, A. P. Newell '05 as prosecuting attorney, and Pettit '05 as attorney for the defense. Witnesses, jurymen, etc., will be impersonated by other members of the two societies. The trial will probably take place in Griffin hall.

1908 Baseball Schedule

The following schedule has been arranged for the freshman baseball team:

May 1—Williamstown high school.

May 3—Pittsfield high school at Pittsfield.

May 6—Albany Collegiates at Williamstown.

May 13—Union freshmen at Williamstown.

May 16—Williamstown high school.

May 24—Williston at Easthampton.

If possible, another game will be arranged to take the place of the Amherst freshmen game which was recently cancelled.

Sophomore—Freshman Debate

The first annual sophomore-freshman debate will take place tomorrow evening, April 14, at 7:30, in Jesup Hall. The question of discussion is "Resolved: That the present policy of the southern states toward the negro race is for the best interests of the negro." 1907 upholding the affirmative and 1908 the negative. The speakers in the order in which they will appear, are, for 1907, Blagbrough, Case, Clark, (captain); for 1908, Murray, Scott, Westermann, (captain). Clarey 1907 and Anderson 1908 are alternates. The judges are Prof. Nelson, Prof. Smith, and Mr. D. T. Clark, with Prof. Wild as presiding officer.

TENNIS OUTLOOK

Tri-collegiate Tournament at Williamstown—Other Events

Judging from the number of tennis players who are still in college and who played on last year's team, the outlook for a most successful season is particularly promising. Besides the two men who so successfully represented Williams in the New England intercollegiate tournament at Boston last spring, there are two other members of the team still in college. These, together with several good players who entered last fall, make the prospect exceedingly bright.

Three or four dual matches have already been arranged by the manager and it is probable that the final schedule will contain five tournaments besides the Triangular and New England Intercollegiate championships. The Triangular tournament, in which Dartmouth, Wesleyan, and Williams will compete, will take place at Williamstown this year. As in the other branches of athletics, relations will be resumed with Amherst in tennis, and that college will send a team to Williams during the latter part of the season.

The team this year will be made up of four men, in the majority of the team matches, but probably this number will be increased to six in at least two meets. The association courts, which were completed late last fall, will be put into condition in a short time. With the addition of these new courts, an opportunity will be given to more men for practicing, and it seems likely that a greater amount of interest will be taken in tennis than ever before. Until this year the association has always been handicapped by lack of courts but this condition has, to a large degree, been met by the construction of courts by the athletic association. The schedule of matches will be issued in the near future.

Last Meeting of Classical Society

The Classical society held a meeting in the library on Tuesday evening. After a short introduction by Prof. Wild, portions of the Dialogue of Cicero's "De Senectute" were read by the following members of the society: Prof. Kellogg; Hunt, Thing, Hack and Cheydleur 1905; Reid, Wilbur, Wakefield and Andrews 1906. It was decided after some discussion to hold no more meetings this year.

D. P. Brown '08 is seriously ill at the infirmary with measles.

CALENDAR

FRIDAY, APRIL 14

7.30 p. m.—1907-1808 debate. J. H.

SATURDAY, APRIL 15

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Union baseball game, Weston field.

SUNDAY, APRIL 16

10.30 p. m.—College chapel. Rev. Thomas C. Hall will preach on "What does conversion imply?"

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes. J. H.

7.30 a. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Hall will talk on "Reformation and transformation."

THIRD PRACTICE GAME

'Varsity Defeats Scrub Team by Score of 10-2

The third practice game between 'varsity and scrub, played on the old campus yesterday afternoon, resulted in a victory for the 'varsity by a score of 10-2. For the 'varsity, Wadsworth pitched the first six innings and Westervelt the remainder of the game. Pierce began the game in the box for the scrub, but was replaced by Mills in the sixth, who in turn gave way to LaMent in the eight. The teams played an extra inning for practice.

The scrub started strong, scoring two runs in the first on hits by Miller and Osterhout and a two-bagger by Austin, while the 'varsity were blanked in the first two innings. A run however, was earned in both the third and fourth, while a pair of errors at short, after Wadsworth's long home run hit to the heating-plant, brought three more tallies in the fifth.

During the remaining five innings the 'varsity scored five more runs, long hits by Parsons and Stocking proving features, while the scrubs were unable to do much with Wadsworth and Westervelt's pitching. McCarty, Bonham and Neild hit well for the 'varsity, while of the scrubs Osterhout batted strongly, and Willcox fielded well. Miller accepted five chances in left, one of them exceptionally difficult. The score by innings was as follows:

'Varsity	0	0	1	1	3	2	1	1	0	1	—10
Scrubs	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Amherst-Williams Chess

The chess club has just accepted a challenge for a tournament with the Amherst team. While no definite date has yet been set, it is probable that the teams will meet early next month. The match will be played in Williamstown.

Sixty men are now candidates for the track team.

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The First Game

The baseball season opens this year under most favorable circumstances. Consistent work in the cage and early outdoor practice have resulted in rounding the team into first-class shape for the opening game. The wealth of good material in the freshman class, the few 'varsity men lost from last year'a nine, a brace of experienced pitchers and catchers, a second team to work with, a week's hard playing in the south to swing the team into line for the Brown and Columbia games, and lastly a coach as thorough a teacher as he is a good player—all these tend toward but one thing in Williams baseball this year, and that is, success.

The 'varsity meets Union Saturday afternoon in the first game of the season. A decisive victory will inspire the team with confidence for the more difficult contests ahead. The presence on Weston field is needed of every man in college. It is safe to say that the nine will do its share toward starting the season in the right way. The student-body should do theirs.

A Practical Need

With the preparation of Weston field for the twenty-five or more baseball games and track meets which will be held there this year, and with the necessary daily practice of the two teams, the question again comes up of making suitable provision for the physical welfare of the athletes after the strain of work on the field.

The principal disadvantage in the use of Lasell gymnasium for this purpose, is its distance from Weston field. Aside from being an actual discomfort to the 'varsity and to visiting teams, the present system works directly against the careful and systematic development of an athletic team. It is absolutely imperative that every candidate receive instant attention on leaving the field or track. To insure such care, a building equipped with hot and cold shower baths, and other accessories, should be available on Weston field.

Two plans have been suggested. The first is to utilize for this purpose the space under the grand stand. At present this large room, about 100 feet long by 20 wide, is used only as a storehouse for athletic supplies. It is only a question of a year or two before repairs will be necessary to this part of the stand. If the second plan is not followed, it seems that the room here offered could well be divided up for shower baths and locker rooms. We find that the total expense for flooring, ceiling and partitions, two shower baths, heating the rooms, lighting, constructing 75 lockers, etc., would amount to about $1,850.

The other plan is to build a club house on Weston field which would meet all the requirements of the situation. It is understood that this has already been considered by the college, but no action has as yet been taken. A building of the same style and size as that on Percy field, Ithaca, would most satisfactorily supply the need. The cost of such a structure would necessarily be considerable; yet it appears that, in providing for more permanent quarters, accommodations for a greater number of men, and more extensive equipment, a club house would in the end be the better investment. Whether the funds come from the college, the athletic council, by private donation, or a combination of these, the fact remains that, in this respect, Williams' athletic teams are handicapped by a condition with which few other colleges have to contend.

College Preachers

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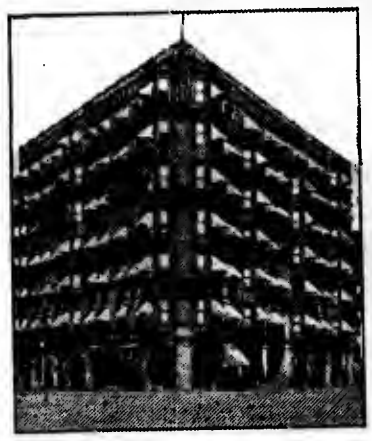
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20th ANNIVERSARY

Reunion of the Class of '85—Sixty-One Graduated

The class of 1885 will celebrate its twentieth anniversary at Williamstown next commencement. The class graduated sixty-one members, and of these over half will be present at the reunion.

The class embraces men in twenty states. Nova Scotia and India. Thirteen of its members are in the ministry, three in journalism, twelve in the legal profession, six are doctors and three are college professors. Among the names on the roll of the class are found Rev. W. W. Rauney, first director of the Williams gymnasium; Prof. Harry A. Garfield, professor of politics in Princeton; Dr. Stephen B. L. Penrose, president of Whitman college at Walla Walla, Wash.; Rev. David S. Herrick, since 1893 missionary in Madura, India, stationed at Battagunder; and Hon. James R. Garfield, commissioner of corporations in the Department of Commerce and Labor. James R. Garfield and Bentley W. Warren are the two youngest alumni on the Board of Trustees—the former is a member of the Committee on Degrees and the latter of the Committee on Grounds, Buildings and Improvements.

Henry W. Banks, jr., of New York city, is secretary of the class. He is making elaborate plans for celebrating the reunion in a style befitting the importance of the occassion, the significance of a twentieth anniversary, and the name and prestige of the class. The Woodbridge house on Main street has been engaged as headquarters for the class. It is expected that between thirty and forty members will attend. A brass band will herald the coming of '85, and all the other necessaries of a successful reunion will be had. The class supper will be held at the Greylock hotel, on Wednesday evening, June 21.

Dartmouth Debate May 6

The Williams-Dartmouth intercollegiate debate will be held at Hanover Tuesday evening, May 16. On the same day, at the height of Junior week festivities, Dartmouth plays the Carlisle Indians at Hanover.

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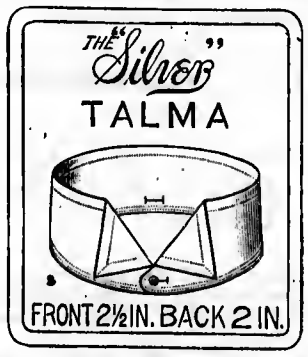
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Union Saturday

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is fielding well and batting enough above the average so I hope to develop a team of good hitters. However, in base-running and teamwork, qualities on which much stress is to be laid this year, there must be a decided improvement. The team is to develop gradually.

"Of the men, the old material looks fine, and there is much new timber that appears promising. Behind the bat Williams has in Captain McCarty undoubtedly the best college catcher in the country. Besides his remarknble fielding, his strong work with the bat nnd on the bases make him the best man on the team. When you come to the infield, Bonham at second knows the game thoroughly. Nesbitt at short is a fast man and Neild is easily the leading candidate for third. First base is still open, and outside of fielding, a man who can hit and run bases well must be had for the position.

"Westervelt, of the pitching staff, is in prime condition, and his batting is excellent. He seems to me the Lajoie of college baseball. Ford is coming every day, and Wadsworth, though not yet wholly recovered from his illness, needs only some good spring days to round into shape. Pierce, Mills and Gillett look promising. In the outfield, Hogan at left is a brilliant fielder, but the other two positions, except when Westervelt plays in tbe field, are still open. Base-running and hitting will largely determine the men for center and right."

A further cut in the squad will be made Saturday in preparation for the southern trip, to start Monday night. Eleven men will be taken on the southern trip, besidea Manager Howe, Trainer Barrett and the coach.

Rev. Dr. T. C. Hall Sunday

Rev. Dr. Thomas Cumming Hall, professor of Christian Ethics at the Union Theological Seminary, New York city, will address the college body at Sunday morning chapel, and will speak before the Y. M. C. A. meeting in the evening. The subjects are, for morning chapel, "What does conversion imply?" and for the Y. M. C. A. meeting, "Reformation and transformation."

Acknowledgement

George W. Grundy, town clerk, has received a letter from Mrs. F. F. Thompson at Milford, S. C., expressing her thanks for the resolution in regard to the new chapel, passed at the recent town meeting.

Prof. Ferry will speak for the college at the banquet of the Worcester Williams Alumni Association at Worcester Saturday evening.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Lyman '06 has left college.

The gun club held a shoot yesterday afternoon.

There was an exhibition of etchings on view in 13 Hopkins hall yesterday afternoon.

Rifenbergh '08 returned from Pittsfield yesterday after a week's illness.

Men who expect to retain their present rooms another year must sign for them before May 1.

Asst. Prof. Perry, who has been ill for a week, will resume his English classes tomorrow.

The college orchestra will accompany Cap and Bells to Albany on April 27th.

The stained glass for the large front windows of the chapel has arrived and is being placed in position.

Several members of the glee club will sing at a dinner given by the University club at the Hotel Wendell, Pittsfield, Friday evening.

The front wall of the new Gargoyle gate, which was out of plumb and which was in consequence ordered torn down by the architect, has been rebuilt this week.

The members of the 1907 baseball team met Tuesday and elected B. W. Southworth, catcher, captain for this year. H. T. Watson has been made captain of the 1905 team.

In Rensselaer, N. Y., last evening Prof. Russell addressed the annual meeting of the Hudson River Association of Congregational ministers on "The Psychology of Religion."

The Effects of Hypnotism

"The Effects of Hypnotism" was the subject on which Professor Russell spoke last Tuesday evening, and his lecture proved to be the most interesting of any so far delivered. A number of physical effects, the speaker said, can be produced by means of hypnotism, such as an actual change in the rapidity of heart beats, and that state known as "stigmata," in which, through the action of the blood, figures and blisters can be made to appear upon the surface of the body.

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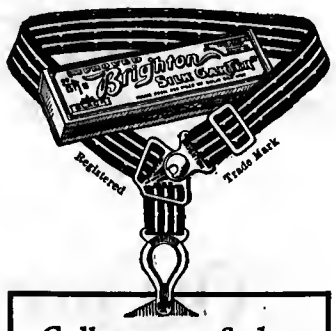
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Further works of interest recently secured are: A complete 5 volume set of Ibsen's prose dramas; a facsimile of the first edition (1532) of the works of Geoffrey Chaucer, with an introduction by Skeat, a book of which only 1000 copies were printed; "The Old Testament," by J. J. Tissot, illustrated with numerous full-page color reproductions of his famous paintings; "Poems of D. G. Rosetti," the English poet and painter, with illustrations from his own designs, edited by Elizabeth L. Cary; in uniform binding, Miss Cary's biographical and critical works on the Rossettis, Browning, Emerson, Tennyson and William Moris; by M. Menendez y Pelayo, "History of esthetic ideas in Spain," in 9 volumes, and "Authology of the Castilian lyric poets," in 11 volumes, both in Spaniah; Letters of Ruskin to Charles Eliot Norton, 2 volumes, throwing much light on the last dark years of Ruskin's life.

Gargoyle Dinner June 17 and Dedication of Gate June 21

It has been decided to hold the Gargoyle dinner Saturday evening, June 17, at the Greylock hotel. The class of 1895, which founded Gargoyle, will be in Williamstown commencement, for its tenth anniversary.

The dedication of the Gargoyle gate at the Weston field entrance will be held on Wednesday, June 21. A program of the exercises will be published in a later issue of The Record.

President Hopkins at U. of Va.

President Hopkins left early in the week for Charlottesville to attend the inauguration of the new president of the University of Virginia, Edwin Anderson Alderman, D. C. L., LL. D., formerly president of Tulane University. The inauguration takes place today and President Hopkins will return to Williamstown Saturday or Sunday.

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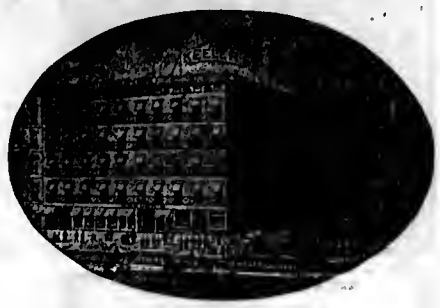
—Thursday, 7:30 p. m., 1907 Gul. board meeting, press room.

—The regular class prayer meetings will be held Friday evening at 7:15 in Jesup hall. The topic is "The Ministry of Nature." Ps. 65:5-13. The leaders are, 1905 Smith, 1906 Nomer, 1907 A. B. Thompson, 1908 Fowle.

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U. OF P. TOMORROW

First Game of Southern Trip at Philadelphia—The Line-up

For the first time since 1896, a Williams baseball team will make a southern trip during Easter vacation, playing seven games with some of the strongest of the middle-states colleges. Many of these colleges have been playing games for the past two weeks, so will at least surpass Williams in the matter of experience. At 8:40 this evening the college body is to meet at the gym. to start the team off. Red-fire and other suitable helps for a celebration will be provided.



J. J. MCCARTY 1905, CAPTAIN

The team will take the 9:19 train west, arriving in Philadelphia at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning, where that afternoon the nine will meet the University of Pennsylvania team. On Wednesday afternoon the team will play Georgetown at Washington, and on Thursday George Washington university at Washington. Returning to Pennsylvania, on Friday the team will meet Dickinson at Carlisle. For Saturday, no date has been scheduled, but the morning will be spent in practice on the league grounds in Philadelphia. Sunday will be spent in Philadelphia.

On Easter Monday, April 24, the team will journey to Atlantic City, and there meet the strong

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A GOOD BEGINNING

Williams Defeats Union 11-3 in First Game of Season

Williams began the baseball season of 1905 by defeating Union on Weston field Saturday by the score of 11-3. The Purple showed remarkable ability in the field for a first game, playing errorless ball until the ninth inning, while Union's work in the infield was exceedingly poor, especially on the left side of the diamond. At the bat Williams faced a pitcher of less than average ability, but was able to score but seven hits, one of which was questionable.

After the usual preliminary practice, Professor Russell walked onto the field to pitch the first ball, and was greeted with a hearty cheer from the bleachers. "Strike", said umpire Madison; McCarty returned the ball to Westervelt, and with four balls Union's first batter was struck out. In Williams' half of the first an error, a gift, and a long double by Nesbitt were wasted, Bonham bunting into a double play. In the second, however, Neild led off with a double, and two gifts, three errors, hit by pitched ball, and single brought in six runs. Another run was scored in the next inning on three errors, and three hits with more errors brought in four more in the fifth and sixth. Union's three tallies came in with two on bases in the sixth on a home run by Diver to deep left. The score:

WILLIAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty c,	3	2	1	6	3	0
Bonham 2b,	4	1	0	1	2	0
Nesbitt ss,	5	0	1	2	3	0
Westervelt p, rf,	4	1	0	0	1	0
Hogan lf,	5	0	1	4	0	0
Neild 3b,	5	2	2	1	0	2
Warren cf,	4	1	0	1	0	0
Osterhout rf,	2	2	0	0	0	0
Wadsworth p,	2	0	0	0	4	0
Harman 1b,	5	2	2	12	1	0
Total	39	11	7	27	14	2

UNION

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Hildreth p,	3	0	0	1	2	0
Rider 1b,	4	1	2	6	1	2
Hagar cf,	4	1	2	4	0	0
Diver 3b,	3	1	1	5	2	3
Colburn 2b,	4	0	0	2	1	0
Harvey c,	3	0	0	3	3	0
Richards lf,	4	0	0	3	0	0
Vogt ss,	3	0	0	1	1	5
Jewell rf,	3	0	1	0	0	0
Total	31	3	6	24	9	10

Williams	0	6	1	0	2	2	0	0	x—11
Union	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0—3

Two-base hits, Nesbitt, Neild. Home run, Diver. Sacrifice hits, Harvey. Stolen bases, McCarty 2, Bonham, Hogan, Neild, Osterhout, Rider. Bases on balls, off Westervelt 1, off Wadsworth 1, off Hildreth 5. Hit by pitched ball, Osterhout, Vogt. Struck out, by Westervelt 4, by Wadsworth 2. Double plays, Harvey to Rider, Hildreth to Colburn. Umpire, Madison. Time, 1 hr. 50 min.

WORCESTER ALUMNI

Annual Banquet Held Saturday Night—Prof. Ferry Spoke

The third annual meeting of the Worcester Alumni Association of Williams college, was held at the Worcester club, Saturday evening. About fifteen members were present. At the business meeting, Dr. G. Stanley Hall '67 was elected president of the Association for the coming year, and W. S. B. Hopkins '94 was elected secretary and treasurer.

Francis L. Dewey '76, president of the association, presided at the dinner. The speakers, besides Mr. Dewey, were Dean Ferry '91, Dr. G. Stanley Hall '67, president of Clark university, Carroll D. Wright, president of Clark college, and Dr. Willard Scott '75.

Dr. Ferry spoke of the present movement at Williams of forming the divisions in classes as small as possible, and of the increasing benefit to the student of the individual attention of the instructor. He said further, "We are losing from time to time many of our better young instructors, because of the inability, with the present endowment of the college, to give them as large salaries and as small hours' work as some of the other institutions are able to give them." Dr. Ferry spoke encouragingly of the growing healthier sentiment among the students in regard to athletics.

Dr. Hall and Dr. Wright spoke respectively of the work of the university, and of the collegiate department of Clark University at Worcester. Dr. Scott spoke of the growing idea that people will be handicapped unless they secure an education; and said that, although many contend that colleges cheapen their diplomas by bestowing them upon students of inferior ability, he was averse to this attitude, and welcomed the present widespread ambition for collegiate honors.

The Tutor System

A committee consisting of Prof. Maxey, Dr. Hardy and Prof. Morton has been appointed from the faculty to investigate the extension of the "tutor system" of small classes, as worked out by President Woodrow Wilson of Princeton. Prof. Morton will go to Princeton this week for a consultation with Pres. Wilson and will make a report later regarding the practicability of extending the system here. Williams was almost the pioneer in introducing the "tutor" plan, but Princeton has carried the idea further.

CALENDAR

MONDAY, APRIL 17

8.40 p. m.—College meeting in front of gym. Baseball team starts southern trip.

TUESDAY, APRIL 18

3.30 p. m.—Williams-Penn. at Franklin field Philadelphia.

1.30 p. m.—Sophomore class-meeting. J. H. Election of asst. basketball manager.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19

12.30 p. m.—Easter recess begins.

4.30 p. m.—Williams-Georgetown at Washington, D. C.

THURSDAY, APRIL 20

4.30 p. m.—Williams-George Washington university at Washington, D. C.

FRIDAY, APRIL 21

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Dickinson at Carlisle, Pa.

MONDAY, APRIL 24

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Villanova at Atlantic City, N. J.

TUESDAY, APRIL 25

3.00 p. m.—Williams--Lawrenceville at Lawrenceville, N. J.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Brown at Providence.

THURSDAY, APRIL 27

8.20 a. m.—Easter recess ends.

SATURDAY, APRIL 29

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Columbia at New York city.

2.30 p. m.—Williams 2d-Albany H. S., Weston field.

SUNDAY, APRIL 30

10.30 a. m.—College chapel.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes, J. H.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Hamilton S. Conant will speak.

MONDAY, MAY 1

Last day for retaining present rooms in dormitories.

2.30 p. m.—1908-Williamstown High school, High school grounds.

7.30 p. m.—College meeting. J. H. Election of sophomore asst. baseball manager.

President John M. Taylor '67

At a special meeting of the board of directors of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co., of Hartford, on Wednesday, John M. Taylor '67, was elected president of the company.

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Easter Recess

The Easter vacation will extend from 12:30 p. m. Wednesday, April 19, to 8:20 a. m., Thursday, April 27.

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Announcements

Owing to the Easter recess, the next issue of The Record will not appear until May 1, and will contain brief accounts of the games played on the southern trip, besides reports in more detail of the contests with Brown and Columbia.

In accordance with a recent change in the constitution of The Record, Shepard Ashman Morgan 1906, of Rochester, N. Y., becomes assistant editor-in-chief of the paper, to hold office until March 1906.

The Trip South

The baseball team leaves to-night on a week's trip, during which it will play seven of the hardest games of the season. It is unreasonable to expect the nine to return with an unbroken record, or even to win a majority of the games. Home grounds and a month of outdoor practice are likely in some cases to weigh heavily in the balance. The trip aims to prepare the team for games later in the season. Of far greater importance, however, is the fact that the name of Williams and Williams men will become known in regions where perhaps they are seldom heard of.

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A New Principle

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In this way, the man who obtains a very high grade in a considerable part of his studies will receive for the first time recognition, his work being considered the equivalent of a larger amount less well done. This principle is, indeed, not unlike that in force at Williams and differs only in the extent of its application, since a man here who receives a term mark below fifty per cent in any course, obtains no credit for the work already done.

On the whole, we believe that the institution of this new system points towards a higher standard of scholarship. Heretofore, quantity of work accomplished has been more generally recognized than quality. Although in the nature of an experiment, this new move towards reversing the present methods bids fair to prove a complete success.

Cap and Bells Notice

The annual meeting of Cap and Bells for the election of officers for the year 1905-1906 will be held in Jesup Hall on Tuesday, May 2, at 7:30 p. m. The offices to be filled are; President, executive committee, assistant business manager and assistant stage manager. The last two offices are open to any member of the class of 1907. Any member of this class wishing to run for either of these offices will kindly hand his name to Manager J. S. Shedden on or before May 1.

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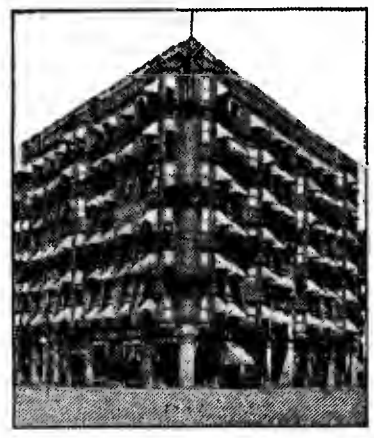
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1907's Weight of Argument Prevailed Over Freshmen

The first annual interclass debate, held in Jesup Hall Friday evening, April 14, between 1907 and 1908, resulted in a victory for the sophomore class. The debate was more or less in the nature of an experiment, held in the hope of stimulating debating activity in Williams, and as such was a decided success. The work of the six debaters showed the result of careful, systematic training.

The debate, on the negro question in its broadest aspect, was closely contested, 1907's weight of argument triumphing over 1908's carefully prepared form. As a whole, the freshmen speakers, on their first appearance, were clear and logical, but on their rebuttals, failed to meet successfully their opponents' points. The sophomore speakers presented a common-sense argument, well-backed by statistics and weight of reasoning, though at times clouded by defective phrasing.

In opening the debate for 1907, Blagbrough defined the meaning of the word "policy" in the question, and quoted numerous authorities in support of his contention that the northern view of this "policy" is essentially different from the southern view. Murray 1908 then argued that the motive underlying the southern policy was hostile and that the negro was practically disfranchised in the south, a state of affairs which could not be for his own best interests. Case, the second speaker for the affirmative, showed that this disfranchisement must work for the best interests of the negro, basing his contention on the fact that the negro needs industrial education far more than the ballot. Scott, for 1908, then made clear that the present education of the negro was inefficient, was a "counterfeit education," did not develop his character, and that the southern policy was one of repression, causing the negro to lose his self-respect.

In closing for the affirmative, Clark brought out the point that, considering the economic conditions of the south, the south was doing ten times more for education than the north, and that the negro was getting more than an even share in this ten-fold educational benefit.

Westermann closed the first speeches by showing that the southern policy was founded on the idea of the negro's essential inferiority, and was carried out with race discrimination in state laws and in general economic conditions. After each speaker had taken up five minutes for rebuttal, the judges, Prof. Nelson, Mr. D. T. Clark, and Dr. Wetmore, retired, and brought in a decision for the affirmative.

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COLLEGE NOTES

At a 1907 class meeting Saturday afternoon Hinman was elected class baseball manager.

Candidates for the freshman baseball team were called out Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Lewis preached in the Congregational church Sunday morning.

Matthews '07 went to the infirmary yesterday with German measles.

Hobson '06, who has been ill with scarlet fever, was discharged from the infirmary yesterday.

A force of several men was engaged last week in rebuilding the 220 yards straightaway on Weston field.

Single or consecutive cuts of last recitations before the Easter recess will be doubled.

The South college baseball team has organized, with Durfee '07 captain, and Wells '07 manager.

Wednesday is the last day for seniors to hand their names to Dr. Parsons as contestants for the Van Vechten prizes in public speaking.

Prof. Morton will attend the dinner of the Alliance Francaise at Sherry's in New York on Thursday.

The baseball management will publish score cards for all games played on Weston field. The first of the series appeared Saturday for the Union game.

Dr. Cleland and the members of Geology I, who were to have left Saturday on an expedition to central New York with Harvard geological classes, were unable to do so, because of the impossibility of making satisfactory arrangements for the postponement of hour examinations.

The North Adams churches have arranged for a week of entertainments at the Richmond theatre to raise money for the hospital fund. On Monday evening, May 1, Cap and Bells will present "Capt. Racket," and on Friday evening, May 5, the combined musical clubs will give their program.

Dr. Howard has made a comparison of the physical statistics of the freshman class, as taken by Mr. Seeley last fall, with the requirements of the U. S. army. At the time of the examinations 82 men were of the necessary military age, of whom 67 satisfied the preliminary requirements as to weight, height, and chest capacity for infantry service, and 50 for the cavalry.

For May Night

A committee has been appointed by the senior class, consisting of Davenport, chairman, Pratt and Taber, to report to the class on the advisability of having a May night celebration, and the program for the celebration, in case it shall be considered advisable. The committee will report immediately after the Easter vacation.

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U. of P. Tomorrow

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Villanova team. On Tuesday, Lawreneeville will be Williams' opponent, and, coming north that night, on Wednesday, April 26, the last game of the trip will be played with Brown at Providence. The team will reach Williamstown again Wednesday night.

The following men will be taken on the trip: McCarty, Nesbitt, Wadsworth 1905; Hogan, Neild, Westervelt 1906; Ford, Warren 1907; Bonham, Harman, Osterhout 1908. In tomorrow's game with Pennsylvania the teams will line up as follows:

Williams.	Pennsylvania.
McCarty, c	Webb, Schuler, 3
Bonham. 2	Fennell, r
Nesbitt, s	Cariss, 2
Westervelt, m	Myers, 1
Hogan, l	Johnson, s
Neild, 3	Weeks, Webb, m
Warren , r	Ziegler, l
Harman, 1	Hare, c
Wadsworth, p	Brady, Crimean, p

Record of Southern Teams

Univ. of Pa. 9, Gettysburg 6.
Univ. of Pa. 2, Univ. of Va. 3.
Georgetown 11, Villanova 10.
Georgetown 5, Univ. of Pa. 0.
Univ. of Pa. 3, Ursinus 4.
Georgetown 11, Univ. of Pa. 6.
Univ. of Pa. 14, Dickinson 5.
Univ. of Pa. 8, Lehigh 1.

Brown's Record

Brown 12, Coll. City N. Y. 0.
Brown 3, Yale 6.
Brown 0, Princeton 1.

Columbia's Record

Columbia 25, Polytechnic 0.
Columbia 14, Xavier A. C. 5.
Columbia 1, Yale 2.

Cathedral Views

A second set of pictures, illustrating the French Gothic style of architecture, has been placed by the art department in the frame on the second floor hallway of Hopkins. The photographs, mostly of cathedrals, show numerous portals and interior views, besides views of the entire cathedrals. Among the cathedrals represented are Evreux, Nayon, the beautiful Soissons and Rheims, and Chartres. Of especial interest is a cloister in Fontornault, with a stone ceiling in a style similar to that of the new chapel.

At University Club Banquet

Eight men from the glee club sang at a banquet of the Pittsfield University club, held at the Hotel Wendell, Pittsfield, Friday evening. The toastmaster was Joseph E. Peirson '83, and among the speakers were Hon. Marshall Wilcox '44, Harlan H. Ballard '74, and William A. Burns '97. President Flevel S. Luther of Trinity was the guest of honor.



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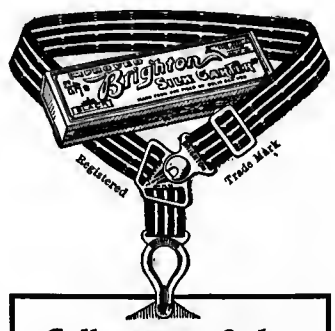
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COACH'S STATEMENT

Outlook for the Southern Trip—The Union Game

In commenting upon the development of the team, the southern trip and the Union game, Coach Dowd said last night:

"There isn't much more to be said about the team than what I stated in the last issue of The Record. The showing of the men at this time, in spite of the varied program we have been compelled to pursue on account of the inclement weather, is encouraging, and I feel sure that much of the unsteadiness which at present characterizes some of the men will be entirely obliterated when we return from the southern trip. Too much must not be expected of us on the trip south, however, for we are going up agninst teams that have had the benefit of the warm southern climate and of several regularly played games, and are at this time in midseason condition and playing form.

"Our first game with Union Saturday was satisfactory. The boys fielded and ran bases well and got into the plays in good shape. The hitting too was good, but unsteady, because the boys were overanxious and kept going after bad balls. Particular attention will be paid to this department of the game on the southern trip. The fielding of the team is very good and has only a few rough edges to be worn off. This will be easily accomplished as the boys play together.

"Young Harman at first has shown up excellently. He handles thrown balls easily and gracefully, is a hard and accurate thrower, and gets the ball awsy as quick as a flash. If his batting can be improved, he will make a valuable acquisition to the team. Bonham is showing up splendidly at second. He is strong in every department of the game, being remarkably active on his feet, handling ground balls very well, and a good thrower. He also takes a thrown ball well, and is quick in putting it on the runner. Nesbitt at short is playing finely. His atrong and accurate throwing assures me that he will do all that is required of him in this position. Neild is playing a steady game at third, and I look for him to hit better than ever before.

"The outfield will be taken care of by Hogan, Westervelt when he is not pitching, and Warren and Osterhout. Hogan and Westervelt are veterans, and can be counted on to do good work. Of the new men, Warren and Osterhout are both promising, and may develop into strong 'varsity timber. Warren looks especially strong. He covers lots of ground, handles fly and ground balls perfectly, has a very strong arm, and is one of the fastest men on the squad.

"In catchers, the team is strong. Captain McCarty is a tower of strength, and Waters will prove a capable understudy. The pitching staff is giving me more concern than I anticipated, Westervelt being the only man in condition. The bulk of the work will be done by him, and, I think, done well. Wadsworth and Ford are both suffering from soreness in the shoulder, but I look for the warm climate of the south to bring them round.

"Thus the main object of the southern trip will be to bring out speed, team-work, and batting ability, and to round the pitchers into form. This done, Williams need have no fear of any college team in the country."

Notice to Conditioned Students

In accordance with the vote of the Committe on Administration the examinations for the removal of conditions at the close of the Easter recess will begin on the afternoon of Tuesday, April 25, 1905.

The arrangement of the examinations will be as follows:

Tuesday, April 25.

2:30 p. m. Entrance History. Entrance Latin.

7:00 p. m. Entrance English. Entrance French.

Wednesday, April 26.

9:00 a. m. Entrance Greek. Entrance Mathematics.

College Economics 1, English 1, English 2, English 5 and English 12.

2:30 p. m. College Chemistry 1, History 1a, History 2, History 3, Mathematics 1, Mathematics 2, and Mathematics 3.

7:00 p. m. Extra work examination.

Thursday, April 27.

7:00 p. m. College French 1, French 2, French 3, and Italian Renaissance.

Friday, April 28.

7:00 p. m. College German 1, German 2, German 4, Greek 1 and Physics 1.

Saturday, April 29.

2:30 p. m. College Biology 2, Economics 3, Government 1, and Latin 1.

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The class graduated seventy-five members and of these gave to the world six doctors, ten teachers, nine merchants, ten ministers and twenty lawyers. The mayor of Lake Helen, Fla., the Superintendent of Schools of Poughkeepsie and three high school principals are members of the class.

The secretary, Talcott M. Banks of New York city, is planning big events for the class of '90, and says "Look out for squalls." He is aided by a committee composed of S. Vilas Beckwith, Bainbridge Colby, Arthur W. Francis, J. Osgood Nichols and Charles C. Nott, jr. The class will have a "headquarters tent, fireworks, sideshows, good cheer, etc., and will keep 'open house' from Saturday until Wednesday of Commencement week."

It was the class of '90, at its decennial in 1900, that first introduced into the quiet Berkshire valley such barbarous institutions as the brass band and parade. The secretary hopes to get together nearly two-thirds of his class, scattered through fifteen states, to "shake-up Williamstown." A banquet will be held Tuesday evening, June 20, at the Greylock, and from present indications it is safe to assume that when the class of '90 arrives, any quiet which may hitherto have pervaded Williamstown will be utterly dispelled.

NOTICES

—All library books must be returned by 12:30 Wednesday.

—All contributions for the May Lit. must be handed to some member of the board before Monday, May 1, at 6:00 p. m.

—A notice of the place of the Williams-Columbia game on April 29 will appear in Friday's issue of the New York Sun, April 28.

—About fifteen men will remain in Williamstown during the Easter vacation for daily track work. All men who are going to remain are requested to see Mr. Seeley tomorrow, in order to make arrangements for their training. All those men who are allowed to go home, are expected to take their suits and shoes with them, and to keep themselves in their present condition, by daily jogging and long walks.

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The twentieth annual Northfield student conference of the student association of Canada and the eastern states will be held at East Northfield, Mass., from June 30, to July 9, 1905. For many years Williams has been represented at Northfield, the delegation last spring numbering eighteen men, including alumni and subfreshmen. All who have attended the Northfield conference speak of the time spent there as most enjoyable.

The conference, though primarily for religious interests, has many other advantages, among which may be mentioned the contact with the best men in the eastern colleges and the general spirit of good-fellowship which pervades. It is by no means a place where problems are considered in a narrow, bigoted light but where they are presented by the ablest speakers in the broadest, most tolerant way.

That a spirit of utmost friendliness between the men of different colleges prevails is clearly shown by the way in which Independence Day is celebrated. All gather in the auditorium where the different college songs are sung and the cheers are given, then all rally round the bonfire for a genuine Fourth of July celebration. A tennis tournament and track meet, together with swimming and boating on the Connecticut, make Northfield an ideal place to spend a week of camping.

This year, as usual, there will be normal Bible classes designed to train leaders for the conduct of groups next year in each of the six courses most largely in use among students; also a normal class in personal work. Separate conferences on problems of student association work will be held for preparatory school, college, university and professional school representatives. For the first time in Northfield, there will be a class for the study of home opportunities and work, led by Mr. John Willis Baer. Not the least valuable feature will be the usual series of life-work meetings conducted by men of ability and experience.

The mornings are given up to business and the afternoons are left free to athletics and other recreations. Last year the baseball team representing Williams won its way into the semi-finals of the tournament by defeating Amherst and Princeton.

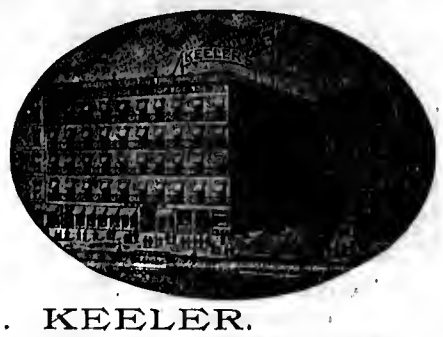
Among the speakers who have already promised to be present are: Mr. Robert E. Speer of New York city, Rev. G. Campbell Morgan of London, England, and Mr. John R. Mott, who will preside.

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WESLEYAN WEDNESDAY

Williams Meets Red and Black on Weston Field—The Line-up

Williams' first important home game of the season will take place with Wesleyan on Weston field, Wednesday, May 3, at 2:30 p. m. The teams will line up as follows:

Williams.	Wesleyan.
McCarty, c	Anderson, ss
Bonham, 2b	Bristol, 3b
Nesbitt, ss	Monroe, p
Westervelt, rf	Morgan, cf
Hogan, lf	Haley, 1b
Neild, 3b	Clark, rf
Warren, cf	Smith, 2b
Harman, 1b	Day, c
Wadsworth, p	Campaigne, lf

Wesleyan's Record

Wesleyan 3, Holy Cross 9.
Wesleyan 8, N. Y. U. 4.
Wesleyan 9, M. A. C. 2.
Wesleyan 15, R. I. Coll. 3.
Wesleyan 1, Princeton 5.
Wesleyan 5, Rutgers 2.
Wesleyan 19, N. Y. U. 0
Wesleyan 4, Union 8.

Rain Interrupts Tennis Match at Springfield

Rain interfered with the Williams-Springfield tennis match on Saturday and only three of the six scheduled matches were finished. All of the three were in singles and gave two victories to the Williams team, while the third was taken by the Country club representative. But one match in doubles was started, Williams winning the first set.

The first match was between Northrop 1905 and P. L. Miller of the country club; the Springfield man won after a hard three set match. In the second match between Smith 1906 and J. F. Miller, the local player started strongly but lost the deciding set after a close fight. Westcott 1908 also won his match after a hard struggle. The remaining match in the singles and the doubles were interrupted by the rain. The summary:

P. L. Miller, Country club, beat L. H. Northrop, Williams, 6-1, 5-7, 6-1.

Floyd Smith, Williams, beat J. F. Miller, Country club, 0-6, 6-2, 8-6.

P. N. Westcott, Williams, beat Dr. A. O. Lee, Country club, 8-6, 5-7, 6-4.

J. H. Newton, Country club, led H. W. Mellen, Williams, 6-1, 2-3 (unfinished).

Nothrop and Smith, Wiliams, led Miller brothers, Country club, 6—3 (unfinished).

Assistant Manager Basketball

At a meeting of the class of 1907 held Tuesday afternoon, April 18, William Sherman Winslow of Cold Spring, N. Y., was elected assistant manager of the Williams basketball team. Next year he will act as assistant manager and during his senior year will manage the team. He prepared at St. Luke's school, Wayne, Pa.

COLLEGE BUYS LAND

Purchase of Property on North Side of Main Street

During vacation the college purchased from the present owners the entire property on the north side of Main street from the Greylock hotel through to Park street, with the exception of the house owned by Mr. Bullock, at present the residence of Prof. George M. Wahl. The property includes, beginning at the west, the home of Dr. Mather, the Frank Mather place, the Woodbridge flats (better known as the Abbey) with the large piece of land in the rear extending to Dr. Bascom's property, all owned by the Woodbridge estate, and the large white house east of the Abbey, known as the Mather home place. The house and lot on the corner of Main and Park streets, formerly owned by the Woodbridge estate, were acquired some months ago. By this purchase the college now owns all the property on the north side of Main street, with the exception of the Congregational church and the Sigma Phi grounds, from the soldier's monument to Prof. Wahl's residence.

The purchase of this property was made possible only through the gift of a friend of the college, who retains for the present the lot adjoining Prof. Wahl's residence. The college was thus enabled to buy the property at a price which, in the judgment of the finance committee, made it an immediate paying investment. Neither the name of the friend of the college nor the amount paid for the property has been made public. The property is assessed at $17,000, but is valued by competent judges at about $35,000.

Next year the houses purchased will probably be rented to members of the faculty, although it is still possible that they may be retained as at present for student boarding houses. The house on the corner of Main and Park streets may be divided. Owing to the large extent of the Woodbridge property toward the north, it is possible that later a new street may be opened and new houses built, but the final disposal of the whole tract of land is uncertain.

Baseball Notice

A college meeting will be held in Jesup at 7:30 this evening for the purpose of electing a vice-president and assistant manager of the baseball association.

Herbert Barber Howe,
Manager.

THE SOUTHERN TRIP

Five Games Lost, Two in Extra Innings—Two Won, One Tied

The baseball nine spent the Easter vacation on a southern trip, playing eight games, three of which required extra innings to decide. Five games were lost, two won and one tied. At the last moment Manager Howe secured a game with Harvard at Philadelphia for Saturday, April 22, and the contest proved the best of the trip. The nine made an excellent showing against teams much further advanced in the season, Williams' batteries in particular comparing with those of the southern teams to the Purple's advantage. The fielding was clean, with an occasional tendency to unsteadiness; the batting timely but weak, though the pitchers faced were above the average.

U. of P. 6, Williams 5

Penn. was given "the best game seen on Franklin Field this year" on Tuesday, April 18. Wadsworth pitched fine ball after the third inning, while Brady was hit hard in the latter part of the game, four hits and two errors scoring the Purple five runs in the seventh. Nesbitt played finely at short, accepting eight chances without an error. The score:

		r	h	e
Williams,	0 0 0 0 0 0 5 0 0 0—5	10	5	
Penn.,	1 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—6	7	2	

Batteries: For Williams, Wadsworth and McCarty; for Penn., Brady and Hare.

Georgetown 8, Williams 5

At Washington, D. C., Wednesday the Purple could secure but two hits off Drennen of Georgetown in eight innings, but in the ninth combined two gifts with an error and three clean singles for five runs. Westervelt was wild and was hit hard. The score:

		r	h	e
Williams,	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5—5	5	6	
Georgetown,	1 0 4 0 1 1 0 1 x—8	9	4	

Batteries: For Williams, Westervelt and McCarty; for Georgetown, Drennen and Hart.

Williams 7, George Washington 7

Darkness put an end to Thursday's game with George Washington after eleven innings of fast play. A home run in the fourth retired Ford to the bench, and Westervelt was substituted. Williams retaliated by pounding Thomas, George Washington's pitcher, out of the box in the sixth. Wadsworth fielded brilliantly at right in the last four innings. The score:

		r	h	e
Williams,	0 1 0 0 1 3 0 0 2 0 0—7	10	4	
Geo. W.,	0 1 0 3 1 0 1 0 1 0 0—7	11	5	

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CALENDAR

MONDAY, MAY 1

7.30 p. m.—Election of sophomore assistant baseball manager, J. H.

8.00 p. m.—Cap and Bells presents "Capt. Racket" at the Richmond, North Adams.

TUESDAY, MAY 2

7.15 p. m.—Prof. Russell talks on "Dual Personality," 10 H. H.

7.30 p. m.—Cap and Bells meeting, J. H. Election of officers for 1905-6.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 3

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Wesleyan baseball game, Weston Field.

2.30 p. m.—1908—Pittsfield High School, Pittsfield.

2.30 p. m.—1906 drawing for rooms, 4 H. H.

7.30 p. m.—Meck trial, 4 G. H.

GARGOYLE GATE

Dedication of New Entrance to Weston Field on June 21

The dedication of the Gargoyle gate will take place at the entrance to Weston field Wednesday, June 21, at 2 p. m. The program is as follows:

Presiding officer, Gargoyle Felton Bent '95.

Oration—"Gargoyle," Gargoyle Edward Morgan Lewis '96.

Presentation Address, Gargoyle Herbert Barber Howe '05.

Address of acceptance on behalf of the college, President Hopkins.

Acceptance on behalf of the athletic council, Dr. Frank William Olds.

Work on the gate has gone ahead fast during vacation. The last of the stone-work has been put in place and the carpenters began on the wood-work Thursday. The frame-work for the roof is entirely completed. The stone walls from each side of the entrance to the street will not be built this year. Aiding in these plans for improving the entrance to the athletic field, the athletic council is at work grading just inside the gate. Perhaps the most noticeable improvement at present, however, is in the road in front of the gate. The road has been entirely dug up, and the substratum of clayey quicksand thoroughly drained and filled. The ground between the road and the gate has been covered to a depth of two inches with cinders, changing the former mud-hole to a firm, dry crossing.

No May Night

At a meeting of the senior class held in Jesup Friday at 1:30 p. m., the class voted to have no hazing on May night and to appropriate no money for the committee.

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The Southern Trip

The baseball team's southern trip was, on the whole, a disappointment. Five games lost out of eight played, and only two won, are sufficient to mark any trip as unsuccessful from a purely winning point of view. Yet the college has no reason to feel discouraged for the future of the nine. The trip accomplished its purpose, rounding the men into shape for success in the games nearer home, where victory counts more in determining the nine's ultimate intercollegiate standing.

The fact that the team lost to Pennsylvania and Harvard only after an extra inning, to Villanova by a single run, and exhibited marked improvement at the close by defeating Lawrenceville and Brown, is evidence that Captain McCarty's men were playing ball all the time. The Dickinson game was the slump which comes to every team sooner or later. Weather conditions offered little hindrance to good playing, but the grounds were, in several instances, either rough or undersized. On Franklin Field a short right field prevented another score for Williams.

It must be remembered that Georgetown, Harvard, Villanova and Pennsylvania are ranked among the fastest college teams in the country. The opposing pitchers were far above the average. With only one day on a good diamond before leaving for the south, the 'varsity met teams in the best of condition on their own grounds. To travel over 1400 miles in eight days and play two hours of baseball every afternoon is a test of endurance of the hardest sort. Considering these conditions, the team deserves the commendation of the college for its creditable work during the vacation.

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Sir:—In the old days debating interests used to be all important. Now we all know how sadly they need support.

Modifications of the constitution presented to the Philotechnian society at its last meeting will come before it for final action next Wednesday night at 7:15 at its rooms on the top floor of South College.

It seems needless to dilate on the advantages of debating. Alumni and faculty unite in giving it great emphasis; nor is it necessary to call attention to the prizes that fall to the proficient. We owe it to ourselves to be there.

Roy B. Smith.

Athletic Standing

Last Saturday's "Illustrated Sporting News" contains an interesting tabulation of the athletic records of the leading colleges and universities of the country as well as a table of the relative standing of the different educational institutions in each of thirteen athletic events, reckoning the best record as 1, the next best as 2, and so on. Pennsylvania heads the list, with the small total of 53, with Harvard, Yale and Princeton following in the order named. Williams stands seventeenth, with 255, followed by Dartmouth, with Amherst fourteenth. Williams' best showing is in the low hurdles, where only four colleges have better records.

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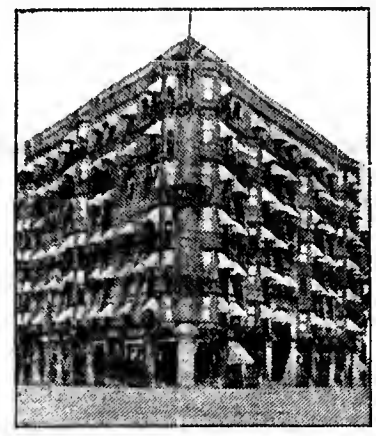
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Chapel Chimes

Mr. Chester Meneely of the Meneely Bell Co., of Troy, who cast the set of chimes in the tower of the Thompson Memorial Chapel, was in Williamstown Saturday afternoon to see to the adjusting of the chimes. Although perfectly tuned before leaving the factory, the bells were found to be slightly out of harmony, and will need a few weeks' use to become mellow. The bells were christened with "Old Hundred," "Dying Echoes" and "America" followe Several other tunes were played by Mr. Meneely in the course of his work, all going to show that the chimes can be used for almost any piece of music, however high or low it may run. D. M. Hill, '06 has been engaged to play the chimes.

ALUMNI NOTES

Ex-'57—Hon. Howard Kennedy died in Omaha, Neb., on Tuesday, April 18, aged seventy-three years. One of the pioneers of the state of Nebraska, Mr. Kennedy was prominent in its development. He was born in Lansingburgh, N. Y., in 1832, and entered Williams in the class of 1857. After leaving college, he conducted for a time an academy at Lebanon, N. Y. He went west in 1859, and settled in Nebraska, where he held important positions in the state government, and was connected with the Union Pacific railroad. Later Mr. Kennedy has become one of the board of investment of the Northern Life Insurance company, and a prominent banker in Omaha. His funeral took place in Omaha on April 20.

'67—Hamilton Wright Mabie has an important article. "The New North," in the South Atlantic Quarterly. In this article Mr. Mabie tells of the increasing feeling of friendship in the north for the south, and of the growing sentiment of admiration and sympathy for the heroes of the "lost cause."

Ex-'95—This evening will occur the wedding of Miss Clara Brown Peterson, and Henry Marks Nichols, at the home of the bride's parents in Lockport, N. Y. Mr. Nichols was a member of the class of 1859. He is now secretary and treasurer of a large produce company in St. Louis.

Ex-'01—Homer A. Bushnell will graduate at the seventy-fourth annual commencement of the Albany Medical college tomorrow.

Cap and Bells Entertains

The Dartmouth vaudeville, which plays at the Williamstown opera house Saturday evening, May 10, will be entertained by Cap and Bells during its stay in Williamstown. Immediately after the performance Cap and Bells will give the Dartmouth players a feed and smoker in the cellar of Bemis'.

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The Southern Trip

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Batteries: For Williams, Ford, Westervelt and McCarty; for George Washington, Holland, Thomas and Weber.

Dickinson 8, Williams 2

The poorest game on the trip was played against Dickinson the next day. Neither team could do much at the bat, but Dickinson won the game in the third, scoring seven runs on a gift, a hit by pitched ball, and two safe drives, one for two bases, assisted by errors at second and short, and a muff by Hogan. The score:

		r	h	e
Williams,	2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	5	6
Dickinson,	0 0 7 0 0 0 1 0 x	8	6	2

Batteries: For Williams, Wadsworth and McCarty; for Dickinson, Hall and Wolfe.

Harvard 5, Williams 3

The Williams-Harvard game was a great pitcher's battle, with honors even between Westervelt and Coburn. Though Coburn struck out 13 to Westervelt's 11, he passed seven men to first and contributed a wild pitch with men on second and third that brought two runs in the seventh. Harvard failed to get a hit for six innings. In the ninth inning, with one out and a Harvard man on second, Leonard hit a line drive towards left. Nesbitt turned, jumped and pulled the hit down with his bare hand, tossing it to Bonham for a sensational double play, saving the game for the moment. Harvard came up strong in the tenth, however, and won out on two hits and an error. The score:

		r	h	e
Williams,	0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0	3	6	7
Harvard,	0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 2	5	6	3

Batteries: For Williams, Westervelt and McCarty; for Harvard, Coburn and Stevenson.

Villanova 9, Williams 8

The Villanova game at Atlantic City Monday was characterized by hard hitting. The fielding of both teams was ragged, due in part to the cold. Williams bunched hits in the sixth and secured the lead, but Villanova in its half got the four runs back on an error, two singles and a triple. Westervelt made four singles. The score:

		r	h	e
Williams,	2 0 2 0 0 4 0 0 0	8	8	4
Villanova,	1 1 1 1 0 4 0 1 x	9	11	7

Batteries: For Williams, Wadsworth and McCarty, for Villanova, Sullivan and Mulgrow.

Williams 7, Lawrenceville 6

Timely hitting won the contest with Lawrenceville on Tuesday, a single and a triple by Nesbitt bringing in five runs. Lawrenceville hit Ford hard, making two triples and a home run. With one out in the ninth, a man on third, and a run to tie, Westervelt went into the box, struck out the next Lawrenceville man, and forced

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		r	h	e
Williams,	2 0 3 0 0 0 2 0 0	7	4	3
Lawrenceville,	4 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0	6	0	5

Batteries: For Williams, Ford, Westervelt and McCarty; for Lawrenceville, Heyniger and Pearson.

VICTORY OVER BROWN

Williams Wins at Providence 5 to 2—Brown Fields Poorly

The Purple was victorious over Brown at Providence Wednesday, by a score of 5 to 2, in a game marked by weak hitting. Tift, Brown's left-handed star, pitched an excellent game, striking out 11 men, and holding Williams to three hits, which, however, came when most needed. Westervelt was an enigma to the Providence team and was well supported, Warren in particular fielding well.

With two out and Bonham on first in the third, Westervelt cracked a clean hit to center. Pryor let it roll through him and Bonham scored. In the fifth, after McCarty and Bonham had been passed to first, with two out, Westervelt hit to Dickinson who threw high and McCarty scored. A timely double by Hogan scored two more runs, and on Graham's poor handling of the ball Hogan scored Williams' last tally. A wild throw by Westervelt let in Brown's first run, and two singles and Bonham's poor throw the second. The score:

WILLIAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty c.	2	1	1	5	1	0
Bonham 2b,	3	2	0	2	3	1
Nesbitt ss,	4	0	0	1	3	1
Westervelt p.	4	1	1	0	4	1
Hogan lf.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Neild 3b,	4	0	0	1	0	0
Warren cf.	3	0	0	4	0	0
Harman 1b,	3	0	0	13	0	0
Wadsworth rf,	3	0	0	1	0	0
Total	30	5	3	27	11	3

BROWN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Hamilton 3b.	5	0	0	1	0	0
Hoye 1b.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Tift p.	4	1	0	0	3	0
Paine c,	3	1	1	13	1	0
Dickinson 2b,	3	0	1	4	2	3
Thomas 1b.	3	0	1	7	0	0
Jones ss.	4	0	1	1	2	0
Pryor cf.	1	0	0	0	0	1
Sweeney cf,	3	0	1	0	0	0
Graham rf,	3	0	1	1	0	1
Total	33	2	6	27	8	5

Williams, 0 0 1 0 4 0 0 0 0—5
Brown. 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—2

Two-base hit, Hogan. Stolen bases, Bonham, Tift, Jones. Bases on balls, off Tift 4, off Westervelt 3. Struck out, by Tift 11, by Westervelt 4. Hit by pitched ball, Thomas, Graham. Umpire, McAleer. Time, 1 hr. 45 m.

H. T. Beach 1907, has been elected captain of the Amherst basketball team for next season. Beach has played at forward for two years on the team, and is shortstop on the baseball nine.

Glaze, Dartmouth's veteran pitcher, shut Tufts out without run or hit on Wednesday, April 19.



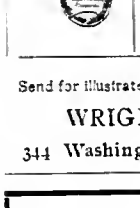
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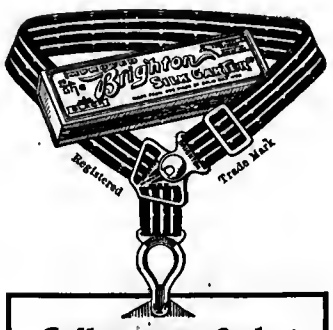
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Cap and Bells at Albany

On Thursday, April 27, Cap and Bells presented "Capt. Racket" at the Empire theatre, Albany, N. Y., before a large audience. The cast was the same as in Williamstown, Botsford '06 playing the part of Obadiah Dawson in place of Everitt '05. The college orchestra, which was to have played, was unable to be present. After the performance the members of the cast attended a smoker of the Alumni association of Northern New York at the Fort Orange club.

The patronesses were: Mrs. Frank W. Higgins, Mrs. Albert V. Benson, Mrs. Edgar C. Leonard, Mrs. Frederick J. Cox, Mrs. Walter McEwan, Mrs. Edward G. Cox, Mrs. Douglas W. Olcott, Mrs. Clifford D. Gregory, Mrs. A. P. Palmer, Jr., Mrs. Samuel S. Hatt, Mrs. E. DeLancy Palmer, Mrs. William H. Hollister, Jr., Mrs. William P. Rudd, Mrs. Edward R. Hun, Mrs. Geo. H. Thacher, Mrs. Marcus T. Hun, Mrs. Franklin Townsend, Mrs. James M. Ide, Mrs. Geo. B. Wellington, Miss Anna L. Leach, Mrs. Thomas Woods, Mrs. Richard B. Leake, Mrs. Samuel C. Wooster.

Drawing For Rooms

Saturday was the last day for occupants to retain their present dormitory rooms for next year. The drawing of lots for rooms will be as follows: The class of 1906 at 2 p. m. Wednesday, May 3; 1907 at 2 p. m. Saturday, May 6; and 1908 at 2 p. m. Wednesday, May 10. Members of 1906 and 1907 rooming together will draw between May 3 and May 6, 1907 and 1908 between May 6 and May 10, 1908 and 1909 immediately after May 10.

Revised room rentals for all dormitories are posted in Hopkins.

Interclass Baseball

The following schedule for the inter-class baseball series has been arranged:

Wed., May 3—1905-1906.
Thu., May 4—1907-1908.
Sat., May 6—1906-1907.
Wed., May 10—1905-1907.
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Fri., May 12—1905-1908.
Tue., May 16—1905-1906.
Wed., May 17—1907-1908.
Sat., May 20—1905-1907.
Wed., May 24—1906-1907.
Thu., May 25—1905-1908.
Fri., May 26—1906-1908.

Before the Y. M. C. A.

Dr. Hamilton S. Conant, secretary of the Massachusetts Sunday school Association, delivered an address on "College co-operation in religious education through the Bible school," before the Y. M. C. A. in Jesup Hall last evening. Dr. Conant dwelt upon the great importance of the Sunday school, first as being practically the only source of religious instruction today, and second, as being by far the most important source of additions to the church—since, by actual statistics, between 75 and 80 per cent of accessions to the church by confesssion of faith come from the Sunday school. The interdenominational Sunday school associations are doing a great work in increasing the utility of Sunday schools and Bible classes, by means of conferences, to increase the ability of instructors and teachers. This is accomplished by appealing directly to college men and women to devote some of their time to religious instruction in Bible and Sunday school work.

Offical Batting Averages

	games	ab	h	r	ba
Nesbitt, ss	9	38	11	6	.289
Hogan, lf	9	34	9	3	.265
Ford, p	2	4	1	2	.250
Wes'velt, p, rf	9	38	9	4	.237
Neild, 3b,	9	40	8	5	.200
Bonham, 2b	9	33	6	10	.182
McCarty, c	9	30	5	12	.167
Wads'th, p, rf	8	22	3	1	.136
Harman, 1b	9	36	4	5	.111
Warren, cf	9	36	3	5	.083
Osterhout, rf	3	7	0	2	.000

Official Fielding Averages

	games	po	a	e	fa
McCarty, c	9	54	13	1	.985
Harman, 1b	9	107	0	2	.982
Wads'th, p, rf	8	4	16	2	.909
Warren, cf	9	20	0	2	.909
Nesbitt, ss	9	18	24	9	.824
Hogan, lf	9	14	0	3	.824
Bonham, 2b	9	14	20	8	.810
Wes'velt, p, rf	9	5	14	5	.792
Neild, 3b	9	6	16	7	.759
Ford, p	2	0	2	3	.400
Osterhout, rf	3	0	0	0	.000

Track Election

Notice is hereby given that a college meeting will be held in Jesup Hall on Monday, May 8 at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of electing a vice-president and assistant manager of the track and field association.

Clarence J. Goodwillie,
Manager.

COLLEGE NOTES

Cullinan '01 was in town last week.

Labbé '04 and Brown '03 were in town last week.

Track training table will begin Tuesday.

The first meeting of the new Lit. board will be held tonight.

Only eleven men, including the manager and coach were taken on the New York trip.

The Lit. prizes of $10 and $5 have been awarded to Dutton '07 and Morgan '06, respectively.

The rooms in the west end of Morgan are completed and again ready for occupancy.

Dr. Bascom has a leading article in the April "Bibliotheca Sacra," entitled "Economics and Ethics."

Edwards '05, who has been ill with measles at his home in Troy, returned to college this afternoon.

Slattery '08 has returned to college after an extended absence caused by scarlet fever.

Stocking '05 has been appointed temporary captain of the second baseball team.

The Williams-Columbia game, to have been played at Columbia Oval, 210th St., New York city, was cancelled on account of rain.

The last issue of "The Illustrated Sporting News" contains Capt. Newell's picture and the list of Williams records.

Prof. Wild and Asst. Prof. Perry were two of the three judges at the annual High school oratorical contest, held in High school hall Friday night.

Prof. Russell gave the first of a series of faculty talks to the seniors in 4 Hopkins Hall yesterday afternoon. His subject was "Ideals."

Dr. Hopkins addressed the students at Worcester academy, Worcester, Mass., Saturday evening, and preached before the Middlesex school, Concord, N. H., yesterday.

The course of eleven lectures in hygiene, required of the freshman class, began Friday. The classes meet in the lecture room of the biological laboratory Monday and Friday mornings.

The junior class has elected Cowperthwait class baseball manager, and C. Hills, Peters and Wooster a committee to arrange for the class supper. A favorable report of the Gul. was made.

A mock trial will be given by the Philologian and Philotechnian debating societies Wednesday evening, in 4 Griffin hall. The defendant is accused of setting fire to Morgan Hall.

The Y. M. C. A. has recently sent letters to the principals of high schools and academies within a radius of a hundred miles, announcing the active entrance of Williams into undergaduate deputation work.

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At the annual meeting of the Berkshire district of the Massachusetts Sunday school teachers association, held in the Congregational church this afternoon, Dr. Hamilton S. Conant, who addressed the Y. M. C. A. meeting last evening, spoke on "The summer school." Herbert B. Clark '03 took for his subject "Everybody's class."

The library has just secured, through the gift of the author, a complete set of Dr. J. L. Kellogg's published monographs, four of the seven being included in the publications of the U. S. Fish commission, two bulletins of the New York State museum and one a publication of the gulf biological station of the Louisiana state board of agriculture.

Dr. Bascom preached in the college chapel Sunday, taking as his subject "Thy kingdom come." The sermon was the third of a series of sermons Dr. Bascom is preparing on the Lord's prayer. The sermon on "Our Father who art in Heaven" was given in the Congregational church last year, and the one on "Hallowed be Thy name," before the college on Sunday, March 26.

NOTICES

—Record board 7:15 p. m., press room.

—Entries for Philologian Wesleyan preliminary debates close Wednesday, May 3.

—Meeting of the senior prom. committee tomorrow at 1:30 p. m. in Jesup hall.

—College meeting tonight 7:30 to elect assistant baseball manager from sophomore class.

Musical Clubs at Troy

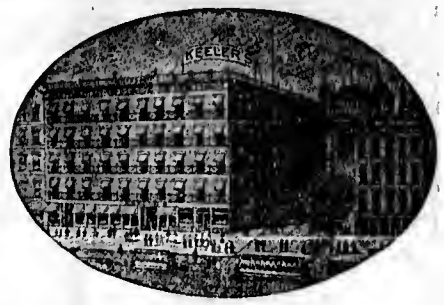
The combined glee and mandolin clubs will give a concert at Harmony hall, corner of River and Third streets, in Troy, on Wednesday evening, May 10, from 8:15 to 10:00. The program will be practically the same as at the New York concert. A reception will be given by the patronesses, with dancing from 10:00 to 2:00. Rubens' orchestra will furnish the music.

Freshmen Oratoricals

As a result of the final preliminary trials for the freshman oratoricals held Saturday evening, the following men have been selected: George Edgar Hite, 2nd., John Herman Fischer, Arthur Beach King, Bernard Westermann, John Henry Williams, and Roy Stanley Corwin. The judges were Mr. E Herbert Botsford, Mr. Northup and Dr. Wetmore

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COMMENCEMENT EVENTS

Revised Program for the Week—Reception to Pres. Roosevelt.

The program for the events of commencement week has been completed and it is given below in its revised form. The date for an address to be delivered by Dr. Washington Gladden has not been fixed upon. This year in place of the customary President's reception a reception to President Roosevelt will be given. The program follows:

SATURDAY, June 17, 8 p. m., Graves prize speaking contest, Congregational church.

SUNDAY. June 18, 11 a. m., Baccalaureate sermon, Congregational church.
4:30 p. m., Mission Park meeting, conducted by Dr. Robert Russell Booth '49.

MONDAY, June 19, 10 a. m., Dramatics, Williamstown Opera house.
7:30 p. m., Prize rhetoricals.
8:45 p. m., Glee club concert on the library campus.

TUESDAY, June 20, 10 a. m., Meeting of the Society of the Alumni, old chapel.
2 p. m., Class day exercises.

WEDNESDAY, June 21, 11 a. m., Dedication of the Thompson Memorial Chapel.
2 p. m., Dedication of the Gargoyle Gate, Weston Field.
3 p. m., Baseball, Alumni vs. Williams.
4:30 p. m., Musical service, with organ recital, Thompson Memorial Chapel.
9:30 p. m., Reception to President Roosevelt, Griffin Hall.

THURSDAY, June 22, 11 a. m., Commencement exercises in the Congregational church.
12 m., Alumni dinner in Lasell Gymnasium.

FRIDAY, June 23, 10 p. m., Senior banquet at the Greylock.

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Abraham Van Wyck Van Vechten, of New York city, one of the six surviving members of the class of 1847, will be present at Commencement in June. Mr. Van Vechten will witness all the events of the week, arriving on Saturday, June 17, and remaining through Thursday, June 22. While here he will be the guest of the class of 1850, at the Manix house. Mr. Van Vechten is the founder of the annual Van Vechten prize speaking contest, and since his graduation fifty-eight years ago, has shown an active interest in the welfare of the college.

Amherst's Record

Amherst 1, Williston 2.
Amherst 1, Holyoke (league) 7.
Amherst 10, Sp'gfield (league) 5.
Amherst 4, Harvard 3.
Amherst 3, Colby 2.
Amherst 0, Dartmouth 2.

BASEBALL ELECTION

Eugene M. Hoyne 1907 Elected Second Assistant Manager

At a college meeting held Monday evening, Eugene Maclay Hoyne 1907 of Chicago, Ill., was elected sophomore assistant baseball manager, and will manage the 'varsity nine in 1907. He prepared for college at Lake Forest Academy at Lake Forest, Ill. During his freshman year at Williams Hoyne was class president, played right halfback on the class



EUGENE MACLAY HOYNE 1907

football team and first base on the class baseball team. Sophomore year he was substitute halfback on the 'varsity and quarterback on the class eleven.

TENNIS SCHEDULE

Amherst at Williamstown May 13—Faculty Next Wednesday

The tennis schedule of this year is not entirely completed as yet but the chief point of interest is that a dual meet will take place with Amherst at Williamstown on May 13. Owing to the fact that rain interrupted the match with the Springfield Country club last Saturday, another date will probably be arranged with the same team. The schedule follows:

May 10, Williams faculty at Williamstown.

May 13, Amherst at Williamstown.

May 26-27, Triangular tournament at Williamstown.

May 29-31, New England Intercollegiate Championship at Longwood.

The two new tennis courts have been finished and were opened for play yesterday. These courts are under the control of the tennis association and are open only to members of the association. Any one desiring to join can do so by applying to Austin '05, and paying the membership fee of $2.00.

TOO MANY ERRORS

Wesleyan Defeated in Poor Fielding Game.

"You're a-out," shouted a crouching figure halfway up the path between pitcher and home, motioning Anderson towards the Wesleyan bench. From that time on as accurate and comical an umpire as Kelley of bat-decision fame ruled with authority unquestioned. Williams defeated Wesleyan yesterday afternoon on Weston field 14-3. The game, unfortunately, was not so good as the umpire, though some of the fielding was surely as eccentric. Ragged play was curiously combined with professional perfection. A nice stop by Harman in the first, a catch by Bonham of a pop almost in foul territory, and a line fly picked out of the grass by Hogan, featured Williams' work, while Haley excelled for Wesleyan. Nesbitt stole four bases.

Williams began well, tallying twice on gifts to Bonham and Nesbitt, an error by the pitcher, a clever double steal that brought Bonham home, and a single by Westervelt. Clark remained somewhat of a mystery until the fifth, and in the sixth four Wesleyan errors and three Williams hits produced five runs. A homer by Westervelt, and a three-bagger by Wadsworth made runs and enthusiasm. Neild hit the ball hard and often. Wesleyan made timely hits off Wadsworth in the last two innings and scored three times.

The summary:

WILLIAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty c,	6	1	0	7	1	0
Bonham 2b,	5	1	0	1	1	2
Nesbitt ss,	4	4	2	2	1	0
Westervelt p, rf	5	2	3	3	3	0
Hogan lf,	5	1	0	2	0	1
Neild 3b,	5	1	3	0	0	0
Warren cf,	4	2	2	2	0	0
Harman 1b,	4	0	0	8	1	1
Wadsworth rf, p	5	2	2	2	1	1
	43	14	12	27	8	5

WESLEYAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Anderson ss,	5	1	2	2	1	3
Bristol 3b,	5	0	0	1	2	1
Monroe rf,	4	0	1	3	0	0
Morgan cf,	4	0	0	1	0	0
Haley 1b,	2	0	0	8	0	0
Clark p,	4	0	0	1	1	2
Smith 2b,	3	1	1	3	3	2
Day c,	3	0	1	5	2	1
Campaigne lf,	2	0	0	0	0	2
Hancock lf,	2	1	0	0	0	1
	34	3	5	24	8	12

Williams—2 0 0 1 2 5 2 2 x—14
Wesleyan—0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 2—3

Two-base hits, Neild, Anderson. Three-base hits, Neild, Wadsworth. Home run, Westervelt. Stolen bases, Bonham, Nesbitt 4, Warren 2, Harman, Smith. Base on balls, off Westervelt 2, off Wadsworth 1, off Clark 4. Hit by pitched ball Haley. Struck out, by Westervelt 5, by Clark 4. Double play, Smith and Haley. Umpire, Hossett. Time, 1 hr. 50 min.

CALENDAR

FRIDAY, MAY 5

8.00 p. m.—Musical clubs concert, The Richmond, North Adams.

8.15 p. m.—Cap and Bells presents "Capt. Racket", Carnegie Lyceum, N. Y. City.

SATURDAY, MAY 6

2.00 p. m.—Trials for Dartmouth meet, Weston Field.

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Amherst baseball game, Pratt Field, Amherst.

2.30 p. m.—Williams 2d-Mt. Pleasant Academy, Weston Field.

2.30 p. m.—1908-Albany Collegiates, old campus.

4. 30 p. m.—1906-1907, old campus.

SUNDAY, MAY 7

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Prof. Russell preaches.

11.30 a. m.—Bible-classes, J. H.

7.30 a. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Talks on Northfield.

MONDAY, MAY 8

7.30 p. m.—College meeting, election sophomore asst. track manager, and debating manager from junior class, J. H.

THE AMHERST GAME

Williams Meets Purple and White on Pratt Field Saturday

Williams meets Amherst for the first time in baseball this year on Pratt Field, Amherst, next Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Manager Howe has made arrangements for 80 or more men to leave Williamstown Friday or Saturday and return Saturday, the special rate to Northampton and return being $2.42. Fare from Northampton to Amherst and return is $ .20 and admission to the game $ .50. The baseball squad will leave Williamstown Saturday morning at 9:35. Batting order for both teams follows:

Williams—McCarty c, Bonham 2b, Nesbitt ss, Westervelt p, Hogan lf, Neild 3b, Warren cf, Harman, 1b, Wadsworth, rf.

Amherst—Wheeler cf, Palma 1b, Storke 3b, Beach ss, Shattuck rf, Powell lf, Kelliher 2b, Danahey c, McRae p.

For Hospital Benefit.

As the first of the series of entertainments given this week for the benefit of the North Adams hospital, Cap and Bells presented "Capt. Racket" at the Richmond theatre Monday evening. The affair was under the auspices of the North Adams Methodist church and though this was the second presentation of the play at that theatre this season, there was a large and appreciative audience. The parts were taken with a greater degree of ease and naturalness than at any previous presentation.

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The Northfield Conference

On June 28, at East Northfield, Mass., the annual Student Conference for colleges of this section will begin. At this time about 700 men from all the eastern colleges will be there for ten days, chiefly to hear notable speakers from this country and abroad.

There are three classes of men who attend these conferences: First, those men who expect to gain some definite training and inspiration for the college Y. M. C. A. work in the fall; second, those who come merely because they are desirous of hearing and meeting the famous men who are there; third, those with no particular religious purpose who desire mainly to spend ten days in recreation, with the added opportunity of becoming acquainted with fine men from other colleges

For all three classes there is ample opportunity given to gratify their desires. In the various training classes led by experts, men are prepared to conduct their college association work. From the auditorium addresses by eminent men, everyone gains some replenishment of his stock of spiritual life. The speakers are all able and of wide reputation, and in the afternoons devoted entirely to pleasure-seeking—as well as from the rest of the time in all of which each delegate may do what he pleases—the idle joy of recreation is liberal. But, more important still, the fellowship is wide-spread, easy, and the opportunity of knowing those whom he chooses is open to every man who attends the conference.

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The season of baseball games and track meets has begun. Williams has some rare opportunities this year, but with them are some harder problems to solve. What we need on Weston Field this spring is not desultory, faint-sounding singing, but tones full, strong and in unison, that will do justice to the songs of Williams, at the same time inspiring every one of her athletes to renewed effort for the college. Princeton's glorious "Old Nassau" suggests itself to us at once. How often has "Three cheers for old Nassau" stemmed the tide! Yet Williams has songs its equal in music and words. Are we giving to "The Mountains" its due? Is it for Williams we sing in "The Royal Purple?"—"the spirited words and entrancing music" of which *The Dartmouth* has generously said "dwell in the memory" and "have feeling in them." If the singing has not been what it should be, the fault lies with the college. A leader's enthusiasm is contagious only to a certain degree. He must have the men with him in sympathy and spirit.

The cheering deserves far greater criticism, for of late it has been deplorably weak. Cheering is needed *all the time*, from the minute a team reaches the field until it leaves. Nor can too much stress be laid on organization. Instead of two leaders, a student body the size of Williams should have four, with whom concerted action and constant practice in their duties should be the basis of securing the kind of cheering Williams lacks.

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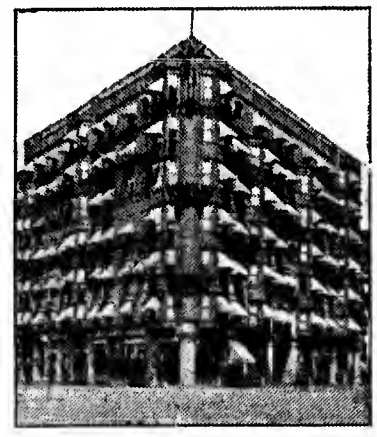
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Favorable Comment on Current Number by Dr. G. D. Kellogg

"A breath of Spring steals o'er my wearied sense."

It gives the reviewer pleasure to say at the outset that the current number of the Lit. contains material of real literary merit and of more than usual interest. At first glance the table of contents boded a line of Spring novelties in verse and prose: "March Twilight," "An April Evening," "In Early Spring," "A Song of Summer," but the quality soon allayed suspicion.

The writer of "Macdonald's Bridge" has handled an essentially melodramatic theme with dignity and grace, and like a true artist has known where to stay his hand. It might be an experiment worth his while to work over the material into a poem in the stirring style of Scott.

"An Old Pine by the Sea" by the same contributor is without cavil an excellent poem. There is not a bad line in it. The sublimity of the conception, and the boldness of the personification in the first stanza are heightened by the gentle droop of the second, where the metaphor of the Aeolian harp and a touch of true pathos in the closing question give an air of pervasive calm, while in the *envoi* there is a return to the clear note of the beginning.

In "March Twilight" we have a pleasing study in color and sound effects with perhaps unconscious alternation of appeal to the sense of touch. The verse is musical; the thought, on the whole, sustained, although the third strophe is somewhat frigid. The closing lines are clever and quotable.

The Sonnet, "An April Evening," has a rather commonplace opening. The phrase "flow'rs which, in green prisons prest, await bright May," haunts the memory. Certainly these verses of the sestet strike a sympathetic chord:

"A breath of Spring steals o'er
my wearied sense
Presaging rustling trees and velvet
lawns,
Long ebbing days of drowsy indolence
And sparkling splendors of cool,
radiant dawns."

The leading contribution is a three act farce written in collaboration. It is an amusing but improbable study in bad manners. The far-fetched plot is not clearly motivated, is abruptly revealed, and carried through with uncertainty. At the end we are not sure whether it is the "Lady or the Tiger." Farrington Ford is evidently an unmannerly, cowardly cad, but that fact does not excuse the vain and good-looking Wainright who despises him, for exasperating him in the presence

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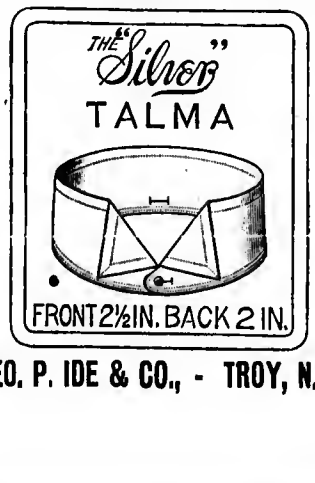
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of his Prom girl. It was Ford's duty to arrange her dance-card and he had graciously included Wainright who was going "stag," presumably. That the latter should force a second dance from Ford by getting the girl to ask for it, was selfish and no wonder Ford gave reluctant consent. So revenge was in order. At a "Special Session" of the "Senate" it is planned to kidnap Ford before the dance—"a low trick" as Wainright himself admitted later. And it succeeded—five or six husky "senators" against one poor coward! Accordingly Wainright takes the girl to the Prom, where he finally owns up to the "trick" and is apparently turned down.

There are three readable stories. "The Election at Hanover; a Story of Reconstruction Days" is well written and has few ear-marks of the amateur, except in the somewhat monotonous handling of the dialogue. "When the Sheriff Nodded" is a capital story of a raid on a Kentucky still. Neither the dialect nor the local color suggests Kentucky—but as there is no Rolfe county, we can let it pass. The mountain districts of Kentucky afford abundant material for character studies.

Among the "Suggestions" are a love lyric by a freshman, and a story, too diffuse even for a fish-story. "Sanctum" discusses college shams fairly and sincerely. "Chat" philosophizes on "chatting" and closes with a charming epigram.

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The seniors defeated the juniors 5 to 3 in the opening game of the inter-class baseball series yesterday afternoon on Weston Field. The juniors led up to the fifth inning when timely stick work, clever base running and a costly error netted three runs for the senior team, deciding the game. The score by innings:

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1905	1 0 1 0 3 x	5	4	2
1906	2 1 0 0 0 0	3	3	3

Batteries: 1905, Mills and Northrop; 1906, Bassett and Bates. Umpire, Watson 1905.

Freshmen Defeated

The Pittsfield High school nine defeated the freshman team Wednesday afternoon by a score of 18 to 10. The game was lost in the first three innings, but for the rest of the game the freshmen played fairly well. Gillett was hit freely. Curtain of Pittsfield struck out eleven men. The score by innings:

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COLLEGE NOTES

T. D. Williams '08 of Haverford, Penn., has left college.

Cowell was elected captain of the 1906 baseball team, Tuesday.

Sheppard '91 and Haynes '02 were in town yesterday.

Hagan '01 was here the first of the week.

Reid '08 is at the infirmary with measles.

H. G. Brown '04 is at the infirmary.

Eighteen essays have been handed in for the Graves prize contest.

Fay '07 has been ill with bronchitis at his home in Auburn.

Chapman '07 has been home with the measles.

The younger members of the faculty had a dance in the Adams block Saturday night.

Dr. Bascom will address the seniors in 4 Hopkins hall Sunday afternoon.

The musical clubs will give a concert in the Richmond tomorrow night for the benefit of the North Adams hospital.

During vacation Dr. Cleland took a party from the University of Rochester on a geology trip to the district around Syracuse.

The mock trial, which was to have been held last evening in Griffin Hall, has been postponed until next Wednesday.

Charles L. Goodrich '85, has recently presented to the library a book written by himself, entitled "The First Book of Farming."

The preliminary track meet, to determine the men to participate in the Dartmouth meet on May 13, will be held Saturday on Weston field.

The Lit. board, in the April number, renewed the custom which has been extinct for some years, of publishing an index to the Lit. volume.

An opportunity will be given to all those attending the Amherst game to hear Henry James lecture on Balzac Saturday evening at Northampton.

Track training table started at the Greylock hotel this morning with the following men: Newell, Crooker, Stocking 1905; Griswold 1906; A. M. Brown, M. Brown, Hurlbut, Leavitt, Winslow 1907; LaMent 1908. Further additions will be made during the week and other men may be taken on at any time.

'Technian Amendments

At the regular meeting of the Philotechnian society held last evening several additions and amendments to the constitution and by-laws were adopted. The most important change related to penalties for failure to keep appointments. Henceforth the roll is to be called at each meeting, and those absent from four consecutive meetings are to be dropped.



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The gift with the above conditions has been accepted by the athletic council, and the cup, which it is expected will soon be put on exhibition, will be awarded for the first time this year.

Dual Personality

Last Tuesday evening Prof. Russell delivered another of his series of lectures, taking as his theme a phase of dual personality, illustrated by a number of well authenticated instances in which people have lapsed from one mental condition to another, sometimes remembering their former state, and sometimes totally oblivious to it. This proved to be one of the most interesting so far delivered. Next week another phase of the same subject will be treated—cases in which the two different natures have become blended together.

Geological Trip

Weather permitting, Dr. Cleland and fifteen members of the geology classes will leave tomorrow night for a trip to Helderberg mountain, in Albany county, N. Y. The party will spend Friday night in Albany and will leave early Saturday morning for Voorheesville. From there they will take a fifteen mile drive to the mountain. This is one of the richest geological fields in the United States and offers unusual opportunities for the study of fossils. The party will spend the day there, returning to Williamstown late Saturday night.

The secretary of the class of 1890 has announced a change in the original plans for the reunion banquet, which will be held at the Wilson House in North Adams on June 20, instead of the Greylock Hotel.



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The musical clubs will give a concert, but the date has not yet been decided upon. Two championship baseball games will be played during Prom. time. On May 27 Williams meets Wesleyan and on Decoration Day the Amherst game will be played.

For the Sercomb Cup

At a meeting of the Gun club held last Tuesday, the conditions governing the handicap shoot for the Sercomb cup were definitely decided upon. To be eligible for the contest, a man must be a member of the club, and must have shot at fifty targets, at least, in order that his handicap may be fairly determined.

The preliminary shoots will be held on May 6 and May 10. The contest itself will be held on Saturday May 20 and Wednesday, May 24, twenty-five targets being shot at each day. Handicapping will be by distance, and the cup will not be awarded in case there are less than ten competitors.

At the same meeting, Fitch '06 was elected secretary-treasurer for the coming year.

Cap and Bells Elections

At a meeting of Cap and Bells on Tuesday evening the following officers were elected: President, Botsford; executive committee, Jaeckel, Fleischmann, Botsford, and C. Hills ex-officio. Hill 1907 was elected assistant business manager and Chapman 1907 assistant stage manager.

NOTICES

—Cap and Bells presents "Captain Racket" at Carnegie Lyceum, 57th St. and 7th Ave., New York city, tomorrow evening, at 8:15.

—At the Y. M. C. A. meeting next Sunday night the association conference, held the first week of July at Northfield, Mass., will be discussed informally.

—A union prayer meeting of all the classes in Jesup hall Friday at 7:15 p. m., under the auspices of 1907; McCleary, leader. The faculty are cordially requested to attend. Topic: "God's Majesty," Psalms 93.

—The Boston Hearld, speaking of the Dartmouth Vaudeville company which is to appear here next Wednesday night, says: "The Dartmouth performers gave a show which would discount many of the sketches put on at Keith's."

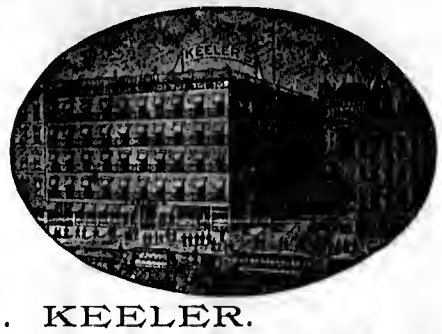
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LOST IN THE EIGHTH

Williams Defeated by Amherst on Pratt Field—Score 7 to 2

On Pratt Field Saturday Williams lost the first of the four Amherst games by a score of 7 to 2. Up to the last half of the eighth inning, when the runs stood two all, the contest was one of the best ever played by the two teams and the excitement was intense. In that inning Palmer reached first on an error by Nesbitt, Storke and Beach secured hits, and Shattuck fanned. With three men on bases Danahey struck twice. On a doubtful decision the umpire called the next a ball, and a minute later the batter drove the sphere into centre field for a three-base hit. Kelliher followed with a drive midway between centre and left field, which either Warren or Hogan might have had but for a misunderstanding. During the pause the ball fell between them and Danahey brought in the sixth run. Kelliher followed, when McCarty threw to second to catch Powell, who had reached first on an error. In the first of the ninth, with a lead of five runs to overcome, Neild and Warren were caught at first, Harman drew four balls, and Wadsworth sent a fly to the right fielder.

Williams was able to get but four hits from McRea, all of which were singles. Westervelt allowed only three until the fatal eighth, when Amherst got four more. Harman played a clean, fast game, making eleven putouts without an error. Nesbitt made three errors.

WILLIAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty c,	3	1	1	6	1	0
Bonham 2b,	4	1	1	3	0	0
Nesbitt ss,	4	0	0	1	3	3
Westervelt p,	4	0	0	1	1	0
Hogan lf,	4	0	1	0	0	0
Neild 3b,	3	0	0	1	4	0
Warren cf,	4	0	0	0	0	0
Harman 1b,	3	0	1	11	0	0
Wadsworth rf,	3	0	0	1	0	0
Total	32	2	4	24	9	3

AMHERST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wheeler cf,	4	0	1	2	0	0
Palmer 1b,	4	2	0	13	0	0
Storke 3b,	4	1	2	1	1	1
Beach ss,	3	1	1	0	2	0
Shattuck rf,	4	0	0	1	0	0
Danahey c,	3	1	1	8	0	2
Kelliher 2b,	4	1	1	0	2	0
Powell lf,	3	1	1	0	0	0
McRae p,	4	0	0	1	7	0
Total	33	7	7	*26	12	3

Williams, 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—2
Amherst, 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 5 x—7

Two-base hit, Kelliher. Three-base hit, Danahey. Stolen bases, McCarty, Bonham, Powell. Sacrifice hit, Nesbitt. Bases on balls, off Westervelt 3, off McRae 4. Struck out, by Westervelt 6, by McRae 8. Double play, Storke and Palmer. Umpire, Cook. Time, 1 hr. 50 min. *Nesbitt out on dropped third strike with man on first.

MEETING OF TRUSTEES

Final Action Will Be Taken on Dormitory—Other Business

The annual spring meeting of the trustees of Williams college, at which final decision will be taken on the new dormitory, will be held at the president's residence, Thursday, May 11. Besides the usual routine reports of committees, a special committee appointed some time ago to devise a graduated system of salaries for all instructors in the college, as well as arrangements for the promotion and retirement of these teachers, will make a report at the meeting.

The usual steps will be taken for the promotion and hiring of instructors for next year. No nominations for new instructors will be made at the meeting. The decision will also be made in regard to honorary degrees at commencement. In the afternoon the advisability of building a new dormitory will be thoroughly gone over. In case the trustees decide to build, the location and general scope and plan of the building will also be settled at the meeting. The disposition of the recently purchased land on the north side of Main street will also be discussed, but probably only the immediate disposal will be definitely settled.

A Wrong Impression

When shown a paragraph from The Springfield Republican headed "Hopkins Does Not Approve," in which it is asserted that "he declared that Andrew Carnegie had erred in giving $10,000,000 for superannuated college professors," President Hopkins said, "Neither before the New Jersey teachers or elsewhere have I said anything that could be construed as a criticism of this latest gift of Mr. Carnegie. It seemed to me from the first wise as well as magnificent, something to rejoice at and be grateful for and I have so expressed myself in public and in private. The expression of the opinion of the worthiness and need of the public school teachers for similar treatment was not to find fault with the good deed done for the professors."

Game With Dartmouth 1908

Manager McClellan of the freshman baseball team is making arrangements for a game with Dartmouth 1908, to be played in Williamstown next Saturday. Further details will be published in Thursday's Record.

At the meeting of the sophomore class held in Jesup this afternoon, Domett, Houston and Lapham, were elected to the class supper committee.

DARTMOUTH TRIALS

College Record Equaled in Quarter—Prospects Generally Good

Try-outs for the track team to compete with Dartmouth Saturday were held on Weston Field last Saturday afternoon. New material showed up well in the weight events, and, though the track was slow and heavy, good time was made generally. The college record was equaled in the 440-yard dash. The two-mile proved the prettiest event of the afternoon, Crooker and Hompe having a tight race on the stretch. They broke the tape abreast and the event was judged a dead heat. Winners of first, second, and third places will compete with Dartmouth, though certain promising fourths are to be entered.

The summary follows:

100 yard dash—Won by Stern 1905; Rudd 1907, second; Cowperthwait 1906, third.

220 yard dash—Won by Clark 1908; Hurlbut 1907, second; Andrews 1907, third.

440 yard dash—Won by Hurlbut 1907; Wells 1907, second; Andrews 1907, third.

880 yard run—Won by Ayers 1905; Osterhout 1906, second; Conover 1907, third.

Mile run—Won by B. P. Allen 1908; Lesser 1907, second; Curtis 1908, third.

Two mile run—Crooker 1905, and Hompe 1907 tied for first; Allen 1907, third.

120 yard hurdles—Won by Leavitt 1907; Griswold 1906, second; Lapham 1907, third.

220 yard hurdles—Won by Leavitt 1907; Griswold 1906, second; Witherell 1907, third.

Discus throw—Won by Eldridge 1908; Watson 1905, second; Casey 1906, third.

High Jump—Won by A. M. Brown 1907; M. Brown 1907, second; Day 1905, third.

Shot put—Won by Marshall 1908; LaMent 1908, second.

Broad jump—Won by A. M. Brown 1907; Leavitt 1907, second.

Hammer throw—Won by LaMent 1908.

Pole Vault—Winslow 1907 and Scarrett 1908 tied for first.

Cap and Bells at New York

What is considered the most successful of the season's presentations of "Capt. Racket" was given at the Carnegie Lyceum in New York city Friday evening. Cap and Bells gave a performance marked by smoothness of action before a large and appreciative audience.

CALENDAR

MONDAY, MAY 8

7.30 p. m.—College meeting, election of sophomore asst. track manager, and debating manager from junior class, J. H.

TUESDAY, MAY 9

4.00 p. m.—Williams-Andover baseball game, Brothers' Field, Andover.

7.15 p. m.—Talk by Prof. Russell on "Dual Personality," 10 H. H.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

1.30 p. m.—1906-1908 baseball, old campus.

2.00 p. m.—1908 drawing for rooms, 4 H. H.

2.00 p. m.—Williams-Faculty tennis match, Taconic Golf Club.

2.30 p. m.—Williams 2d-Cushing Academy, Weston Field.

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Holy Cross baseball game, Fitton Field, Worcester.

4.30 p. m.—1905-1907 baseball game, Weston Field.

8.00 p. m.—Dartmouth vaudeville, Opera house.

8.00 p. m.—Freshman declamation contest, J. H.

8.15 p. m.—Musical Clubs concert, Harmony Hall, Troy, N. Y.

THURSDAY, MAY 11

10.00 a. m.—Meeting of the Board of Trustees, president's residence.

4.00 p. m.—1906-1907 baseball, old campus.

ANDOVER TOMORROW

'Varsity Meets Holy Cross Wednesday—Line-up of the Teams

The baseball team left this afternoon at 3:18 for its first eastern trip. Tomorrow afternoon at 4:00, on Brothers' Field, the Purple will meet Andover, this year rather below its usual strength, since it has beaten but one of the larger universities. On Wednesday afternon the team meets Holy Cross at Worcester. O'Rourke, who held Harvard down to one run and four hits Saturday, will be in the box against Williams. The line up for Tuesday's game:

WILLIAMS—McCarty c, Warren 2b, Nesbitt ss, Westervelt cf, Hogan lf, Neild 3b, Osterhout rf, Harman 1b, Wadsworth p.

ANDOVER—Schildmiller lf, Clough 1b, Payette cf, Reilly 2b, Fels rf, Williams 3b, Cushman ss, Jones c, Lanigan or Merritt p.

For Wednesday's game:

WILLIAMS—McCarty c, Bonham 2b, Nesbitt ss, Westervelt p, Hogan lf, Neild 3b, Warren cf, Harman 1b, Wadsworth rf.

HOLY CROSS—Cahill cf, Spring rf, Flynn 1b, Hoey lf, Barry ss, Carrigan c, Cashen 2b, Ennis 3b, O'Rourke p.

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The Amherst Game

The defeat by Amherst Saturday was as unpleasant as it was unexpected. In spite of the southern trip the nine does not yet appear to be trained to meet a critical situation. Coach Dowd evidently thinks otherwise, judging from his statement in today's issue. In the second place, a little more thinking on the diamond, looking towards concerted team work, would make the nine fifty per cent faster than it is at present. These two faults were painfully apparent on Pratt Field last Saturday. Except in the single inning, however, the 'varsity gave an exhibition of ball worthy of any nine that has ever represented the college.

Safe hits by Amherst and errors by Williams, it appears, were not alone responsible for the result. It seems the position of umpire was occupied by a man whose knowledge of the game was deplorable, and whose decisions were guess-work. The choice of such an incompetent official was, as it turned out, most unfortunate for Williams. There can be no question but that almost any umpire, except the one in question, would have retired the batter on three strikes, leaving Williams' chances of winning the game practically where they were at the beginning of the eighth inning. We trust that neither Williams nor Amherst will ever again have the misfortune to take part in a contest directed by such a fish out of water. A game of baseball loses its attraction as a contest of skill, and becomes a game of chance. With such an umpire success gives less pleasure to the victor, and on the part of the loser converts the feeling of chagrin and disappointment to dissatisfaction and disgust. There can be no question about Mr. Cook's desire to act fairly. He had no favors to bestow intentionally. Amherst was fortunate in not being present when he distributed the other kind. For the benefit of alumni and others who may have been misled by mistaken accounts of the game, *The Record* wishes to state that the student body at Williams understands the situation thoroughly and does not question for a minute Amherst's desire to play squarely. It is indeed to be regretted that the incident, coming as it did most inopportunely for Williams, should have created as much discussion as it has.

The Dartmouth Vaudeville

The Dartmouth Vaudeville Co. will appear in Williamstown Wednesday night. An opportunity is given the college to attend in a body and see and hear an entertainment which has been most favorably received wherever it has gone. The expenses of the trip and stop here are considerable for so large a company; a full house is required to prevent financial loss. The management should not be disappointed in counting on strong support from Williams undergraduates. Let the college be there en masse, ready to welcome Dartmouth with a Williams song and cheer.

COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

To the Editor of The Record:

The futility of having a local umpire for a Williams-Amherst contest was never more conclusively shown than in the baseball game at Amherst last Saturday. What was otherwise a fast, scientific, intensely exciting struggle between two well matched teams was made at times almost farcical by the ignorance and poor judgment of the Northampton lawyer who essayed to fill the position of umpire. From the moment when Mr. Cook at the beginning of the game, showed himself unable to put on a chest protector unaided, to the end of a game filled with surprising decisions, the umpire never once seemed master of the situation. No fair minded man will, I think, claim for a moment that Mr. Cook intended to do injustice to the Williams team. The palpably bad decisions were very evenly divided, and it was merely the misfortune of war that one of the worst of the errors in judgment happened to be adverse to us and came at a most critical time when

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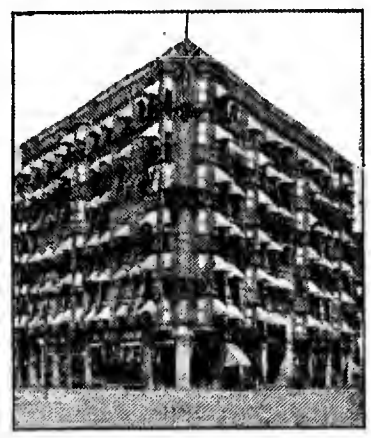
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it had a direct influence upon the result of the game. But the fact that Mr. Cook erred through ignorance rather than malice does not remove the keenness of the dissatisfaction which both sides must have felt in his work. It is sometimes a question which does more to kill the enjoyment of good sport, the biased decisions of an expert, or the well intentioned vagaries of an incompetent.

But the point of the matter is just here. Somebody blundered in securing a local umpire for a game where the best professional who holds an indicator would have been none too good. A share of the blame must come to our own management, though how Amherst could recommend Mr. Cook after having seen his work in one game is inconcievable. No reasons of economy should ever be the slightest excuse for a poor official in a major contest. It would be better that both teams should walk to their place of meeting, if by that means they could secure the only thing an athlete demands, "a fair field and no favor."

Such a mistake in the selection of the umpire as was made Saturday must not be repeated. It is suicidal to sacrifice the pleasant athletic relations we hold with Amherst (relations fortified by our courteous treatment on Saturday) to bitternesses over the work of an unqualified official. It should be the duty of the baseball management to insist on the selection of men of proven ability. A second mistake might be more disastrous.

Fortunately for the satisfaction of both teams the season is yet young, and in the three games that remain to be played there will be ample opportunity to show whether Amherst or Williams has the better nine.

Sincerely yours,
Lewis Perry.

Official Batting Averages

	games	ab	h	r	ba
Nesbitt, ss	11	45	13	10	.289
Wes'l't, p,rf	11	47	12	6	.255
Ford, p	2	4	1	2	.250
Hogan, lf	11	43	10	4	.233
Neild, 3b	11	48	11	6	.229
Bonham, 2b	11	42	7	12	.167
Wads'h, rf,p	10	30	5	3	.167
McCarty, c	11	39	6	14	.154
Harman, 1b	11	43	5	5	.116
Warren, cf	11	44	5	7	.114
Osterhout, rf	3	7	0	2	.000

Official Fielding Averages

	games	po	a	e	fa
McCarty, c	11	67	15	1	.988
Harman, 1b	11	126	2	2	.984
Warren, cf	11	22	0	2	.917
Wads'h, rf,p	10	7	17	3	.889
Hogan, lf	11	16	0	3	.842
Wes'l't, p,rf	11	9	18	6	.818
Nesbitt, ss	11	21	28	12	.803
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Fay '07 has returned to college.

C. D. Reid '08 has left the infirmary.

Bloom '01 and Pugh '04 were in town over Sunday.

Lord '05 sang a solo in the Episcopal church Sunday morning.

Sternberger 1907 has been ill with measles at his home in New York.

The 1906-1907 baseball game, scheduled for Saturday, was postponed until a later date.

Prof. Morton will lecture to all divisions of French 3 every Monday hereafter.

A qualifying shoot for the Sercomb cup was held by the gun club on Saturday.

The annual spring handicap tennis tournament will be started this week. An entry list has been posted in Hopkins Hall.

Dr. Bascom gave a talk to seniors yesterday before evening chapel. He took as his subject "The religious life."

The following men were taken to the training table yesterday: Ayers, Stern 1905; Hompe, Rudd 1907; B. P. Allen 1908.

Pevear 1907 sang "I came to Thee, as a child" as a solo in the Baptist church, North Adams, on Sunday evening.

A schedule for the choice of rooms for men in 1908 has been posted in Hopkins Hall. All room obligations must be signed before a room may be taken.

The members of Cap and Bells will be guests of the Dartmouth Vaudeville company at their performance here Wednesday evening, following which the visitors will be entertained at a smoker at Bemis'.

The Lit. banquet for past and present members will probably be held on Wednesday, May 17, at the Richmond hotel, North Adams. All those unable to be present then should inform Morgan '06.

The Williston club held a meeting Friday evening in 5 East College. The following officers were elected: President, H. B. Howe '05; vice-president, F. R. Neild '06; secretary, R. E. Moffett '07; treasurer, N. Mills '08.

Additions to Program of Commencement Events

SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 8:30 p. m., Gargoyle banquet, Greylock Hotel

TUESDAY, JUNE 20, Senior Promenade.

Revised Interclass Schedule

The interclass baseball schedule has been revised as follows:

Wednesday,	May 10, 1905-1907.
Wednesday,	May 10, 1906-1908.
Thursday,	May 11, 1906-1907.
Saturday,	May 13, 1905-1906.
Wednesday,	May 17, 1907-1908.
Thursday,	May 18, 1905-1908.
Saturday,	May 20, 1905-1907.
Wednesday,	May 24, 1906-1907.
Thursday,	May 25, 1905-1908.
Saturday,	May 27, 1906-1908.

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The score:

									R.	H.	E.
1908....	4	1	1	1	1	x	—	8	4	4
Albany.	0	1	1	0	0	2	—	4	4	7

About Northfield Conference

At the Y. M. C. A. meeting last evening several informal talks were given, treating of different phases of the Northfield conference. Pettit '05 spoke of the religious side, Hulst '06, of the friendships made, and Schell '06, of the athletic activities. President Hopkins ended by speaking of the general spirit of manliness which pervades the conference.

Announcement was also made of a meeting of the Western Massachusetts Students' Volunteer Union, to be held at Northfield, May 22.

The Obituary Record

The 1904-1905 Obituary record, number 3 of series 2 of the Williams College Bulletin, the college quarterly, appeared recently. The record, as usual, compiled by Dr. Parsons, the alumni necrologist, contains a list of the alumni who died during the past year, with a biographical sketch of each man. Fifty deaths were reported for the past year from classes from 1836 to 1901 against twenty-eight for the previous year.

Hon. William Rankin, LL. D., '31, of Newark, N. J., is the oldest living alumnus. It is interesting to note that there are nine men still living who graduated from college before 1840, and fifty-seven who matriculated in the classes before 1850. Those who are interested in longevity statistics of the different occupations will note that twenty-two of the latter are ministers and eighteen lawyers. Nineteen of the fifty-seven have received honorary degrees.

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Andover 5, B. U. 1.
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Andover 8, Dartmouth 17.
Andover 4, Yale 5.
Andover 9, Bates 8.
Andover 1, Maine 3.

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Holy Cross 29, B. U. 0.
Holy Cross 4, Trinity 7.
Holy Cross 8, Brown 5.
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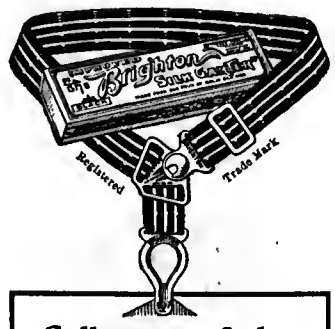

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Coach Thomas J. Dowd of the baseball team left the nine immediately after the Amherst game. He goes to Sioux City, Iowa, at once, where he will play left field on the strong team of that town in the Western league. In speaking of the team's work to date and prospects for the remainder of the season, he says:

"The team has improved much since the southern trip, especially in general steadiness. The men work together better and don't show the same tendency to go up in the air at critical moments.

"The boys' greatest weakness is lack of baseball sense. They make a play perfectly, but forget that there are other plays which should follow that might catch a runner napping or prevent him from taking an extra base. The infield is particularly weak here. I don't know that I ever saw so many old players who showed so little knowledge of the finer points of the game.

"Williams' batting is weak. The general fault is a tendency to swing at bad balls. As the season goes on, and the new men get more confidence, this fault should be done away with.

"In fielding, the team ranks high. This is essily the part of the game in which they are strongest. They are not only good every-day fielders, but now and then can rise to the occasion and take chances that would give professionals trouble.

"The base-running is bad. The men are, most of them, fast enough, and daring enough, and the new men who are not are getting better every day, but aside from Capt. McCarty and perhaps Bonham and Nesbitt, they don't take their chances at the right time. Experience must give them better judgment in this particular.

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Concert at North Adams

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The Williams second team won the first game of its season Saturday afternoon by defeating the Mt. Pleasant academy team, of Ossining, N. Y., on Weston Field by the score of 21 to 2. After the first inning the game lost all interest, and became a laughable exhibition of long hits, base running and wild throws. The visitors showed lack of practice and team work, making seventeen errors in five innings.

									R.	H.	E.
Williams 2d	1	12	4	4	x				21	12	3
Mt. Pleas'nt	0	1	0	0	1				2	3	17

Freshmen 7, Sophomores 1

Four hits, two errors and some slow fielding won the game for the freshman nine in the fifth inning of the interclass contest with the sophomores Thursday afternoon on the old campus. The score was 7 to 1. Singles by Pierce and Hoyne enabled Domett to score the only run for the sophomores, in the fourth, tying the score. After a run in the first the freshmen were blanked for three innings, but in the fifth they solved Pierce's delivery, and five men crossed the plate. The fielding on both sides was slow and loose. Pierce struck out nine men while Parker's slow delivery caught but one batsman. The summary:

									R.	H.	E.
1908	1	0	0	0	5	1			7	10	1
1907	0	0	0	1	0	0			1	2	3

Batteries, 1908, Parker and Waters; 1907. Pierce and Southworth. Umpire—Watson, 1905.

Changes in English 4a and 4b

The faculty at a meeting last Mondsy evening decided to change the regulation by which all juniors and seniors are required to submit two original essays each semester. In the future, men who take or have taken English 2 will be relieved from the requirement. This provision exempts about two-thirds of the upperclassmen from English 4a and 4b essays.

NOTICES

—A college meeting will be held tonight at 7:30 in Jesup for the election of a sophomore assistant track manager.

Clarence J. Goodwillie,
Manager.

—At this evening's college meeting a manager of the Adelphic debating union will be elected from the junior class.

Henry B. Tourtellot,
Manager.

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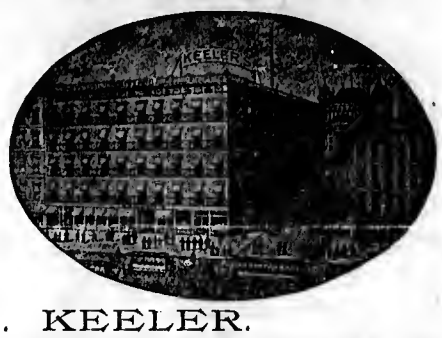
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TRUSTEES IN SESSION

Meeting of the Board Today—Eleven Members Present

The annual spring meeting of the Board of Trustees was called to order at 10 o'clock this morning at the president's residence. Eleven members of the board were present, as follows: Rev. Dr. Hopkins, D. D. LL. D., Rev William Wisner Adams, D. D., Francis Lynde Stetson, M. A., Hamilton Wright Mabie, L. H. D., LL. D., Rev. Daniel Merriman, D. D., Hon. Joseph Edward Simmons, LL. D., Eugene Delano, M. A., William Henry Hollister, Jr., B. A., (Secretary of the Board), Hon. Bentley Wirt Warren, B. A., Rev. Harry Pinneo Dewey, D. D., and Pres. Henry Lefavour, Ph. D., LL. D.

The meeting will adjourn at six o'clock this afternoon. At 3:00 p. m. it was decided to give out nothing for publication, as no final action had been taken at that time on the more important matters, such as the new dormitory.

Faculty Tennis Match

The tennis match with the faculty at the Golf club yesterday afternoon resulted in a tie—each side winning and losing one singles and one doubles. The summary follows:

P. N. Westcott beat Mr. E. I. Shepard 3-6, 6-1, 7-5.

Mr. L. Perry beat F. R. Smith 6-1, 6-0.

Mr. Perry and Dr. Hardy beat Smith and Chace, 6-4, 6-4.

Westcott and Mellen beat Dr. King and Mr. Shepard, 6-1, 4-6, 8-6.

Juniors Defeated

Every freshman scored in the fourth inning of yesterday's 1906-1908 game. Brady, the junior pitcher, retired in the fifth after twelve hits had been made off his delivery. Parker was effective.

The summary:

								R.	H.	E.
1908....	0	0	2	9	4	1	—16	13	3
1906....	2	0	0	0	3	0	— 5	3	6

Batteries: 1908, Parker, Waterworth and Waters; 1906, Brady, Woodhouse and Bates. Umpire, Watson 1905.

Pictures in Hopkins Hall

A third set of pictures has been placed on exhibition in the frames in Hopkins Hall. Four reproductions of Carpaccio, illustrating the Ursula legend, are among the number shown, as well as details of the Sistine Madonna and Raphael's "St. Cecilia," with an excellent reproduction of a portrait by Rembrandt and Murillo's "Boy and Dog." Five pictures of Italian towns are included in the exhibit.

LIKE PROFESSIONALS

Dartmouth Vaudeville at Opera House Last Night

The vaudeville last night was good, for it kept a crowded house rocking with laughter for two hours, and the long cheer for Dartmouth which followed the last drop of the curtain voiced genuine appreciation of one of the funniest performances ever seen in this vicinity.

The Dartmouth troupe number eight, but they carry no blanks. From "Doc" Felt, who is a musical prodigy grown up, down the list to "Ike" Maynard, who is almost too good to be true, the performers show real talent. "Shorty" Neal (measuring perhaps six feet three) showed talent as a violinist, and appeared later to good advantage in a musical sketch.

The curtain raiser. "A Freshman's First Night in College" was good because it was natural. An unusual feature was the burlesque on a "rube" minstrel show, given by Messrs. Wayman, Waring and Maynard. Mr. Wayman appeared again as a monologist, giving Irish pieces particularly well. The rapid-fire repartee-hit-and-dodge-sketch "Is He In," as done by Maynard and Waring, was "good enough for Keith's." Their topical song, "Mr. Lawson of Boston" with "his name on every benn" made a decided hit. The closing number was an adaptation of one of the Van Bibber stories. "The Littlest Girl," and called for a different sort of acting. Mr. Parven as Van Bibber and Mr. Wayman as Carruthers were both effective.

The visitors were entertained in town over night and left today for Northampton where they play this evening.

Second Team Defeats Cushing

The second team played Cushing Academy on Weston field yesterday afternoon and won by a score of 6 to 5. There were few fentures and the play was mostly uninteresting. The game was won in the seventh inning. Pierce pitched a consistently stendy game and allowed but five hits. The line-up follows:

WILLIAMS SECOND—Shedden lf, Willcox 3b, Osborne cf, Domett ss, Brown, rf, Southworth c, Kelley 3b, Austin 2b.

CUSHING—W. Adams rf, Green 2b, Clancy c, Pacquet 3b, Reardon ss, Hosmer 2b, C. Adams cf, Ross lf, Balcom p.

										R	H	E
Williams	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	x—6	11	9	
Cushing	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0—5	5	3	

TWO DEFEATS

Baseball Team Loses at Andover and Worcester

Andover added another to its goodly list of victories over college nines by defeating Williams at Andover on Tuesday by a score of 7 to 3. Westervelt was hit safely but once up to the sixth, but in the seventh two gifts and four hits, with three stolen bases, and an error by Hogan, brought Andover five runs. Williams' three tallies were earned by clean hitting. Bonham's absence broke up both infield and outfield with results apparent in the error column.

The summary:

WILLIAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty, c,	4	1	2	10	2	0
Warren, 2b,	4	0	0	1	2	3
Nesbitt, ss,	3	1	1	1	2	1
Westervelt, p,	4	1	1	1	2	0
Hogan, lf,	4	0	2	2	0	1
Neild, 3b,	4	0	1	0	1	0
Osterhout, rf,	3	0	0	1	0	0
Harman, 1b,	4	0	0	8	1	2
Wadsworth, cf,	4	0	0	0	0	0
Total,	34	3	7	24	10	6

ANDOVER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Schildmiller, lf,	4	0	0	3	0	0
Clough, 1b,	3	2	0	7	0	0
Payette, cf,	5	2	2	1	0	0
Reilly, 2b,	4	1	2	5	1	0
Fels, rf,	5	0	0	1	0	0
Williams, 3b,	4	0	1	2	2	0
Jones, c,	3	1	1	6	2	0
Washburn, ss,	4	1	1	2	3	2
Lanigan, p,	4	0	1	0	2	0
Total,	36	7	8	27	10	2

Williams,	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	—3
Andover,	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	x	—7

Two-base hits, Nesbitt, Westervelt, Lanigan. Stolen bases, Clough, Payette, Reilly 2. Bases on balls, off Westervelt 4, off Lanigan 2. Hit by pitched ball, by Westervelt, Schildmiller. Struck out, by Lanigan 5, by Westervelt 8. Passed balls, Jones, McCarty. Umpire, Clarkson. Time of game, 2h.

Holy Cross Won by Two Points

Before a large crowd on Fitton Field, Worcester, yesterday afternoon Williams lost to Holy Cross by the close score of 6-4. It was Westervelt's second game in two days but he proved a hard proposition nevertheless, holding Holy Cross down to eight hits, and striking out six men. Hogarty struck out 12 men but allowed nine hits. Williams' fielding was sharp and clean, only two errors being made while five were scored against Holy Cross. Corrigan, who was behind the bat for Holy Cross, played a star game and proved Williams' undoing several times in attempted steals. Williams' vigilance relaxed in the last of the fifth when Hogan and Warren misjudged two flies and allowed three men to score.

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CALENDAR

SATURDAY, MAY 13

9.00 a. m.—Williams-Amherst tennis match, Taconic Golf club.

9.00 a. m.—Williams-Dartmouth golf match, Taconic course.

2.00 p. m.—Dual track meet with Dartmouth, Weston Field

2.00 p. m.—Williams-Albany Conntry club golf match, Taconic course.

3.00 p. m.—Williams — Dartmouth baseball, Alumni Field, Hanover.

4.30 p. m.—1905-1906 baseball, Weston Field.

4.00 p. m.—Williams-Amherst tenmatch, Taconic Golf club.

7.30 p. m.—Preparatory service for communion, college chapel.

SUNDAY, MAY 14

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Dr. H. P. Dewey '84, of Brooklyn, conducts communion service.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes, J. H.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H.

TRACK ELECTION

L. G. Hinman 1907 Chosen Sophomore Manager

At a college meeting held in Jesup Hall, Monday evening, May 8, Lewis Gibson Hinman 1907, of Addison, N. Y., was elected sophomore assistant manager of the track team. He will manage the team his senior year. Hinman prepared for college at the



LEWIS GIBSON HINMAN 1907

Addison High school, graduating in the class of 1903. He entered Williams in the fall of 1904, and is at present manager of the 1907 class baseball team, as well as a member of the class prom. committee.

At the same meeting Joseph Earl Perry 1906, of Shelburne Falls, Mass., was elected manager of the Adelphic debating union for next year.

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A Chance to Reciprocate

A year ago when the Williams track team met Dartmouth at Hanover, the visitors were received with every favor and were treated as the personal guests of the college. The baseball and tennis teams have uniformly met with a similar reception. Two years ago a hundred men from Williams went up to Hanover to support the baseball team; Dartmouth men entertained informally at the Commons and in the dormitories.

The point is obvious. The Dartmouth track team comes to Williamstown next Saturday. It is distinctly the duty and the pleasure of every Williams man to see that the Dartmouth team is treated with the utmost cordiality as long as it stays in Williamstown.

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The Passing of a Relic

The faculty at its last meeting decided to exempt all juniors and seniors from compulsory theme work except those who have not taken English 2, the sophomore theme course. This means that considerably upwards of a half of the upperclassmen will be relieved of the burden of English 4a and 4b.

The compulsory theme courses have long been the survivors of a time when oratorical work was required of every man in college and the commencement orators were as numerous as the hours of the day, and took about as long to pass. Then, too, these courses have never been treated seriously; men wrote their themes against time and with the least possible effort, defeating the purpose for which they were designed. It was full time for the relic to succumb.

COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

To the Editor of The Record:

The defeat of Saturday last was in itself no disgrace to Williams, for the team did its best to win from a strong opponent. But there was an aspect of that defeat which was greatly to the discredit of Williams, viz: the fact that the undergraduates did not follow the team, or at least not enough of them to make their presence helpful: the fact that there was not a Williams cheer heard on Pratt Field that day to encourage, and that there was not a crowd of good fellows to stand by the team after they happened to be defeated. There were ten or more alumni present, including two of your own professors, all of whom traveled some distance to be present at the game, which in their days was deemed all important and worthy of support.

What is the cause of this lack of interest in the most important game of the season? If you stayed at home and hung around Spring street because you had no cuts left nor money, it is not an excuse, for you had cuts enough to stay in New York or other places several days or a week after the Easter recess, and money as well. I'll wager that it can be proved that there was charged up or paid out at the different stores in Williamstown that very afternoon, for things not in the class of necessaries, enough money to send a fair crowd of rooters to Amherst.

It can never be exactly demonstrated just the value of cheering at a game. Yet ask every member of a Williams team now or in years gone by, and every man will tell you that it helps, and some will say that games have been won from the side lines. Anyway, it is an evidence of good spirit and loyalty, that we all stand together to put Williams on top every time and all do our share. A sub-freshman would stand for a defeat, but what would he think of the "Williams spirit" as exhibited on Pratt Field last Saturday?

You can continue to sing "We will rally on Pratt Field etc.," but you never missed a better chance to "rally" than you did last Saturday afternoon.

An Alumnus.

Communion Service

Rev. Harry Pinneo Dewey '84, pastor of the Church of the Pilgrims of Brooklyn, and a member of the Board of Trustees of Williams college, will conduct the communion service in chapel Sunday morning. The preparatory lecture for the communion service will take place Saturday evening at 7:30.

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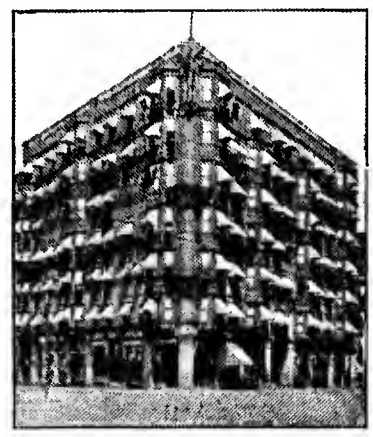
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THE DARTMOUTH MEET

Williams' Chances of Victory On Weston Field Saturday

Williams will meet Dartmouth in a dual track meet on Weston Field Saturday afternoon. The following estimate gives Williams the meet by four points:

	Williams.	Dart'th.
100 yards dash	1	8
220 yards dash	1	8
440 ynrds dash	6	3
880 yards run	0	9
1 mile run	8	1
2 mile run	8	1
High hurdles	8	1
Low hurdles	8	1
High jump	8	1
Broad jump	5	4
Pole vault	0	9
Shot put	5	4
Hammer throw	3	6
Discus throw	4	5
	65	61

As can be seen by a glance at the above estimate, Williams' strength lies in the distance runs and, as last year, in the hurdles. Dartmouth, with Jordan and Swasey, is sure of eight points in each sprint. In the half mile Thrall and Prichard are good for 2.01 or better. Capt. Newell's illness losing Williams three points at least in this event. Hazen, last year's Worcester winner in the pole-vault is sure of first in this event, and the Green's second-string men are good for 10 feet 6 inches or better.

The points in the weights will be very evenly decided. The doubtful event is the discus throw, in which Williams has a slight chance for first. Williams must secure second in the mile, the two-mile, and both hurdles to win the meet.

Trainer Seeley said of the prospects of the team that the meet would be very close, but that Williams should win. The men are in good condition and promise to make the meet as interesting as last year, when Williams won at Hanover 64 to 62.

Art Exhibition

From 3:00 to 4:00 Friday and from 8:30 to 9:30 Saturday a number of etchings and dry-points by Rembrandt, and the more prominent modern American and English artists, as Seymour Haden, will be on exhibition in 13 Hopkins.

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WILLIAMS	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty c,	2	1	0	7	0	1
Bonham 2b,	3	0	2	1	2	0
Nesbitt ss,	5	0	1	3	0	0
Westervelt p,	5	2	3	1	7	0
Hogan lf,	4	1	6	1	0	0
Neild 3b,	3	0	1	2	2	1
Warren cf,	3	0	1	1	0	0
Harman 1b,	4	0	1	7	1	0
Wadsworth rf,	4	0	0	1	0	0
Total	33	4	9	24	12	2

HOLY CROSS	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cahill cf,	4	1	1	2	0	1
Spring rf,	4	1	2	1	0	0
Flynn 1b,	3	2	0	4	0	0
Hoey lf,	2	2	1	1	0	0
Barry ss,	4	0	1	1	2	0
Carrigan c,	3	0	2	13	3	0
Cashen 2b,	4	0	1	5	1	2
Ennis 3b,	4	0	0	0	0	1
Hogarty p,	4	0	0	0	2	1
Total	32	6	8	27	8	5

Williams,	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	—4
Holy Cross,	2	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	x	—6

Two-base hit, Bonham. Stolen bases, Hogan, Cahill, Spring, 3, Flynn 2, Hoey 2, Barry, Ennis. Sacrifice hit, Bonham. Bases on balls, off Westervelt 4, off Hogarty 4. Struck out, by Westervelt 6, by Hogarty 12. Hit by pitched ball, by Westervelt, Cahill, Flynn, by Hogarty, McCarty 2. Umpire, Reardon. Time of game, 1 hour, 50 min.

Dartmouth at Hanover

Williams' next game will be played Saturday with Dartmouth at Hanover. The line-up and batting order of the two teams is as follows:

DARTMOUTH—Holland cf, Orcutt 2b, Reeve ss, Keady 3b, O'Brien lf, Page rf, Gardner 1b, McCabe c, Skillin or Glaze p.

WILLIAMS—McCarty c, Bonham 2b, Nesbitt ss, Westervelt p, Hogan lf, Neild 3b, Warren cf, Harman 1b, Wadsworth rf.

Dartmouth Scores

Dartmouth 0, Exeter 2.
Dartmouth 2, Holy Cross 10.
Dartmouth 10, Tufts 0.
Dartmouth 14, U. of Maine 1.
Dartmouth 3, Brown 4.
Dartmouth 1, Harvard 3.
Dartmouth 6, Holy Cross 5.
Dartmouth 17, Andover 8.
Dartmouth 2, Amherst 0.
Dartmouth 10, Tufts 6.
Dartmouth 2, Brown 7.

'31—Hon. William Rankin, formerly of Newark, N. J., is now living with his son, Prof. Walter M. Rankin '79, Professor of Biology at Princeton. Mr. Rankin is in his ninety-sixth year.

Ex-'76—Oakley S. Barker died suddenly of heart disease at the Hotel Carlton, Stamford, Conn., on April 18. His mother, Mrs. Smith Barker, was Miss Catherine Vanderbilt, ninth child of Commodore Cornelius Vanderbilt. Since leaving college Mr. Barker had been engaged in no active business and had made Stamford his home for the last fifteen years of his life.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Stone '08 has returned to college.

Sternberger '07 has returned to college.

The Thompson memorial chapel is being fitted for electric lighting.

Rifenbergh '08 will not return to college this year on account of illness.

Willey '08, who has been ill with tonsilitis, has been discharged from the infirmary.

The Dodd's team defeated the Edson team Wednesday afternoon by the score of 14 to 13.

The game scheduled between the freshman team and Dartmouth 1908 has been cancelled.

The drawings for the spring tennis handicap have been posted. The first round must be played off before May 16.

The game scheduled between the Williams freshman team, and the Union freshmen, for next Saturday, has been cancelled.

The "Wohnrst" nine defeated the "Mu Phi" team on the old campus yesterday afternoon by the score of 10 to 6.

The mock trial by the Philologian and Philotechnian societies has been postponed until Wednesday evening.

W. A. Newell 1905, captain of the track team, is ill at the infirmary with typhoid fever. His condition is not serious.

There will be a meeting of all interested in cricket at 7:15 tonight in Jesup Hall. Every man who wishes to try the game is requested to be present.

Ganzel, who coached the baseball team in 1902, is in town. In looking over the second team, he expressed himself as well pleased with the material.

The engagement was announced last evening of Dr. James G. Hardy, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, and Miss Nona Mills, of Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

Concert at Troy

The musical clubs gave a very successful concert in Harmony Hall, Troy, last night before a large and enthusiastic audience. The hall was decorated with Williams banners and presented a striking appearance. Of the numbers particularly pleasing were "If you love me, Lindy" sung by Pevear, and "To Thee, oh! Williams" by the Glee club. The mandolin club made a hit with "The Topliners." After the concert a dance was given.

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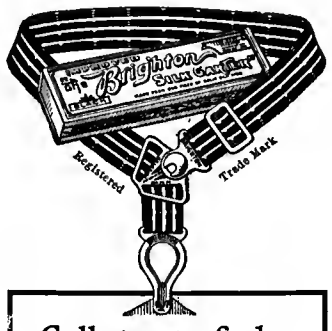
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Amherst—Williams Tennis

On Saturday morning and afternoon the Amherst tennis team will play the local team on the courts of the Taconic golf club. The morning event will include four singles matches, while the two doubles matches will take place in the afternoon. Comparatively little is known about the Amherst team as they are, with the exception of Captain Weed, new players. The following men will play on the Williams team: Northrop '05, Mellen '05, Smith '06, and Westcott '08. The two doubles combinations will be Northrop and Smith, Mellen and Westcott. Play will begin at 9 a. m.

DECLAMATION CONTEST

Held in Jesup Hall Last Evening—J. H. Fisher Won First Prize

John Herman Fischer of Hickman, Neb., won first prize at the annual freshman declamation contest held in Jesup Hall last night. The second prize was awarded to Arthur Beach King of Troy, N.Y.

Each of the six contestants showed careful training and spoke clearly and easily. The choice of subjects was especially fitting. Fischer, the winner, was the last speaker, and his declamation, "The New South", was delivered with especial smoothness and power. In "The Invective Against M. Corry," King had a most suitable subject, and his declamation was commendable for sharp vigor of delivery.

The program follows:

A Plea for Irish Liberty..Anonymous
GEORGE EDGAR HITE. 2nd

England's Duty to the Colonies..Burke
ROY STANLEY CORWIN

Invective against M. Corry...Grattan
ARTHUR BEACH KING

The Homes of the People.....Grady
JOHN HENRY WILLIAMS

The Quest of Peace.....Anonymous
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Mr. E. M. Lewis acted as presiding officer.

Rev. J. E. Sawyer, pastor of the Williamstown Methodist church, with Prof. L. W. Spring and Prof. T. C. Smith of the faculty, acted as judges. Music was furnished by Doring's orchestra of Troy.

"Ghosts" Next Tuesday

Prof. Russell's talk on "Telepathy" Tuesday evening proved exceedingly interesting. He illustrated his theories by relating a number of actual experiments which have been made during the past few years. For the next and last lecture of the series, Tuesday, May 16, some thrilling ghost stories are promised, together with a discussion of the phenomena accompanying their appearance.

25th ANNIVERSARY

Reunion of the Class of 1880—Thirty-two Graduated

The class of 1880, which celebrates its quarter-century anniversary this June, is small in numbers and many of its members live far away. But Prof. Alfred T. Perry, president of Marietta college at Marietta, O., secretary of the class, is planning for a reunion at Williamstown. The clasa entered Williams fifty-six strong, and numbered thirty-seven in senior year, of whom thirty-two received degrees. Of these, eight have since died. Thirty-seven sometime members were connected with the class. Of the class of 1880, ten are ministers, ten are in business, nine are practicing law, five are in journalism, two are teaching, and one is practicing medicine. The reunion dinner will probably be held at North Adams on Wednesday evening, June 21. The members of the class are scattered in eleven states and Mexico.

GOLF SCHEDULE

Dartmouth on Taconic Course Saturday—Match with Harvard

The college golf team will play two matches Saturday, with Dartmouth in the morning and the Albany country club in the afternoon. Both will be played on the Taconic golf course. The schedule for the spring is practically completed as given below, although several matches may be played later in the season with teams in the vicinity. An effort has been made this year by the management to exclude from the list clubs defeated decisively last year. The effort to secure a match with Amherst proved unsuccessful. The schedule follows:

May 13—morning—Dartmouth on Taconic golf course, Williamstown: afternoon—Albany country club on Taconic golf course, Williamstown.

May 19—M. I. T. at Boston.

May 20—Harvard. Myopia golf course, Boston.

May 27—Albany country club at Albany.

June 3—The Mount Anthony golf club at Bennington.

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Ten Williams men will make a European tour this summer, working their passage on a cattle steamer, and taking an extensive pleasure trip through England and the continent. Those who will compose the party are, John A. DeCamp 1900 of Williamstown, Louis L. Draper 1900 of Troy, Belknap, Judson, Northrop and Watson 1905, Loomis 1906, Kincaid and Klanser 1907, and a tenth man as yet undecided. They will leave Boston on June 28, probably on a ship of the Leyland line, and will arrive in Liverpool on July 9.

Upon reaching England they will divide—one party touring Scotland, England, and thence crossing into France and Switzerland. The others will cross to Holland, Belgium and Germany, then down the Rhine, through France, and will take a week's walking tour among the Alps.

They will reunite at Paris, where, in company with a number of Williams alumni who are residing in Europe, and several who will be traveling there this summer, a Williams banquet will be held, either at the Hotel Ritz or the Champs Elysees on August 5. Several days will be spent in Paris, and then the company will break up, to return to this country by various routes, and at different times between August 20 and September 10.

Class Day Program

The chairman of the 1905 class day committee has announced the following program of the class day exercises, which will be held at 2 o'clock on Tuesday, June 20:

AT THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

President's address, Harry Towle Watson; Song, "Neath the Shadow of the Hills," The class; Poem, William Smith Pettit.

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ON LIBRARY CAMPUS.

Song, "Come fill your glasses up," The Class; Library Oration, Walter Albert Swan; Pipe Oration, Clifford Harry Fulton; Class Oration, Harry Lewis Everitt.

ON QUADRANGLE.

Address to the Lower Classes, Albert Priest Newell; Class Yell.

NOTICES

—Dr. Howard will deliver the third of a series of talks to seniors at 4 4:5 p. m. Sunday in 4 H. H.

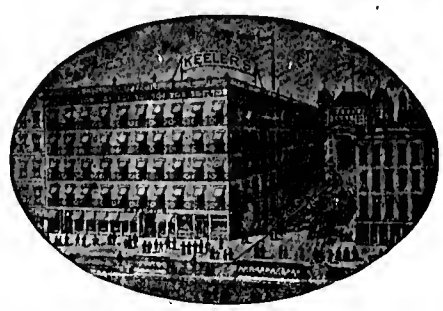
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—Meeting of Papyrus club tonight at 7:45 p. m. Assistant Professor Perry will address the meeting; subject: "George Barnard Shaw."

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THE GREEN LOWERED

Dartmouth Defeated by Williams at Hanover—Score 3 to 0

Williams won decisively from Dartmouth at Hanover Saturday in the only game to be played this season between the teams, by a score of 3 to 0. The game was earned by the visitors by brilliant fielding, which included no errors. The size of the score was due to errors made by Dartmouth.

Skillen pitched a great game and was found for only three hits, two of which were two-baggers. Westervelt proved fully his equal; although he was touched up for five hits, he kept them scattered over four innings and several times showed his ability to pull himself out of a hole. Nesbitt showed up in his old time form. His single in the third inning brought McCarty in from third for the run which would have won the game, even if Dartmouth had not contributed two through errors in the first.

In the seventh Nesbitt pulled down a high liner and made a double play, unassisted, by catching O'Brien off second. McCarty scored two of the three runs and made nine put-outs. The team's fielding was fast and clean, being at times in strong contrast to Dartmouth's work.

The summary:

WILLIAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty c,	3	2	0	9	0	0
Bonham 2b,	2	0	0	4	2	0
Nesbitt ss,	4	1	1	2	2	0
Westervelt p,	4	0	1	0	4	0
Hogan lf,	4	0	0	0	0	0
Neild 3b,	4	0	0	1	0	0
Warren cf,	3	0	1	0	0	0
Harman 1b,	3	0	0	10	0	0
Wadsworth rf,	3	0	0	1	0	0
Total	30	3	3	27	8	0

DARTMOUTH

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Orcutt 2b,	4	0	0	1	2	4
Reeves ss,	4	0	1	1	5	0
Kendy 3b,	4	0	1	7	2	1
O'Brien lf,	4	0	1	0	0	0
Page cf, rf,	4	0	1	1	0	0
Holland cf,	1	0	0	0	0	0
McDevitt rf,	2	0	0	1	0	0
Gleason 3b,	2	0	0	1	0	0
J. Glaze *	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gardiner 1b,	0	0	0	5	0	0
McCabe c,	3	0	0	9	1	1
Skillen p,	3	0	1	1	1	0
Total	31	0	5	27	11	6

Two-base hits, Warren, Westervelt. Stolen bases, McCarty, Nesbitt. Sacrifice hits, Bonham 2, Page. Bases on balls, off Westervelt 2. Hit by pitched ball, McCarty. Struck out, by Westervelt 8, by Skillon 8. Passed ball, McCabe. Double plays, Nesbitt, unassisted, Gardiner unassisted, Gleason, Kendy, Reeve. *Batted for Gleason in seventh. Umpire, Shaw. Time, 1 hr. 55 min.

EASY FOR DARTMOUTH

Track Meet on Weston Field Goes to the Green 79 to 47

Saturday proved to be an unlucky 13th for Williams on the track, the dual meet going to Dartmouth by the unexpectedly large score of 79 to 47. The hoodoo which seems to have been hanging over the team all spring was more in evidence than ever. Another probable point winner, Rudd, was disabled just before the meet, Leavitt was put back a yard for a false start in the high hurdles, and both Crooker and Stocking, who won second and third last year, dropped out after the fifth lap of the two mile.

The compensating features were the breaking of his own record of 51 4-5 seconds for the quarter by Hurlbut, the defeat of Wallis by Hompe in the two mile and Clark's capture of second place in the 220 yards dash. The best individual performance of the day was the exhibition pole vault by Hazen of Dartmouth, who cleared the bar at 11 feet 6 inches, breaking his own record by two inches.

The weather throughout the morning looked anything but propitious for a successful meet. The hills were hidden by mists and dark clouds which foreboded rain. But towards one o'clock the clouds lifted, and the sun soon put the track in ideal shape. The Dartmouth men, who were staying at the Richmond Hotel in North Adams, came over at noon and appeared on the field with a small knot of enthusiastic supporters. They were all in good condition and seemed confident. The officials were: Referee, Eugene Buckley, sporting editor of the Boston Globe; starter, Hugh McGrath, instructor in the Charlesbank gymnasium at Boston; and clerk of course, W. Rooney '01.

Dartmouth won nearly everything conceded her and showed surprising strength in the mile run and broad jump. Thrall played with the other men in the half mile, allowing Jennings to take first. He has a record seven seconds faster than the time made Saturday.

The summary:

One mile run—Won by Stanton D; second, Whittemore D; third, B. P. Allen W; time 4:45 2-5.

440 yards run—Won by Hurlbut W; second, Evans D; third, Prichard D; time 51 3-5.

100 yards dash—Won by Swasey D; second, Jordan D; third, Hill W; time 10 1-5.

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THE DARTMOUTH DEBATE

At Hanover Tomorrow Night—Mr. Haynes Views

At 8:00 o'clock tomorrow night Williams meets Dartmouth at the college church, Hanover, in the tenth debate between the two colleges. The series of debates at present stands Williams five, Dartmouth four. The question for the debate is as follows: "Resolved, That the Monroe doctrine, as interpreted by President Roosevelt in his last annual message should be adopted as a national policy." Williams has the affirmative.

The Williams debaters left for Dartmouth at 12:58 this afternoon and will speak in the following order tomorrow night: Walter Albert Swan 1905, of Geneseo, N. Y., Joseph Earl Perry 1906 of Shelburne Falls, Mass., Russell Gregory 1905 of Salem, N. Y. Clarence Elmore Wells 1905 of Riverhead, N. Y., is alternate. Gregory has represented Williams on the intercollegiate debating stage twice, against Dartmouth last spring and against Wesleyan last fall. Perry was one of the debating team against Wesleyan last fall, while Swan debates for the first time for Williams.

The Dartmouth debaters will speak in the following order: B. C. Falconer '05, J. A. Laing '05. C. T. Eichenauer '05. T. H. Hodgson '08 is the alternate. Eichenauer was a member of the Dartmouth team which debated against Williams last year and against Brown this year, while Falconer and Laing appear for the first time on the intercollegiate debating stage.

The judges this year are determined by a new system, each college choosing an alumnus as its representative, and these two alumni selecting the three judges. The Williams alumnus is Irwin McDowell Garfield '93. The judges are Hon. Frederick Dodge, recently appointed judge of the United States district court for the district of Massachusetts; Hon. Chas. S. Hamlin, assistant secretary of the treasury under Cleveland's administration; and E. J. Rich, attorney for the Boston and Maine railroad, all of Boston. Mr. Dodge will act as chairman.

Rowland Haynes 1902, three times a Williams representative against Dartmouth, has been in town coaching the team the past week. With reference to the question, and the prospects of the team, he says:

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CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MAY 16

3.15 p. m.—1908-Williamstown High school baseball. High school grounds.

7.15 p. m.—Talk by Prof. Russell on "Ghosts" 10 H. H.

8.00 p. m.—Williams-Dartmouth debate, Hanover.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Yale game Weston Field.

4.30 p. m.—1905-1906 baseball, Weston Field.

4.30 p. m.—1907-1908 baseball, old campus.

THURSDAY, MAY 18

4.00 p. m.—1905-1908 baseball, old campus.

GOLF TEAM WINS TWICE

Dartmouth and Albany Defeated on Taconic Course Saturday

The golf season opened Saturday with two easy victories for the college team. Both matches were played on the Taconic course; in the morning Williams won from Dartmouth 15 to 4, Nassau system of scoring, and in the afternoon defeated the Albany Country club team 39 to 0, straight hole play. The Albany team returned on an early afternoon train. In the evening the members of the Dartmouth team and the Amherst tennis team were entertained at a smoker at Bemis'.

The scores follow:

Williams		Dartmouth	
E. A. Clapp	3	R. H. Peck	0
A Mitchell	3	L. Chase	0
L. Mitchell	3	W. F. Garby	0
A. Gregory	0	L. M. Howe	2
G. Lynde	3	S. C. Bartlett	0
B. Wellington	1	P. Smith	2
A. King	2	M. Reid	0
	15		4

Williams, by 11 points.

Williams		Albany	
E. A. Clapp	8	F. S. Howell	0
A. Mitchell	7	F. Pruyn	0
L. Mitchell	9	C. D. Gregory	0
A. Gregory	12	H. W. Cadby	0
G. Lynde	0	P. Carnell	0
A. King	3	Van Rensl'er	0
	39		0

Williams, 39 up.

Chess Match Undecided

Amherst's victory in the chess match played here Friday and Saturday depends upon the adjudication by the Brooklyn Chess club, of an unfinished game between Barlow and Wade.

Games between Wade, Crossett and Dewing, the Amherst players, and Barlow, Gale and Hulst, who represented Williams, resulted as follows: Barlow won from Dewing, lost to Crossett and submitted his game with Wade for adjudication. Gale won from Dewing, lost to Crossett and Wade, and Hulst won from Dewing, lost to Crossett and drew with Wade.

This scores Amherst 4½ points to Williams' 3½ and the decision of the Brooklyn club will determine defeat or tie.

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At Williamstown and Hanover

Dartmouth and Amherst men were guests of the college Saturday. Their cheers were given for Williams and their songs were sung by Williams men. Throughout the day, in the different athletic contests of skill and strength, the very best of feeling prevailed. It should indeed be a source of satisfaction that the relations of Williams with the two colleges are becoming more enduring every day.

The triumph over Dartmouth at Hanover, in the only game between the two teams this year, is glory enough for Williams for one day. To keep the error column free in the enemy's territory is "playing the game" in every sense of the word. The nine has shown that it can play the kind of ball the college wants.

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A Club House

The need of a well-equipped club house on Weston Field has already been urged in these columns. Conclusive proof that such a building is a necessity was evidenced at the track meet with Dartmouth Saturday afternoon. The Williams team and the visiting athletes were cared for in the space beneath the grand-stand, where there are no accommodations except shelter. Bathing facilities there are none. Those who had charge of the athletes were compelled to do the best they could, with the limited facilities at their disposal, to prepare the contestants for the track events. The attention an athlete receives the last few minutes before a race might well be a decisive element in determining the outcome not only of a single event but of the meet itself. Each side, it may be said, was subject to equal disadvantage. Yet in view of the fact that the Dartmouth team is not accustomed to inadequate training quarters at an athletic meet, obviously the visitors were the greater sufferers. In the fairness of good sport it is certainly imperative that the home team be able to make training conditions on the field favorable for the visitors, that they may demonstrate as a team their true strength.

Convenience does not alone demand the erection of a club house. If Williams teams are to be trained and developed with proper regard for the laws of health, such a building is a necessity. Although not generally known, it is a fact that the beginning of Capt. Newell's illness was due to the lack of training facilities on Weston Field. After hard work on the track, the walk from the field to the gymnasium in the rain might leave a man unable to meet successfully the lightest attack of disease.

The club house would benefit directly every candidate for the three athletic teams, members of the class teams, and every man in college who makes use of the field. It would furthermore be an incentive for wider participation in athletics, and would thus answer the objection of those opposing the expenditure of funds for the advantage of the few. The college has not seen fit to make this improvement, which would make perfect an otherwise well-appointed recreation ground. Must athletics at Williams continue to be so handicapped?

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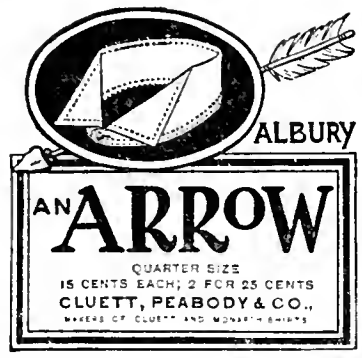
A gentleman recently spoke to me concerning smoking by students standing about the chapel entrance. He referred especially to this on Sunday mornings and said that visitors instinctively compared it with the custom before regular churches and often carried away an unfavorable impression. As long as the matter at all affects the college's reputation, it is thoroughly worthy of consideration and while the question is largely one of personal taste, it would seem that this habit might properly be done away with.

It has been customary to have some annual warning concerning walking on the grass and this year the caution seems no less necessary. It is absolutely essential for the good appearance of the campus that we should not walk across the grass in places where there is the slightest possibility of bare spots thereby being worn.

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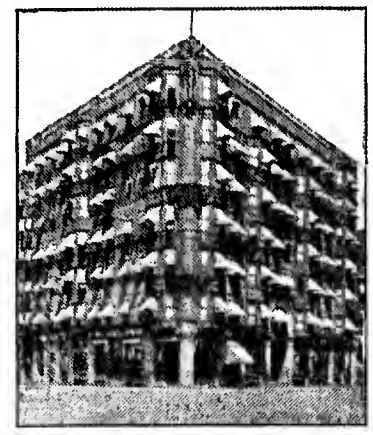
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The plans for the dormitory will be drawn at once, to be approved by the committee on grounds, buildings and improvements, and brought before the trustees later. Until the plans are accepted by the trustees, it cannot be definitely stated just what the size of the dormitory will be, or when construction work will begin. At all events, the dormitory will accommodate about 80 students and will be a dormitory for scholarship men.

The remainder of the meeting was taken up by the usual routine business. The committee to arrange a schedule of service, as well as a system for promotion and retirement, for instructors, placed a preliminary report in the hands of the trustees, for final action in June. The usual professional appointments were made, but, as the list is at present unfinished, will not be given out until later.

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In the dual tennis meet with Amherst, held on Saturday on the courts of the Taconic golf club, Williams won all the matches played. Through a misunderstanding Amherst brought only two men instead of four, so that only two singles matches were played and one in doubles.

The first contest was between Weed of Amherst and Northrop of Williams, but the local player was never dangerously pressed and won in straight sets 6-1; 6-2. The second match between Marcus of Amherst and Westcott of Williams proved to be the longest match of the day, but was finally won by the Williams man after he had several times been within one point of losing. In the doubles Northrop and Smith played a steady consistent game and were at no time hard pressed by the Amherst pair.

Summary:

SINGLES

Northrop (Williams) beat Weed (Amherst) 6-1; 6-3

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120 yards hurdles—Won by Shaw D; second, Leavitt W; third, Griswold W; time 16.

880 yards run—Won by Jennings D; second, Thrall D; third, Carns D; time 2:04 3-5.

Two mile run—Won by Hompe W; second, Wallis D; third, A. J. Allen W; time 10:35.

220 yards dash—Won by Swasey D; second, Clark W; third Jordan D; time 22 4-5.

220 yards hurdles—Won by Leavitt W; second, Griswold W; third, Shaw D; time 25 1-5.

High jump—A. M. Brown W and M. Brown W, tied for first; third, Gray D; height 5 feet 6 inches.

Shot Put—Won by Marshall W; second, Greenwood D; third, F. H. Brown D; distance 40 feet.

Broad jump—Won by Gray D; second, A. Brown D; third, A. M. Brown W; distance 20 feet 5 1-4 inches.

Hammer throw—Won by Gage D; second, LaMent W; third, Herr D; distance 120 feet 3 1-4 inches.

Pole vault—Won by Hazen D; second, Blythe D; Winslow W and Scarritt W tied for third; height 11 feet 6 inches.

Discus throw—Won by Howe D; second, Blake D; third, Watson W; distance 106 feet 1-2 inch.

ALUMNI NOTES

'66—Rev. William W. Clark is field secretary of the Dutch Reformed church at Brooklyn, N. Y.

'78—Prof. Edward M. Shepard is dean of Drury college at Springfield, Mo. He was field assistant in the United States geological survey.

'87—Prof. Robert G. Aitken is assistant astronomer at Lick Observatory, on the summit of Mt. Hamilton, near San Jose, Cal.

'88—Rev. John S. Porter is pastor of the American church at Prague, Bohemia.

'93—Frederick E. Searle is teacher of physics and chemistry, and director of the home department of the Detroit University school.

'99—Paul N. Bogart is deputy state attorney for the forty-third judicial district of Indiana, at Terre Haute, Ind.

1904—Reinholdt H. Ernst is instructor in German and French at the Pennsylvania State Normal school at Millersville, Pa.

Ex-'07—Barber is abroad on a European tour and is at present in Germany.

Ex-'08—Delancy is a student at George Washington University at Washington, D. C.

—Mr. Lewis will meet Van Vechten prize speakers Wednesday, May 17, at 2:30, Alumni Hall.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Taube '08 is ill at his home in Montclair, N. J.

Osterhout 1908 was taken on the baseball training table Friday.

Preliminary dance orders have been given out for the sophomore prom.

Dr. Howard gave a short talk to seniors before chapel Sunday afternoon.

The 1905-1906 baseball game, scheduled for last Saturday, was postponed.

The 'Logian preliminaries for the Wesleyan debate will be held May 17th and 24th.

Goodwillie '05 is acting captain of the track team. Neither Capt. Newell nor Warner will be able to take part in any meet this year.

A list of those who have charged with double cuts for leaving before the Easter vacation began has been posted in Hopkins Hall.

The 30th annual intercollegiate athletic championship meet will be held at Franklin Field, Philadelphia, May 26 and 27.

R. M. McLellan 1907 has been sick with pneumonia at his home in Newton Centre. He is now convalescent and will return to college soon.

The annual championship meet of the Williams College Interscholastic Athletic Association will be held on Weston Field on Saturday, June 3, at 9 a. m.

The following alumni were in town last week: Harding '57, A. L. Hopkins '63, Peck '80, Hatch '03, Hun '04, Delafield ex-'05, M. Wells ex-'07.

Warren '07, chairman of the music committee for the sophomore prom, announces that the latest dance music, which has come out since the dance program was arranged, will be used for encores.

Seventy-three men from the college were engaged in regular baseball games last Wednesday; the 'varsity nine at Worcester, the second team on Weston Field, nineteen men in the class game which followed, eighteen on the old campus, and eighteen at the Netherleigh. Three student umpires raise the total to seventy-six.

Graves Prize Essays

The successful competitors for the prizes offered in the will of the late Arthur B. Graves '58 for the best six essays by members of the senior class are: Max Forrester Eastman, subject, Giordano Bruno, the unanimous first choice of the judges; Raymond Eugene Cook, subject, The prisoner of the Vatican; Frederic Daniel Cheydleur, subject, Dogma and religious life; Ralph Miller Ketcham, subject, Disraeli; Roy Boardman Smith, subject, Giordano Bruno; Clarence Elmore Wells, subject, Giordano Bruno.

Each one of the six men will receive a prize of $20, and in addition a prize of $80 will be given "to the student who shall deliver his essay in the most effective manner," at the Graves prize-speaking contest in the Congregational church Saturday evening, June 17.



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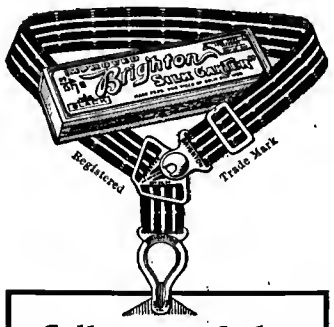
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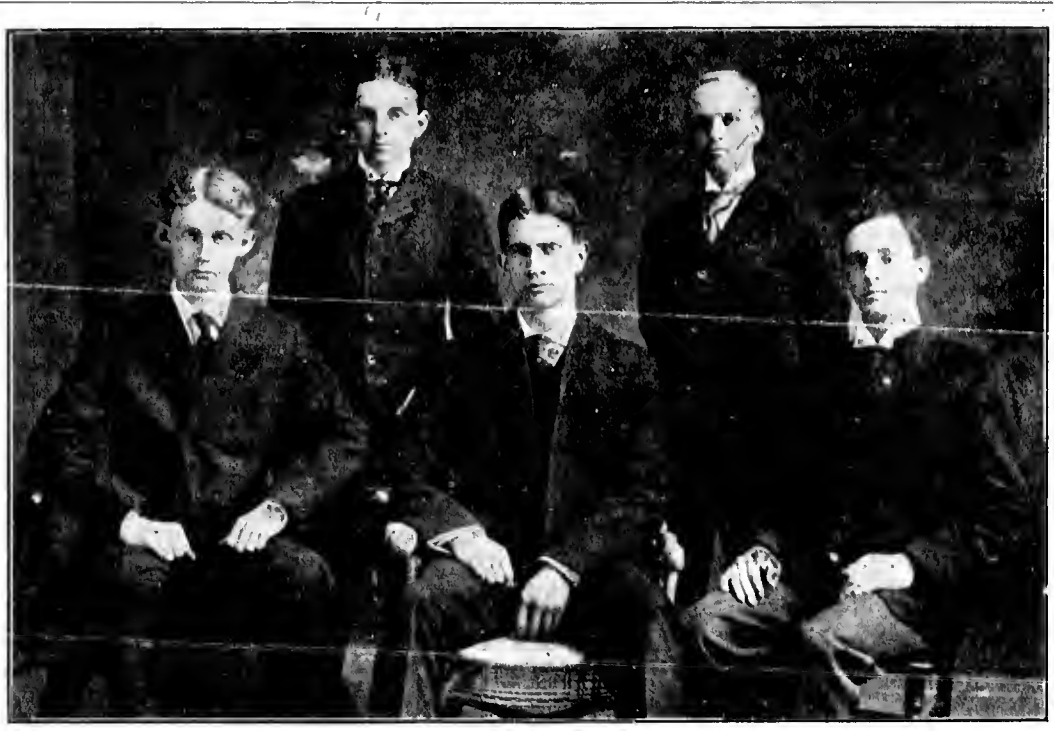
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The Dartmouth Debate

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"The question for debate with Dartmouth this year has the advantage of definiteness. The discussion is to be on an interpretation of a well-known doctrine, an interpretation laid down in a specific document, namely President Roosevelt's message of last December. This should do away with much of the diffuseness which often prevents the opposing speakers from coming at once to the real issue. On the other hand it opens up a tremendously wide topic, involving not only South American republics and the United States, but European countries as well, and consequently requires a very large range of information both for support and defense of the affirmative position.

"The Williams debaters have worked long and hard on the question and I am very well satisfied of the use they have made of the material at hand. In the last few days especially, they have done much to make clearer and simpler their presentation. It is always unwise to make predictions about the chances in any debate and especially so in a debate on such a broad topic. I am confident, however, that the Williams representatives will put before the judges a strong presentation of the affirmative position."

On Bernard Shaw

Asst. Prof. Lewis Perry spoke last Thursday night before the Papyrus Club on George Bernard Shaw, the English playwright whose dramas have recently created such wide-spread discussion. Mr. Perry believes that though Mr. Shaw's plays are exceedingly clever, they are scarcely more than passing fads, and that though the author is sincere in his iconoclastic sentiments, he can make no lasting impression on the drama.



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YALE—Barnes cf, O'Brien ss. Kinney 3b, Cote lf, Huiskamp rf, Bowman 1b, Camp 2b, Erwin or Chapin c, Bell or Pratt p.

WILLIAMS—McCarty c, Bonham 2b, Nesbitt ss, Westervelt p, Hogan lf, Neild 3b, Warren cf, Harman 1b, Wadsworth rf.

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Yale 0, Manhattan 5.
Yale 17, Tufts 6.
Yale 6, Brown 3.
Yale 2, Columbia 1.
Yale 3, Georgetown 4.
Yale 3, Richmond 0.
Yale 6, Virginia 5.
Yale 6, Georgetown 9.
Yale 3, Penn. 2.
Yale 6, Penn. 0.
Yale 5, Maine 3.
Yale 5, Andover 4.
Yale 0, Brown 7.
Yale 2, West Point 1.
Yale 4, Holy Cross 3.

Sophomores Lose

The sophomores lost their second game in the inter-class championship series Thursday afternoon when the juniors were victorious in a loosely played contest. The final score was 7 to 2. Four runs were made off Stewart's delivery in the fourth inning and this lead could not be overcome.

The summary:

									R.	H.	E.
1906.....	1	2	0	4	0	x			7	8	5
1907.....	1	0	0	1	0	0			2	5	5

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Standing of Class Teams

	Won.	Lost	Pct.
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1905	1	0	1.000
1906	1	2	.333
1907	0	2	.000

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Track Squad

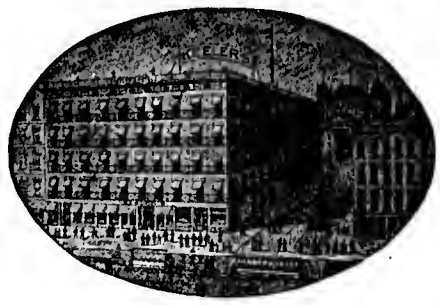
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FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

Announced by President Hopkins --More About Dormitory

The list of faculty appointments was completed last week and announced by President Hopkins. Assistant Professor William E. McElfresh was promoted to be Thomas T. Reed Professor of Physics, and Assistant Professor Herdman F. Cleland was promoted to a full professorship of geology. Mr. Preserved Smith was appointed instructor in history and Mr. L. L. Woodruff instructor in biology. Instructors to replace those who are going to Princeton will be elected at the June meeting.

In accordance with the vote taken at the trustees' meeting, the committee on grounds, buildings and improvements are considering competitive plans received for Berkshire Hall from seven architects. One of these plans, with exact estimates of cost of construction, will be brought before the trustees at their June meeting for final action, and until then, of course, minor details will not be settled. All the plans, however, embody certain general requirements.

The building, as before stated, will be located on the site of the present Sewall house and will be parallel to East, with its main entrance facing west towards the rest of the campus. The ground on which the dormitory is to stand will be graded up to a level with Clark Hall. The building will be three stories in height, built entirely of brick, in the colonial style. All the plans contain provisions for a wing extending east, and in case the trustees decide to construct the dormitory in this T shape rather than in the usual oblong, the building will accommodate many more than any scholarship dormitory at present.

At all events, the main part of the dormitory will be larger, accommodating more men than East College. The building will contain both single and double rooms of moderate price. Abundant bathing facilities will be afforded, probably with bath for every six to twelve men. Further definite arrangements will depend on the particular set of plans accepted by the trustees.

Addition to Commencement Program

SUNDAY, JUNE 18, 8 P. M.

Address by Rev. Washington Gladden, DD., LL.D., '59, in Congregational church.

WORCESTER TRACK MEET

Summaries of Best Performances in Different Events

The annual meet of the New England Intercollegiate Track and Field Association will be held at the Worcester Oval, Worcester, tomorrow and Saturday. On Friday trials will be held in all the events except the 100 yard dash, one and two mile runs, and on Saturday finals in all the events will take place.

The sprinters on the track squad left for Worcester this noon, and the long distance men will go tomorrow. The team will stay at the Bay State House. The following men are taken on the trip: Ayers 1905, Griswold 1906, A. M. Brown, M. Brown, Hompe, Hurlbut, Leavitt 1907, B. P. Allen, Clark, LaMent, Marshall 1908.

Entries have been received from Williams, Amherst, Dartmouth, Brown, Wesleyan, Bowdoin, Tufts, Trinity, University of Maine, University of Vermont and M. I. T.

Best performances in the different events in competitive meets this year are as follows:

100 yard dash—10 1-5s, Swasey D, Reed A, Lightner M. I. T, Porter Me.

220 yard dash—22s, Swasey D, 23s, Lightner M. I. T., Porter, Me.

440 yard run—51 3-5s Lamkie B, Hurlbut W; 52s, Martin Wes.

880 yards run—1:59 1-5s. Thrall D; 2:03, White A, Wilson M. I. T.

1 mile run—4:29 2-5s, Wright B; 4:38 3-5, White A; 4:39 1-5, Grey Wes.

2 mile run—10:18 2-5s, Benson Wes; 10:25s Calloway M. I. T.

High hurdles—16s, Shaw D; 16 2-5s, J. H. Hubbard A.

Low hurdles—25 1-5s. Leavitt W; 25 4-5s, W. P. Hubbard A.

High jump—5ft. 7in. Farrington M. I. T.; 5ft 6in. A. Brown W, M. Brown W Sturdy B. Neihl Wes, Bowne Trin.

Pole vault—11ft 6in. Hazen D; 10ft 9in, Shaw Me; 10 ft 6in, Blythe D; 10ft 4½in, Crook A.

Broad jump—21ft 3in, W. P. Hubbard A; 21ft 1¼in, Green Tufts; 20ft 9¼ in. Gray D.

Hammer throw—125ft 8in, Denning Bow; 124ft 4in, Knapp M. I. T.; 120ft 3¼in, Gage D.

Discus throw—115ft 3in. Denning Bow, Dearborn Wes; 109ft 1¾in. Ehmke B.

Shot put—43ft 5in, Rollins A; 40 ft, Marshall W; 38ft 8¼in, Brown D; 38ft 5in, Dearborn Wes; 38ft 3in, Denning Bow, 38ft. Ehmke B.

Other records to be kept in mind by those interested in the meet are, in the runs, Swasey's 9 4-5s in the 100 done at Dartmouth last year, Lightner's 21 3-5s in the 220 made at the intercollegiate games three

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DARTMOUTH WON

The Tenth Annual Debate—Outline of Arguments

The tenth annual Dartmouth-Williams debate was held Tuesday evening in the college church, Hanover, and was won by Dartmouth, making the series of debates five all. The question was: "Resolved, That the Monroe doctrine as interpreted by President Roosevelt in his last annual message should be adopted as a national policy." His Excellency John McLane, governor of New Hampshire, presided, introducing the debaters with an eloquent speech on the Monroe doctrine and patriotism.

The arguments of the negative were based on the fact that President Roosevelt's interpretation was an entire change of policy and would lead the United States into grave dangers. Dartmouth failed to buttress its arguments so well with facts as did Williams, but presented a more finished case. After the debate, the Williams debaters were entertained at a banquet with the Dartmouth debaters, Governor McLane, President Tucker and several members of the Dartmouth faculty.

First Speaker—Affirmative

Walter A. Swan 1905 opened the debate for the affirmative. After defining the old Monroe doctrine, he developed and defined the corollary to it formulated by Mr. Roosevelt. This Roosevelt Monroe doctrine does not imply that the United States is to interfere in South American affairs regardless of South America's interests, or when our interests are not involved. It does imply, however, that the United States is to interfere in flagrant cases, as a last resort, when the rights of the United States have been violated, or foreign aggression invited to the detriment of entire South America. It is a necessary interpretation of the Monroe doctrine, as developed by Polk, Blaine and Cleveland, is logical, and, above all, just.

First Speaker—Negative

R. C. Falconer '05 opened for Dartmouth. Dartmouth contends that the Roosevelt corollary to the Monroe doctrine should not be adopted as a national policy since it is unwarranted, impolitic, and undemocratic. The affirmative must show that this interpretation is called for and will not place the United States in an embarrassing position. It is unwarranted, since it is an extreme innovation, since South America is prosperous and the international relations of the U. S. do not imperil the old Monroe doctrine.

Second Speaker for Williams

Joseph E. Perry 1906 was Williams' second speaker. The Roosevelt interpretation gives the United States commercial self-protection, for by this interpretation alone can we secure justice in the collection of debts and at the same time avoid friction with our Southern neighbors. Since political aggression is likely to follow in the guise of commercial aggression—the definite foreign policy of European nations—this interpretation affords double protection. This protection is all the more needed, at the present time since South America is daily becoming more desirable to Europe of itself, and this desire is now intensified by the building of the Panama canal.

An Impolitic Interpretation

J. A. Laing '05, the Green's second speaker, held that the Roosevelt interpretation was impolitic for three reasons. First, grave entanglements would ensue in South America and in Europe. The action of Roosevelt in San Domingo is but one example of impolitic interference. Second, travellers, newspapers, tourists, all testify that South America does not want the Roosevelt interpretation. The San Domingo Improvement Co., the largest firm in that country, has refused to sanction President Roosevelt's treaty with San Domingo. Third, the task of collecting debts is too large for the United States to assume.

From Specific Examples

Russell Gregory 1905 closed the

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CALENDAR

FRIDAY, MAY 19

2.00 p. m.—Trials, N. E. I. A. A., Worcester Oval, Worcester.

3.00 p. m.—Williams-M. I. T. golf match, Boston.

7.45 p. m.—Meeting of Musical Association, for election of leaders and assistant manager, J. H.

8.00 p. m—Dr. Rudolph Tombo, Jr. of Columbia University will lecture on Schiller, J. H.

SATURDAY, MAY 20

11.30 a. m.—Williams—Harvard golf match, Myopia Golf course, Boston.

2.30 p. m.—Williams-M. A. C. baseball game, Weston Field.

4.30 p. m.—1905-1907 baseball game.

SUNDAY, MAY 21

10.30 a. m.—College chapel, Dr. Albert J. Lyman of Brooklyn will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes, J. H.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting. President Hopkins will speak, J. H.

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An Opportunity

The size and character of the class which will enter Williams next fall becomes about this time a subject of interest. It is natural that the athletic possibilities of the class of 1909 should assume the most prominence in the eyes of the undergraduates. It has often occurred to us that if the feeling of curiosity so commonly expressed in the words, "I wonder what football material they'll have," could be changed to a determination to have some share in the formation of that class, Williams would have the teams she ought to have.

We are all of us spectators instead of actors. Here lies the trouble, and in this seems to be the explanation why the teams which represent the college fail to maintain a uniform standard of strength. Generally speaking, the student body takes little part in determining the numbers and make-up of the incoming class. There seems to be a prevalent idea that a freshman class is made in the dean's office; that the college can only stand by and hope for the best from a kind fate. As a matter of fact, the new class only passes through the office of the dean. It is made outside, through the efforts of alumni and friends of the college, whose work if it could be computed, would make that of the undergraduates appear small by comparison.

In the securing of good athletes, students and men for Williams, the alumni unquestionably have a field which is not open to undergraduate effort. Yet to supplement this the student in college today has opportunities, which, if properly exercised, would have a decisive influence in the selection of the right men for the class of 1909. Two weeks more will see Williams at its best. The festivities of sophomore prom. week, the ideal time of the year and the freedom from entrance examinations will all combine to make Williams most attractive to the man who plans to enter college in the fall. The extent of the commencement week events this year, including the dedication of the Thompson Memorial Chapel and the coming of President Roosevelt, should likewise prove an equal inducement to the prospective freshman.

The Williams man, whose love for his college is deep-rooted, and who looks to its advancement ahead of all other interests, will not fail to make the most of these opportunities. It is the individual effort, in which a man is held responsible to himself alone, that accomplishes the best results. Let him who can, sacrifice a part of his time, that he may perhaps do a service to the college.

Left to Library by F. T. Cole '77

Frank T. Cole '77, principal of the University school, Columbus, Ohio, recently presented the library with 39 volumes of different editions, translations, criticisms of the classics, etc., many of them valuable because of their age, and one or two of exceptional interest because of their quaintness.

On the fly-leaf of a volume of the "Panegyricus" of Isocrates, included in the collection, appear the names of two prominent alumni, Edward A. Birge, Ph. D., Sc. D., '73, acting president of the University of Wisconsin from 1900 to 1903, and Charles B. Hubbell '74, a former trustee of the college, showing that the book must have been used by these men when in Williams. The volume is liberally annotated with student helps.

Other interesting volumes are an excellent complete 10 volume set of Cicero, printed by the Clarendon press, Oxford, in 1783; the 1753 edition of Gilbert West's translation of the odes of Pindar, containing in Vol. 2 a "Dissertation on the Olympick games;" a 1741 edition of "The Georgicks of Virgil," with an English translation of Virgil, to which William Cowper was a subscriber; two interesting geographical works, an essay on "The geography of Herodotus," with maps, and the original 1791 edition of Chevalier's "Description of the plain of Troy", translated into English, with several quaint maps, the first scholarly investigation of the geography of the Troad with refer-

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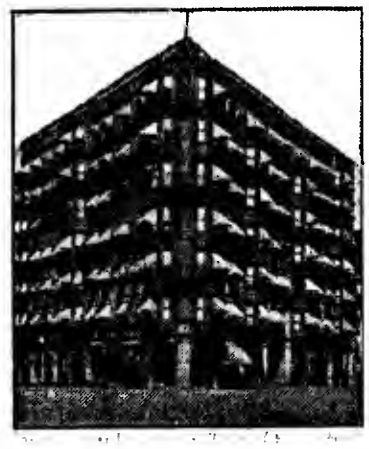
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Prof. Russell on "Ghosts"

In the last of his series of lectures, delivered Tuesday night, Professor Russell discussed the phenomenon of Ghosts. After telling several interesting stories, among them those of a ghost which spoke and allowed its hand to be shaken, of an apparition which appeared as the man whom it represented was killed in battle, and of a haunted house, the speaker went on to give the scientific explanation for these phenomena.

There are two hypotheses, he said, the first that someone in another existence influences the mind of the person affected so as to produce hallucinations; the second, that a memory image of a dead friend recurs to the mind, and causes a supposedly true image to appear. Both, however, attribute the appearance of the phantoms to mental hallucinations, and not to any actual presence of real objects.

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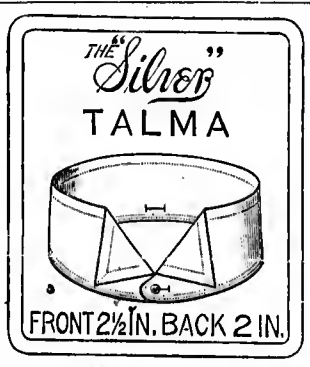
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Dartmouth Won

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debate for Williams with a strong argument from specific examples. An example of European commercial control resulting in political control can be seen in Egypt, which, once free, became a British commercial dependency, then a British protectorate, and is now practically a British colony. An example of the need of this Roosevelt interpretation can be seen in San Domingo, a country whose pledges are broken, whose revenues subverted, whose creditor nations clamorous, which herself asks for aid. If the United States ought to give this aid, the affirmative have won their contention, for such action would be a direct use of the Roosevelt interpretation. If the only remaining alternative, help from an outside nation, is to result, such a temporary occupation must become permanent, since San Domingo's foreign indebtedness is $22,000,000 while her yearly balance is only $550,000. Such foreign control would be exactly opposed to the old Monroe doctrine and would place a foreign power in possesion of one of the two main approaches to the Panama canal.

Dartmouth's Last Speaker

C. T. Eichenauer 1905, Dartmouth's veteran debater, closed for the negative with an able argument. "The democratic principles of the United States will be endangered. South America will be deprived of independence, since the United States can step in at any time. To be sure, the affirmative have stated that the interpretation is to be applied only in flagrant cases, but by this very statement they admit the Roosevelt interpretation to be dangerous, for they only want to use it once in a long, long time."

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Rebuttals

In rebuttal, Swan said: "The negative object that the United States will be its own judge when to interfere. Who should be the judge? We have no international grammar to tell us when we are hurt. The negative asks us why we need the Roosevelt corollary. We must adopt it to maintain the old Monroe doctrine."

R. C. Falconer, referring mainly to the arguments of Williams' last speaker, said that bad as San Domingo is, she is not bad enough to warrant the "capital punishment of the Roosevelt interpretation.. All Central and South America must tremble at Roosevelt's alacrity in San Domingo, and at his self-righteous assumption."

Perry claimed that the Monroe doctrine was no longer of use in

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keeping off forceful foreign intervention and reiterated the point that the Roosevelt corollary is needed to prevent political agression, now carried on under the guise of commercial aggression.

Eichenauer was the second speaker in Dartmouth's rebuttal. The premise of the affirmative that the United States have not allowed Europe to collect debts is false. The example of Egypt is not apt, as England would never have gone into Egypt, had there been any Monroe doctrine to protect that country.

Gregory closed the rebuttal for Williams with a forceful speech. Affairs in San Domingo have gone so far as to warrant "capital punishment." The negative's claim that the Roosevelt corollary ought not to be adopted because it involves a big navy, is like saying that a man should not grow strong because he might misuse his strength. The United States needs the Roosevelt interpretation for self-protection.

Laing closed the debate for the negative by stating that the affirmative's contention that the United States needs the Roosevelt corollary for self-protection is rebutted by the case of the San Domingo Improvement Co. "The affirmative have based their entire case on selfish grounds and yet have failed to show that the old Monroe doctrine is affecting the prosperity of the country."

After being out fifteen minutes, the judges, Hon. Frederick Dodge, Hon. Charles S. Hamlin, and Mr. Edgar J. Rich brought in a decision for the negative.

Worcester Track Meet

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years ago, when he was in Harvard, and Stearns' (A) 50 1-5s in the Amherst spring games, with a gale at his back. Orrell (A) can be counted on for about 51 4-5s in the quarter. In the high hurdles Leavitt has run 16 1-5s repeatedly, while J. H. Hubbard (A) claims a fifth of a second better. Farrington, of Tech, did 10ft 9in at Worcester last year in the pole vault, and Eyster, of Wesleyan, also has a good record.

In the weights Denning's record hammer throw of 138ft 8in, at Worcester last year, should be remembered, while at the same meet Ehmke of Brown threw the discus 118ft 8in in exhibition, and both Denning and Ehmke put the shot over 39 ft. Weld of Bowdoin, who took fourth in the quarter last year, and Shorey, who finished third in the two mile, are other entries from the Maine colleges who may take places.

Admission by Tickets

It has been deemed necessary to have admission to events of commencement week by tickets only. Those which will be thus limited are the dedication of the new chapel, the organ recital in the chapel, the reception to President Roosevelt—all on Wednesday, June 21, and the commencement exercises on June 22. The alumni, as they arrive, will register in Jesup Hall, and will receive their tickets. The graduating class, with their guests, will receive tickets; all students of the college will be admitted, and as many of the general public will receive tickets as can be accommodated.



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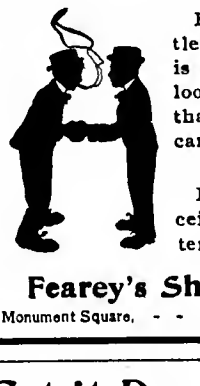
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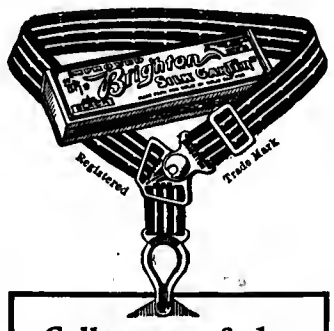
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COLLEGE NOTES

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The local G. A. R. has arranged to use the old chapel for exercises on Memorial day.

Chester Meneely of Troy was in town again yesterday to play the chapel chimes.

President Hopkins will speak at the Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday evening.

The handicap shoot for the Sercomb cup will be held at the golf links Saturday, May 20, beginning at 1:45 p. m.

The following alumni have been in town: Black '00, Rogers '02, Chapman '03, Erskine '04, Hollister '04,

The Lit. banquet will be held tonight at the Richmond Hotel, North Adams. Dutton '07 will be toastmaster and Pettit, Livingston, Tourtellot, and Murray will speak.

Gaston N. Dethier, organist in St. Francis Xavier church of New York city, has been engaged to play the organ of the Thompson Memorial Chapel at commencement.

Prof. Goodrich will address the Headmasters' Association of Western Massachusetts at a meeting to be held in North Adams, Saturday, May 20. His subject will be "History in the Secondary Schools."

On Tuesday a meeting of the executive board of the Connecticut Valley Student Mission conference was held in Northampton. The purpose of the meeting was to present annual reports and arrange for the regular conference, to be held next fall. Curtiss '06 and Lowe '06 attended.

Chess Match a Tie

By a decision of the Brooklyn Chess club, to which the five hour chess game between Barlow and Ward of Amherst was appealed, the game is awarded to Barlow. This adds one point to the Williams score and makes the match score a tie, each team securing 4½ game points.

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Responses have been received from more than forty men, and a class fund, already of considerable proportions, is daily increasing. So crowded will Williamstown be at commencement time, that no suitable house could be secured for headquarters. A tent large enough to accommodate all the class will be pitched near the corner of South and Main Streets, behind McMahon's livery. This will not be used for sleeping quarters, but merely as a place for meeting and entertainment. The banquet will be held at the Greylock hotel, Tuesday evening, June 20 at 9:00 o'clock.

A bugler, fifer and drummer will furnish music for the class, besides a full brass band, which will give a concert, and serenade other classes holding reunions. Members of '95 as well as of other classes, are likely to be awakened at dawn with reveille, and be retired some time or other with taps, while the various mess and hospital calls will sound at intervals. An invitation will be sent to President Roosevelt to visit the class at its headquarters. This committee has adopted a cap with class numerals, to be worn by all the members during the week. A fling with class numerals will surmount the tent.

Seventy-three men graduated, of whom two have died. Members of '95 reside in eighteen states and territories. Twelve members are teachers, eighteen are lawyers, seven doctors, four manufacturers, four journalists, three ministers, and twenty-four in miscellaneous walks of life. The mayor of Columbus, Ohio, and a Massachusetts state senator are among the members of '95, besides college instructors, high school principals and teachers, a captain, lieutenant and three members of New York U. S. Volunteers. The class of 1895 founded the Gargoyle society.

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Yale Game Called Off

A steady, drizzling rain which set in about 1 o'clock yesterday made it necessary to call off the Yale-Williams baseball game. The teams will not be matched against each other this season. In spite of the dreary outlook a large crowd from North Adams and neighboring towns was on hand in the vain hope that the shower would prove short-lived, and it was evident that a clear day might have brought a record-breaking crowd to Weston Field. The Yale team returned to New Haven on the 3:18 train.

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—The next meeting of the Lit. board will be held Thursday, May 25. All contributions should be handed to some member of the Board before six o'clock on that afternoon.

—Dr. Rudolph Tombo, Jr., professor of German in Columbia University, New York city, will deliver an illustrated lecture on Schiller in Jesup Hall tomorrow evening at 8:00 p. m. All are invited.

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CHANGE IN PROGRAM

President Roosevelt Arrives Earlier—Committee Appointed

The date of President Roosevelt's arrival in Williamstown has been changed from 9:30 p. m. on Wednesday, June 21, to 6:30 p. m. He will come on special train from Worcester, where he will attend the commencement exercises at Holy Cross, after having spent the day before at Clark university. The President will probably give a short speech at North Adams from the rear platform of his train. The hour of the reception in Griffin Hall will also be changed from 9:30 to 8:30. Admission to this reception will be by tickets only, which will be furnished to the alumni upon registration in Jesup Hall, and to others so far as the accommodations will allow.

The committee which will receive the president will have Hon. W. Murray Crane, United States senator and ex-governor of Massachusetts, as chairman. Associated with him will be other prominent Berkshire county men, including A. C. Houghton of North Adams, a trustee of the college, and W. B. Plunkett of Adams. The following sub-committees have been appointed: Entertainment, Prof. Clarke and Dr. Henry S. Leake '87; invitations, Prof. Rice; ushers, Prof. Milham; escort, Asst. Prof. Hardy, Asst. Prof. Perry and Mr. J. A. DeCamp 1900. Prof. Ferry has been appointed marshal for the week.

The general committee in charge consists of Rev. Mr. Burr, Prof. Wild and Treasurer Hoyt.

Rutter Cup Trials

Trials for the cups again offered by W. M. Rutter '99 for place-kicking, punting, and drop-kicking will come on Saturday, May 27. Someone will be at the field all day to record trials. Footballs for practice may be obtained from W. S. Case or at Allie Watson's. The cups will be put on exhibition during the week, and it is earnestly requested that as many men as possible will compete.

H. D. Bixby, Captain.

1907, 5; 1905, 0

1907 shut out 1905 in a well-played game on Saturday. Pierce pitched in remarkable form for the sophomores, striking out no less than 12 men and allowing only two hits with not a single base on balls. Score by innings:

		R.	H.	E.
1905	0 0 0 0 0 0—0	2	3	
1907	1 0 2 0 2 0—5	6	2	

Batteries—1905, Mills and Parsons; 1907, Pierce and Southworth. Umpire—Watson 1905.

A CO-OPERATIVE STORE

Students and Faculty on Committee—Plans For Next Year

Through the efforts of a committee composed of members of the faculty and upperclassmen, definite plans have been set on foot for a co-operative book store, managed by students, at Williams next year, the success or failure of the plans now depending on the reception of the idea by the student body. Such co-operative stores are at present run at Yale, Tufts, and Harvard with great financial success. The only student-managed book-store ever run in Williams, as far as is known, that conducted by Mr. John Nelson '92, was also successful under far less favorable conditions.

The plan of the store is based on that of the Yale co-operative store. The stock carried will consist of books, stationery, athletic supplies, flags, souvenirs, etc. Through the faculty, of course, all required text-books and other college supplies can be obtained here as at present at the college book-store. Tickets will be sold, entitling their holders to membership in the co-operative store association at rates of $2 for one year, $3.50 for two years, $4.50 for three years, and $5 for four years. These ticket holders will elect a board of directors, upon which the faculty will have representation, in whose hands all the executive matters of the institution will rest. A student superintendent will be elected by the directors, who, in turn, will hire his student assistants to have charge of the business of the store.

Prices will be reduced from 10 to 25 per cent, and the store will thus profit each of the student owners who compose the association. Members holding tickets will make purchases at the store at prices as near cost as possible, while non-members will be charged current Williamstown rates. All goods will be sold for cash. The store will be run to make as little money as possible, but whatever profits may accrue over running expenses will be put into a sinking fund or invested in capital stock, the ticket holders deriving their profit, as at Yale, from the reduced prices offered, rather than from dividends from the management, as at Harvard.

A committee, consisting of Prof. Spring, chairman; Prof. Ferry, and Treasurer Hoyt, Howe, A. P. Newell, and Pettit '05, Burnap and Perry '06, have charge of the plans. A paper will be circu-

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DEBATING LEAGUE

Dartmouth, Brown and Williams Make Two-team Agreement

At a conference held between representatives from Brown, Dartmouth and Williams at Worcester Saturday, Williams entered a debating league with these two institutions for next year. The agreement, modelled after that between Cornell, Columbia and Pennsylvania, has several novel features, introduced to increase the interest in debating, to improve the efficiency of the debaters, and to eliminate whatever advantage may be given by choice of sides.

By the terms of the agreement, each college will have two three-man teams in the field, which will all debate the same question on the same night, one team upholding the affirmative at home, the other the negative at one of the other colleges. Under this system Williams will meet Dartmouth at Williamstown and Brown at Providence on March 4. Each college is to submit a question by Nov. 1 and from these three questions the one which will be debated in March will be selected by lot. The judges will be chosen by alumni of the various colleges, and will render their decision by the conference system. A committee was appointed to draw up detailed plans to be submitted to the three colleges for agreement.

Soon after receiving the Brown-Dartmouth proposal a similar plan was submitted by Wesleyan for a league between Wesleyan, Williams and a third college to be determined upon later. Since negotiations were already under way with Brown and Dartmouth, it was necessary to decline Wesleyan's plan, with the understanding that it be considered next year. For the present, of course, the annual Williams-Wesleyan debate will be held as usual—this fall at Middletown.

The Lit. Banquet

Last Thursday night the old and new members of the Lit. board held their annual banquet at the Richmond hotel in North Adams. Eight members were present. The occasion was particularly enjoyable because of its informality. Toasts were responded to by Pettit, Tourtellot and Livingston 1905. George B. Dutton 1907, chairman of the board, acted as toastmaster.

Van Vechten Prize Speaking

The annual extemporaneous public speaking contest for the prize of $70 given by Hon. Abraham Van Wyck Van Vechten '47 will be held in Jesup Hall Wednesday evening at 7:30.

CALENDAR

MONDAY, MAY 22

7.30 p. m.—Meeting of the Musical Association for election of leaders, and asst. business manager, J. H.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24

2.30 p. m.—Williams 2d-Amherst 2d baseball game, Weston Field.

3.00 p. m.—1908-Williston game, Sawyer Field, Easthampton.

4.00 p. m.—Williams-Harvard baseball game, Soldiers' Field, Cambridge.

4.30 p. m.—1906-1907 baseball game, Weston Field.

7.30 p. m.—Van Vechten prize speaking, J. H.

THURSDAY, MAY 25.

4.00 p. m.—1905-1908 baseball game, old campus.

AMHERST AGAIN

Williams and M. I. T. Tie For Fourth at Worcester

Williams made a weak showing in the annual New England intercollegiate track meet, held at Worcester Friday and Saturday, tieing with M. I. T. for fourth place with 13 points. As expected, Amherst won first with 38¼ points, with Dartmouth closely following with 36. Brown, thanks to the return of her old distance man, Wright, gained third place with 17 points.

Though weather conditions were unfavorable three Worcester records were bettered and two more equalled. Ehmke's discus throw of 119 feet, 3 inches, is seven inches farther than his previous record; Denning's exhibition hammer throw of 144 feet, ½ inch, breaks his old record of 138 feet, 8 inches; and W. P. Hubbard's broad jump of 23 feet, 2½ inches, breaks his former record of 22 feet, 7 inches. Swasey equalled the record in both the 100 and 220 yard dashes, held by Cloudman of Bowdoin, and Curtenius of Amherst, and Leavitt equalled the record in the low hurdles, held by Burch of M. I. T., and Edson of Dartmouth. The Williams hurdler showed beyond dispute that he is still the best hurdler in the association and won both of his events in fast time, equaling the college record at the 120 yard distance. B. P. Allen ran fifth in the mile and finished fresh enough to have done better had the pace been faster. Hompe followed closely the fast pace in the two-mile for seven laps, but fell out about 200 yards from the finish. Marshall added 4¾ inches to the college record for the shot put, taking third, and Griswold completed Williams total by taking fourth in the high hurdles.

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The Basketball Report

The report of the basketball manager of the past season has been audited by the graduate treasurer and appears in this issue of The Record. On the face of it the balance is small but is thoroughly justifiable; the schedule has been exceedingly heavy, the guarantees have been larger than ever before in the history of the association. But the item which makes this report fall below the reports of previous managers is that charged against umpires. A year ago this expenditure amounted to ten dollars, this year to ten times that sum. This is an expense which made the last season particularly satisfactory since it insured neutral decisions.

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The Rutter Cups

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With these objects in view the Rutter cups have been donated. It remains for the college to justify Mr. Rutter's generosity by answering Captain Bixby's call with vigor. All men who intend to be candidates for next year's team should report.

COMMUNICATIONS

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

To the Editor of the Record:

So far as I am informed the Faculty are entirely friendly to the project of establishing here a students' co-operative store. Elsewhere this sort of store has proved a useful adjunct to college life and there would seem to be no reason why it should prove otherwise in Williamstown. If we can in this way reduce appreciably the cost of living and enlarge somewhat our meagre opportunities for remunerative employment, the enterprise will be altogether worth while.

Leverett W. Spring.

To the Editor of The Record:

We do not wish to encroach on the prerogatives of the one who will review the debating activity of the year in the Commencement Record. It has, however, seemed well to us that we who have been more interested in debating during the year should express our appreciation for the kind interest that has been taken and helpful suggestions that have been given. With one exception the faculty have been most willing to give assistance and even at much personal inconvenience have spent time in judging the preliminary debates and in criticising our arguments for the final debate. We also are especially grateful to the librarian, who has been most willing to buy many books not already in the library, and has pointed the way to much valuable material,

Very sincerely,
Russell S. Gregory.

A Co-operative Store

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lated through the college to secure ticket-holders for next year. If sufficient college interest can be shown in the enterprise to insure its support, the committee is assured of ways and means of putting the enterprise on a first-class basis, in quarters convenient to the student body, and with an equipment sufficient for student demands.

Williams Defeats Amherst

In a baseball game played at Cambridge Monday afternoon between the Williams men and Amherst men in Harvard Law school, Williams won by a score of 6 to 4. Turrell '03 and Callan '03 were the battery for Williams, Burdick and Maynard for Amherst.

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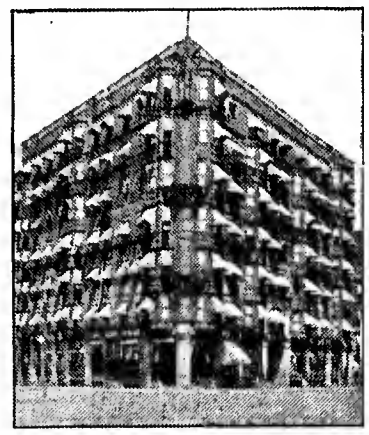
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The visitors scored one in the first inning and two in the seventh, all earned. Hunt on short played the best kind of ball, securing two put outs and five assists without an error. Wadsworth made three bases on a hit to left centre which sent the ball across the cinder track.

The summary:

WILLIAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty c.	5	1	2	8	0	0
Bonham 2b,	5	0	2	3	2	0
Nesbitt ss,	5	0	2	3	0	0
Westervelt p,	4	0	0	1	3	1
Hogan lf,	2	1	0	2	0	0
Neild 3b,	4	0	0	0	0	0
Warren cf,	4	1	1	1	1	0
Harman 1b,	3	1	0	7	0	0
Wadsworth rf,	4	0	1	2	0	0
Total	36	**4	8	27	6	1

M. A. C.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Martin 2b,	3	1	0	3	2	0
Tirrell 1b,	4	0	1	8	1	1
Hunt ss,	4	0	2	2	5	0
Ingham c,	4	1	1	2	0	0
Cobb 3b,	4	1	1	1	4	1
Grady rf,	3	0	1	3	0	0
Clark cf,	3	0	0	2	0	0
Shattuck lf,	3	0	0	2	0	0
Kennedy p,	3	0	0	2	3	2
Total	31	3	6	*25	15	4

Williams, 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—4

M. A. C., 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—3

Three-base hits, Wadsworth, Tirrell. Two-base hits, Bonham, Grady. Stolen bases, McCarty 2, Hogan, Harman, Martin, Hunt, Cobb. Bases on balls, off Westervelt 1, off Kennedy 3. Struck out, by Westervelt 8, by Kennedy 1. Wild pitch, Kennedy. Double play, Nesbitt (unassisted.) *One out when winning run was made. **Osterhout ran for Harman in the ninth. Umpire, Kellher of Adams. Time, 1 hr. 35 min.

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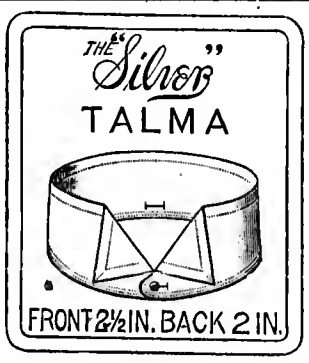
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Batteries: 1905—Mills and Parsons; 1908—Parker and Waters. Umpire—Watson, 1905.

Basketball Report

Expenditures.

Advertising	$ 44 25
Athletic supplies	187 75
Expressage	3 85
Guarantees	749 00
Hotels and restaurants	194 65
League	17 15
Postage, telegraph and telephone	14 51
Referees	101 80
Stationery	4 00
Trainer	75 00
Transportation	350 55
Bal. paid grad. treas.	12 11
Total	$1,754 62

Receipts.

Acct. previous mgr.	$ 20 00
Advertising	1 25
Gate receipts	354 90
Guarantees	409 50
Hotels and restaurants	8 00
League	20 00
Travelling expenses	1 72
Subscriptions	
Class of 1905	122 50
Class of 1906	180 00
Class of 1907	266 00
Class of 1908	291 00
Miscellaneous	79 75
Total	$1,754 62

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Gun Club Shoot

In the first of the two handicap shoots for the Sercomb cup, held last Saturday, the following scores were made out of a possible 25: L. P. Allen '08 (16 yards) 22; Mellen '05 (17 yards) 21 and 21; Dawson '08 (17 yards) 18 and 19; Dr. J. L. Kellogg (21 yards) 18; Fitch '06 (19 yards) 17; Geer '07 (14 yards) 17; Howard '06 (14 yards) 10.

NOTICES

—In order to insure the payment of all debts the treasurer of the senior class requests that all creditors having claims against him submit their bills before May 27, 1905. This does not apply to debts contracted by the class day committee.

John M. Hanford,
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—The handicap golf tournament, match play, will begin tomorrow. Handicaps and pairings will be posted at the club house.

—Tonight, 7:30, 17 J. H. Meeting of the musical clubs for the election of officers for the coming year.

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Amherst Again

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Summary of events:

100-yard dash—1st, Swasey of Dartmouth; 2nd, Jordan of Dartmouth; 3rd, Lightner of M. I. T.; 4th, Porter of Maine. Time, 10 seconds.

220-yard dash—1st Swassy of Dartmouth; 2nd, Jordan of Dartmouth; 3rd, Lightner of M. I. T.; 4th, Orrell of Amherst. Time, 22 1-5 seconds.

440-yard dash—1st, Orrell of Amherst; 2nd, Martin of Wesleyan; 3rd, Wyman of Maine; 4th, Evans of Dartmouth. Time, 51 3-5 seconds.

880-yards run—1st, Thrall of Dartmouth; 2nd, Jennings of Dartmouth; 3rd, White of Amherst; 4th, Wilson of M. I. T. Time, 2.01 1-5.

One-mile run—1st, Wright of Brown; 2nd, White of Amherst; 3rd, Buckingham of M. I. T.; 4th, Thurlow of Brown. Time 4:36 3-5.

Two-mile run—1st, Wright of Brown; 2nd, Benson of Wesleyan; 3rd, Robinson of Bowdoin; 4th, Calloway of M. I. T. Time, 10 12 4-5.

120-yards hurdles—1st, Leavitt of Williams; 2nd, J. H. Hubbard of Amherst; 3rd, Tobey of Bowdoin; 4th, Griswold of Williams. Time, 15 4-5 seconds.

220-yards hurdles—1st, Leavitt of Williams; 2nd, J. H. Hubbard of Amherst; 3rd, W. P. Hubbard of Amherst; 4th, Shaw of Dartmouth. Time, 25 1-5 seconds.

High jump—1st, a tie between Shaw of Maine, Zeller of Tufts, Bowne of Trinity, and Bishop of Amherst. Height, 5ft, 4½ in.

Broad jump—1st, W. P. Hubbard of Amherst, 23 ft., 2¾in.; 2nd, Read of Amherst, 22ft., ¼in.; 3rd, a tie between Gray of Dartmouth and Green of Tufts, 21 ft.

Hammer throw—1st, Denning of Bowdoin, 132ft. 7in.; 2nd, Knapp of M. I. T., 126ft., 7 in.; 3rd, Gage of Dartmouth, 123ft, 3 in.; 4th, Rollins of Amherst, 121 ft., ½in.

Discus—1st, Ehmke of Brown, 119ft., 3in.; 2nd, Dearborn of Wesleyan, 118ft., ½in.; 3rd, Blake of Dartmouth, 104ft., 5½in.; 4th, Rollins of Amherst, 102ft., 4½in.

Shot put—1st, Rollins of Amherst, 42ft., 6¾in.; 2nd, Denning of Bowdoin, 42ft., 1in.; 3rd, Marshall of Williams, 40ft., 4¾in.; 4th, Ehmke of Brown, 38ft., 7in.

Pole vault—1st, Hazen of Dartmouth; 2nd, a tie between Eyster of Wesleyan, Crook of Amherst, and Farrington of M. I. T. Height, 10ft., 6 in.

The following men have been elected to the freshman supper committee: Scarritt, Rising, Gillett, Curtis, Hite.

The 1907 supper committee has elected Honston chairman. The banquet will be held June 14 at the Richmond hotel, North Adams.

Russell '08 is at the infirmary.

Dr. Ferry Engaged

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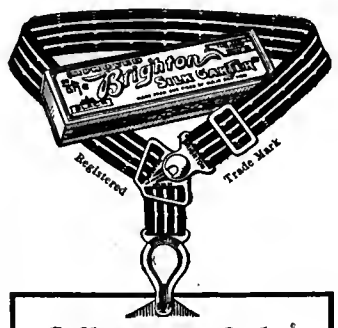


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Tennis Results

In the handicap tennis tournament, now being played off, these matches have been decided:

Preliminary Round

Knox beat Keith 6-2; 6-8; 6-2.
Pettit beat Holroyd 7-5; 7-5.
Cowell beat Scholle 6-4; 6-2.
Runyon beat Allen 6-4; 6-4.
Witherell beat Tourtellot 6-3; 4-6; 8-6.
Hack beat Schiffer 7-5; 6-4.
Willey beat Bradley 6-0; 6-1.
Tuthill beat Weeks 6-2; 8-6.
Bixby beat Dawson 6-4; 6-3.
Miller beat Buchanan 6-3; 6-4.
King beat Ford 6-3; 2-6; 6-0.
Lynde beat Brady 7-5; 8-10; 6-2.
Johnson beat Day 6-1; 2-6; 6-3.
Hoyne beat Waller 6-1; 4-6; 6-2.

First Round

Knox beat Lynde 1-6; 6-2; 8-6.
Pettit beat Cowell 6-4; 7-5.
Runyon beat Witherell 6-3; 4-6; 8-6.
Hack beat Palmer 6-4; 6-4.
Bixby beat Miller 8-6; 2-6; 6-4.
King beat Schell 6-4; 6-2.
Chapman beat Cleveland 6-3; 3-6; 6-1.
Andrews beat Cowperthwaite 6-3; 6-0.

Second Round

Hoyne beat Fowle 6-3; 6-2.
Willey beat Chapman 6-3; 3-6; 6-1.

Dr. Webster Honored

A chapter of Phi Beta Kappa has been recently established at Leland Stanford university and several of those whose standing, before the chapter was founded, would have entitled them to membership, have been elected members. Dr. Webster, assistant professor of Economics, and Mrs. Webster will receive keys on this account.

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Last Friday evening in Jesup Hall, Prof. Rudolph Tombo, jr., of Columbia University, delivered an interesting lecture, in German, upon the life and works of the German poet, Friedrich Schiller, the hundredth anniversary of whose death was widely celebrated a few days ago. After being introduced by Prof. G. M. Wahl in a speech which emphasized the importance of Schiller as a man as well as a poet, the speaker of the evening began his address.

Schiller, he said, was essentially an idealist and an optimist, besides being a man whose entire life and works were an exemplification of all that is best in German life. Throughout his whole career his ideal of human freedom was the great central theme which inspired him to his loftiest efforts. Although he never reached the height of genius which his friend Goethe attained, his great versatility, and above all the purity and disinterestedness of his character have gained for him an even warmer place in the hearts of his countrymen, and a wide appreciation among the other nations of the world.

The lecture was followed by a number of lantern slides illustrating scenes in Schiller's life and plays, and as a conclusion the speaker gave a short summary in English of what he had previously spoken in German.

Harvard Again Wednesday

Williams meets Harvard for the second time this season at Cambridge, Wednesday, in what should be a closely contested game. In the earlier game, which was played at Philadelphia while the teams were on southern trips, Harvard won 5 to 3 in ten innings. The line-ups will be:

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Harvard 13, Syracuse 4.
Harvard 14, West Point 2.
Harvard 23, Carlisle 2.
Harvard 5, Williams 3.
Harvard 3, Amherst 4.
Harvard 3, Dartmouth 1.
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VICTORY AND DEFEAT

Golf Team Wins From M. I. T. at Boston—Loses to Harvard

The Williams golf team left Friday morning for its spring trip, playing M. I. T. and Harvard. The match with M. I. T. took place Friday afternoon on the links of the Wollaston golf club. Williams won easily, 23 to 0, straight hole play. Saturday afternoon the team met the intercollegiate champions on the Myopia course, and lost 11½ to 1½, Tuxedo system of scoring. White, number three on the Crimson team, is individual intercollegiate champion. Both matches were played under favorable weather conditions.

The score:

Williams.		M. I. T.	
Clapp	1	J. Gilmer	0
A. Mitchell	6	Parker	0
L. Mitchell	8	Krag	0
Gregory	1	Potter	0
Lynde	7	A. Gilmer	0
Total	23		0

Williams, 23 up.

Williams.		Harvard.	
Clapp	0	Ingalls	3
A. Mitchell	0	McBurney	1½
L. Mitchell	0	White	4½
Gregory	1½	Gilbert	0
Lynde	0	Harrison	2½
Total	1½		11½

Harvard, by 10 points.

ALUMNI NOTES

'79—Rev. Robert E. Jones, D. D., former president of Hobart college, is now canon and bursar of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, situated on Morningside Heights, New York city, which will be, when completed, the finest church edifice in America.

'88—Rev. Herbert Marsena Allen, who has until recently been acting principal of Bithynia High school, at Bardezag, Turkey, is now about to take charge of the Avedapere, a newspaper published in Armenian, Turkish and Greek, under the control of the American Board at Constantinople.

'96—William R. Thurston won the 36-hole handicap medal-play competition last week on the links of the St. Andrews golf club, held by the University club of New York. His score was 159.

'99—John Barker will be married to Miss Miriam Augusta Trowbridge, daughter of Mrs. Edward Trowbridge, jr., at the First Congregational church, Pittsfield, on Thursday, June 8. Mr. Barker is engaged in the practice of law in Boston.

1900—James B. Coxe is instructor in Nashota House at Nashota Lake, Wisconsin, a theological seminary of the Protestant Episcopal church. Mr. Coxe is preparing to enter the Episcopal church priesthood.

'99—Walter E. Foster is instructor in Latin at the Stuyvesant High school, New York city.

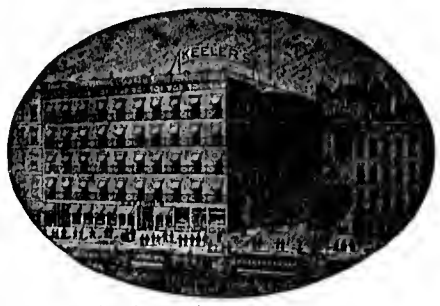
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REVIEW OF LIT.

Criticism on May Number by Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie '87

Having been asked to furnish the review of this month's Literary Monthly, it is well for the reviewer to remember that he is dealing with a magazine whose editors once seemed to him to have attained almost the summit of undergraduate honor. Although never an editor himself, there easily comes back to him something of that feeling of being in the presence of a superior being which he always felt in the old days toward an editor of the Lit, or even toward one who managed to get a contribution within its covers.

The first article deals with a subject which was just beginning to become familiar in the reviewer's undergraduate days, and the very place comes to his mind when he first saw a page of Amiel's Journal.

Many of the most unforgettable passages one ever finds come in the course of what used be be called "sponging a head," a term which I hope is still familiar as applied to a practice which I hope is still more so.

This number opens with the article on Amiel, "A Successful Failure," by Russell S. Gregory. It is more a history than a critique of that strange career which seemed so abortive, but had its vindication in adding one man to that literature of the inner life to which belong such books as Job and Marcus Aurelius and Augustine. There is the life story about which so little discussion is possible as that of Amiel. No new light is shed upon it and no new revelations have come nor may we expect any. Amiel himself has told all. The writer of this article has felt truly the disclosure which the old Genevan professor has made to the world and shows himself to have become not a disciple, for no one becomes that to Amiel, but the kind of a companion who understands—and for such the book was written. The only defect in the narrative is that it perpetuates the mistaken story of Amiel's sad and lonely childhood, happily a thing which never existed. The Amiel interest needs a new stirring up now and then and this article is of the sort to give it.

Stevenson also needs men to out gospelling for him, as is done by John Adams Lowe in the article on "The Message of an Optimist." It has the Stevenson spirit and kindliness and transfers the feeling of the Scotch optimist to

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SIXTEEN TO ONE

Harvard Defeats Williams in Game Full of Errors

Williams received its most decisive baseball defeat in years at the hands of Harvard at Cambridge yesterday when the Crimson scored sixteen runs and held the Purple down to a solitary tally, and all in but six innings. Williams' batting and fielding averages took a decided drop, the team making about two errors an inning, and only reaching first, Warren excepted, on equally poor work by the Crimson infield. Westervelt was wild, yet effective, for three innings, but in the fourth Mahar, Harvard's diminutive right fielder, knocked a home run with two on bases, and in the sixth six hits, a gift, and three errors in the outfield gave Harvard eight runs.

Coburn pitched himself out of bad holes in the first and second, and not until the sixth did Neild score Williams' lone run, reaching second on a bad error by Matthews and swung on a clean single by Warren. After that, the deluge. The game was called at the end of the sixth by mutual consent.

The summary:

WILLIAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty c,	3	0	0	5	1	0
Bonham 2b,	2	0	0	2	3	0
Nesbitt ss,	3	0	0	0	1	2
Westervelt p,	3	0	0	0	2	1
Hogan lf,	2	0	0	1	0	2
Neild 3b,	3	1	0	1	1	2
Warren cf,	3	0	2	1	0	1
Harman 1b,	3	0	0	8	0	1
Wadsworth rf,	3	0	0	0	0	1
Total	25	1	2	18	8	10

HARVARD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Mahar rf,	4	4	1	0	0	0
Leonard 3b,	5	2	2	2	0	1
Randall 1b,	4	2	0	5	1	1
Mathews ss,	4	1	2	0	0	1
Stephenson c,	4	0	0	7	0	0
Dexter cf,	4	1	1	1	0	0
Kernan lf,	3	2	2	1	0	0
Coburn p,	4	3	1	1	4	1
Bradbury 2b,	3	1	1	1	1	1
Total	35	16	10	18	6	5

Williams,	0	0	0	0	0	1	—		t
Harvard,	1	0	2	3	2	8	—		16

Home run, Mahar. Stolen bases, Warren, Randall, Kernan 3. Bases on balls, off Westervelt 3; off Coburn 2. Struck out, by Westervelt 5, by Coburn 6. Hit by pitched ball, Mahar, Kernan. Wild pitch, Coburn. Umpire, Murray. Time 1 hr. 15 min.

Reunion Banquet of Class of '65

Justin Kellogg of Troy, secretary of the class of 1865, has announced that the reunion banquet of the class will be held on Tuesday evening, June 20, at 7 o'clock at Mrs. Roebuck's house, 15 Hoxey street, instead of at the Greylock Hotel, as formerly announced.

VAN VECHTEN CONTEST

Extemporaneous Speaking in Jesup Hall Last Evening

The annual extemporaneous speaking contest for the Van Vechten prize was held last evening in Jesup Hall. Prof. Spring presided. Superintendent Mitchell of the Williamstown schools, Mr. A. E. Hall, and Mr. W. C. Hart acted as judges. The speakers were given a number of subjects from which to choose and were given one hour of preparation before the time of delivering their speeches. H. L. Everitt, J. R. Stevenson, H. W. Mollen, and R. S. Gregory all spoke on "Why a young man should enter the ministry." Mellen emphasized that we must all, though ministers in the abstract, get down and help. Gregory showed that the profession of the ministry gave great satisfaction at the close of life. J. F. Boland gave a defense of "The action of the American Board of Foreign Missions in accepting Rockefeller's gift." Murray then spoke upon "Dunne's election and its significance."

M. F. Eastman clearly summed up the "contrast between the Russian and English character," when he compared the stolidness of the English to that of the bull-dog and the stolidness of the Russian to that of the mule.

Pettit spoke well on "Tendencies at Williams," emphasizing the stand for athletics for the many, the good-feeling between the faculty and students, and the honor system and code of honor. Cook chose for a subject "An Independent President—Roosevelt" and A. P. Newell closed the contest with "The President and Railroad Regulations." The decision of the judges will be announced at commencement.

Leavitt 1907 Track Captain

Following the taking of the track team picture yesterday afternoon, Robert G. Leavitt '07 of Boston was chosen captain for next year. Leavitt prepared for college at Exeter academy, subsequently going to Mercersburg, at both of which schools he was captain of the track teams. While at Mercersburg he made records in both high and low hurdles at the Yale university inter scholastic association meet which stood until this year.

Last year Leavitt won both hurdles in the Worcester meet and tied for fourth in the broad jump, and this year repeated his wins in the hurdles, equalling the college record in the 120 yards, and the Worcester record in the 220 yards event.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, MAY 25.

4.00 p. m.—1905-1908 baseball game, old campus.

7.30 p. m.—Adelphic Union mock trial, 4 G. H.

FRIDAY, MAY 26

9.30 a. m.—Tri-collegiate tennis tournament, Taconic Golf Club.

2.00 p. m.—Philadelphia intercollegiate meet trials, Franklin Field.

3.00 p. m.—Tri-collegiate tennis tournament, Taconic Golf Club.

SATURDAY, MAY 27.

9.00 a. m.—Rutter Cup trials, Weston Field.

9.30 a. m.—Tri-collegiate tennis tournament, Taconic Golf Club.

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Wesleyan baseball game, Weston Field.

2.30 p. m.—Philadelphia intercollegiate meet, Franklin Field.

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Albany Country Club golf match, Country Club links, Albany.

4.30 p. m.—Tri-collegiate tennis tournament, Taconic Golf Club.

4.30 p. m.—1906-1908 baseball game, Weston Field.

8.15 p. m.—Concert by the glee, mandolin and banjo clubs, J. H.

SUNDAY, MAY 28

10.30 a. m.—College chapel, Dr. Hamilton Wright Mabie, of New York, will talk on "What shall a man do with his life?"

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes, J. H.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, Mr. E. M. Lewis will speak.

MONDAY, MAY 29.

9.30 a. m.—New England intercollegiate championship tennis tournament, Longwood, singles matches.

9.00 p. m.—Sophomore prom., Lasell Gymnasium.

AMHERST SECOND LOST

Williams Second Team Won by Rally in the Eighth

Not to be outdone by the 'varsity, in the game with M. A. C., the second team also made a grandstand finish yesterday afternoon, winning from Amherst secondon Weston Field by a score of 8 to 7. The rally came in the last of the eighth. With the score 7 to 3 for the visitors, Miller reached first on Rounseville's error, Osbrone and Willcox both hit, and Captain Austin was helped by an error at third. Domett went out on an easy one to Shattuck. Pierce was the fifth man to reach first and Stocking got his third hit. Five runs were scored and the team batted around. Amherst started the ninth with a hit but was unable to get a man past second.

Pierce made eleven strike-outs and allowed the same number of hits, keeping the game well in hand. Rounseville worked the only double play of the game, unassisted.

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The "W" and the Track

The privilege of wearing the 'varsity "W", granted to members of the three major athletic teams, is an honor most highly prized only when the right is awarded wisely. There has been a growing sentiment in college that the track letter was given too freely last year, when the "W" was voted to point-winners in the dual track meet with Dartmouth at Hanover.

We are glad to note that the council has not yet acted on the question, and presumably does not intend to consider it. Under any conditions, however satisfactory the result of a dual track meet, the trial is not sufficiently severe to guarantee a contestant in the possession of the coveted "W", so hard to earn in the other two departments of athletics. Training for the track team was included this year in a period of four weeks, work almost play when compared with the nine weeks of daily rough and tumble struggle on the football field.

In deciding to give a letter to point-winners at the Worcester intercollegiate meet, the manager and captain have continued a custom which could well be converted into a rule, with the additional clause that the track "W" be secured in no other way. As far as possible, and as far as is consistent with the size of the three athletic teams, their comparative strength should be represented by the number of letters granted to their members. If the "W" is withheld from point-winners in the Dartmouth meet, this proportion will be maintained. In awarding the AWA, a conservative policy has likewise been followed, with the result that the value of this insignia has been increased accordingly.

We congratulate the college and Captain Leavitt upon his election to lead Williams on the track in 1906. The team has this season met difficulties at every turn, and in the face of them has fought hard a losing fight. Next year may sickness, accident and other misfortunes keep off!

The Debating League

In the formation of a league with Dartmouth and Brown, the debaters of Williams display an admirable determination to restore the debating interests of the college to the position of pre-eminence, which has but recently been yielded to the teams of other colleges. Since 1903 the decline has been steady. The attendance at preliminary trials has been deplorably small. As a whole, the college has evidenced little more than an idle curiosity in the contests with Wesleyan and Dartmouth. This lack of active interest has been partially responsible for Williams' defeat in these two debates this year. To prevent the Purple being outclassed, certainly it was necessary to take the bull by the horns. Though an experiment, the new league should prove beneficial to Williams debating, for by the terms of the agreement fairness is secured, the work of preparation is systematized and latent material is brought out.

The choice of a question will be decided by lot. Furthermore, in providing for two teams in each college, one upholding the affirmative and the other the negative, less is left to chance and more to efficiency, thereby minimizing the danger of an adverse decision from an unfortunate choice of sides.

March 4, 1906, is set as the date for the two debates—two months earlier than this year and three months earlier than last year. The shorter time allowed for preparation is amply sufficient, and leaves the spring term to curriculum work, and in the case of seniors does not interfere with the events of graduation.

With eight positions open on the 'varsity teams, instead of four, it is obvious that competition should be keener. Williams debating has undoubtedly suffered in the past under the old system, which allowed but three representatives and an alternate. The two team system offers every opportunity to the men who have hitherto held back because of the limited number of positions open.

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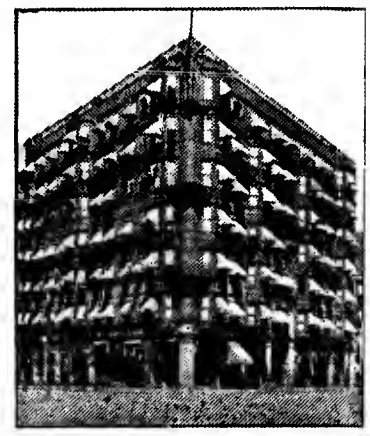
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In the May number of the "Lit" among the Suggestions, appeared a selection of verse entitled "Thetis." Two lines of this as published read:

"And did the paltry price for sour wine
Reduce thee then to stilts of common pine?"

These lines, as presented to the Board read:

"And did the paltry price for thirsty beers
Reduce thee then to stilts and bitter tears?"

These lines were revised and changed without the knowledge of the author who would very gladly have accepted any change for the better; but this revision appears not only no improvement but a decided change for the worse Perhaps beer is not recognized on the higher realms of literary art, but in this instance, at least, it seems preferable to "sour wine." It might at least have been made champagne.

It is a small matter to bring before your notice, and I do not wish to appear unreasonable in the matter, but I would suggest that if the Board insists upon exerting this prerogative of revision, it save itself undue exertion by refraining from revision except when revision is necessary. Even doggerel has its rights.

W. R. W.

Tri-Collegiate Tennis

On Friday and Saturday, for the first time since 1902, the tri-collegiate tennis tournament will take place at Williamstown. The matches will be played on the Taconic courts. Dartmouth, Wesleyan and Williams will be represented by two men each in singles and one team in doubles. Each representative will be drawn against one man from each of the other two colleges, making a total of six matches in singles, while the doubles will be round-robin.

Matches will be played in the morning and afternoon both days, the morning contests beginning at 9:30 o'clock. On Friday afternoon play will commence at 3 o'clock and immediately after the baseball game on Saturday. The same team which won this tournament for Williams last year will again play and the chances are the best for another victory. Wallis of Dartmouth is the strongest player on either of the visiting teams.

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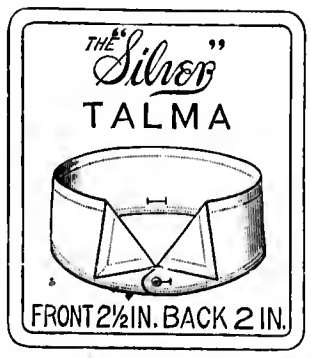
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WILLIAMS—McCarty c, Bonham 2b, Nesbitt ss, Westervelt p, Hogan lf, Neild 3b, Warren cf, Harman 1b, Wadsworth rf.

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Wesleyan 15, R. I. Coll. 3.
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Wesleyan 5, Rutgers 2.
Wesleyan 19, N. Y. U. 0.
Wesleyan 4, Union 8.
Wesleyan 3, Williams 14.
Wesleyan 6, Rutgers 5.
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The Co-operative Store

The paper circulated by the committee in charge of the co-operative store plans has received the signature of 144 of the 309 members of the lower classes, 34 from 1906, 58 from 1907, and 52 from 1908, though over a third of the members of these classes have not yet been seen. The response from the college has been so favorable that the committee are now prepared to announce that the store will be started next year. The location of the store is not definitely settled, but the committee have a site in view and hope to be able to make a definite announcement the last of the week.

Juniors Shut Out

Effective pitching by Pierce enabled the sophomores to blank the juniors on Wednesday afternoon. Pierce pitched the five innings without allowing a hit and struck out seven men. The sophomores scored five runs in the second on a combination of hits and a wild throw with the bases full. The score by innings:

								R.	H.	E.
1906	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	3
1907	0	5	0	0	2	–	7	6	2	

Batteries—1906, Van Inwegen and Bates; 1907, Pierce and Southworth. Struck out—by Pierce 7; by Van Inwegen 2.

Musical Clubs Election

At a meeting of the musical association last Monday evening the following officers were elected for next year: Leader of glee club, William Hanford Curtiss '06; leader of mandolin club, Philip Rising Peters '06; assistant business manager, William Stowell Wooster '07.

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× Sercomb Cup Shoot

As a result of the second shoot for the Sercomb cup held yesterday afternoon, these final scores were made: Mellen '05 (17 yards) 21 and 21, total 42; Fitch '06 (19 yards) 17 and 23, total 40; L. P. Allen '08 (16 yards) 22 and 18, total 40; Geer '07 (14 yards) 17 and 21, total 38; Dr. J. L. Kellogg (21 yards) 18 and 19, total 37; Dawson '08 (17 yards) 18 and 19, total 37; Sercomb '06 (16 yards) 10 and 14, total 24; Howard '06 (14 yards) 10 and 12, total 22. Especially noteworthy was the shooting of Fitch '06, who succeeded in making a score of 23 from the 19 yard mark.

Owing to the fact that only eight men have thus far competed, the trophy will not be awarded until at least two more have participated.

COLLEGE NOTES

W. A. Newell is out after a light attack of typhoid.

Tonight is the last opportunity to have contributions considered for this year's Lit.

Secretary Parsons has issued, in folder form, a complete program of the events of commencement.

No more notices will be sent to men reaching their limit in any subject or in chapel.

The members of the combined musical clubs will be given a banquet at the Greylock on Friday evening, June 2.

Yesterday's baseball game with Harvard was the first this season in which Capt. McCarty has not scored.

The members of Dr. Cleland's geology classes visited the Natural Bridge at North Adams and the district around Stamford, Vt., yesterday afternoon.

Griswold, Hurlbut and B. P. Allen will represent the college in the Philadelphia meet Friday and Saturday. Leavitt was unable to go on account of college work.

Tickets to the sophomore prom, as well as dance orders, will be on sale in Jesup hall, on Saturday from 1:15 to 2:15 and from 7:15 to 8:15 p. m. No flowers on the floor.

Wohurst succumbed to the Netherleigh team yesterday afternoon, 15 to 8. The batteries were Tower and Case for Wohurst, Tourtellot, Bedford and Paffard for the Netherleigh.

Track "Ws" have been awarded to Peters '06, manager, and to Marshall '08. The AWA has been awarded to Ayers '05, Hompe '07 A. M. and M. Brown '07, LaMent '08, B. P. Allen '08, and Clark '08.

A meeting of the rules committee of the intercollegiate basketball association will be held in Philadelphia tomorrow evening to revise the rules. Manager Appell has sent a letter to the committee urging Williams' claim to the championship.


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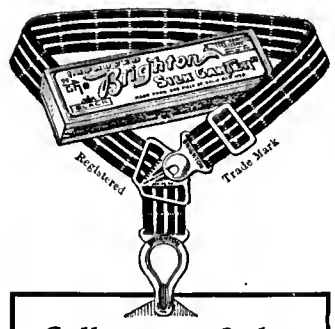
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Ford, p	2	4	1	2	.250
Bonham, 2b	15	54	11	12	.204
Hogan, lf	16	59	12	6	.203
Neild, 3b	16	66	13	7	.197
McCarty, c	16	56	10	19	.179
War'n, cf, 2b	16	61	10	8	.164
Wads'h, rf, p	15	48	6	3	.125
Harman, 1b	16	60	6	6	.100
Osterhout, rf	4	10	0	2	.000

Official Fielding Averages

	games	po	a	e	fa
Osterhout, rf	4	1	0	0	1.000
McCarty, c	16	106	18	2	.984
Harman, 1b	16	166	4	5	.971
Wads'h, rf, p	15	11	17	4	.875
Wes't't, p, rf	16	12	36	8	.857
Bonham, 2b	15	28	30	10	.853
War'n, cf 2b	16	26	3	6	.829
Nesbitt, ss	16	30	33	15	.808
Hogan, lf	16	22	0	6	.786
Neild, 3b	16	11	24	10	.778
Ford, p	2	0	2	3	.400

Dr. Mabie Will Speak

Hamilton Wright Mabie '67, associate editor of "The Outlook," will give an informal lay talk in chapel next Sunday on "What shall a man do with his life?" Dr. Mabie is one of the best known of Williams alumni, and has had conferred upon him high academic honors, having received the degrees of LL. B. from Columbia in 1869; L. H. D. from Williams in 1890, and LL. D. from Union in 1899. He has been a trustee of Williams college since 1895, and is also a trustee of Barnard college.

NOTICES

—On Saturday at 1:30 there will be a meeting of the freshman class to elect a member to the honor system committee.

—The last of the series of Sunday afternoon talks to seniors will be given by President Hopkins on May 28, at 4:45 p. m., in 4 H. H.

—In order to insure the payment of all debts the treasurer of the senior class requests that all creditors having claims against him submit their bills before May 27, 1905. This does not apply to debts contracted by the class day committee.

—The regular class prayer meetings will be held in Jesup Hall tomorrow evening at 7:15. The topic is: "Ways of Consecrating Ourselves to Our Country." The leaders are: 1905 Belding, 1906 Perry, 1907 Matthews, 1908 Anderson.

—The notice containing the doubles entries has been lost from the board in Hopkins Hall, so that it will be necessary for the teams to sign the new list before Saturday night. Because of the short time before college closes it will be necessary to make a limit of two days for each round in this tournament, except in case of rain.



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Review of Lit.

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the reader with a large measure of success.

Artemus Ward said once in sending some of his banter to a comic paper, that he hoped they would pardon him but he had always believed that a joke or two now and then rather improved a comic paper. We are certain that a good murder story now and then is necessary to the enlivening of a literary magazine. All the world loves a lover and a good murder story. Let us own up to it. Jowett, Master of Balliol, would remain silent through philosophical discussion, but "would go off like a house on fire"—as one of his students said, if anyone introduced the subject of murder. The plot of "The Lifting of the Clouds" by Shepard Ashman Morgan is not hackney and we are grateful to the author for daring to believe that down deep we dearly love something of this sort, and are not unwilling to have the story turn out well.

In the short sketch "A Stranger," W. A. G. has managed to give a very vivid impression of that experience which ever appeals to our imagination, the parting of the soul from the body and the revisiting of its old surroundings. The sketch has life and go to it and is well done.

"Sanctum" gives utterance to the wish that the writing activity of the college and the writing interests should be increased. Certainly no more acceptable sign of college vitality could appear than a new enthusiasm in its members for their intellectual interests and the expression of them.

"At Set of Sun," a poem by Westermann, just grips one truth and expresses it with a beauty and completeness which gives power to the appeal of "Sanctum" for more college writing. What is it that counts when the day is over, is the question of the poem.

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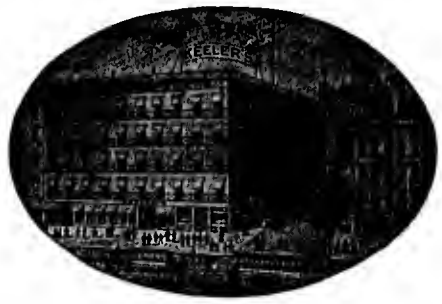
The following men were chosen last night by Philologian to represent that society in the Wesleyan preliminary debates next fall: Bowman '06, Nomer '06, Perry '06, Case '07, Matthews '07; alternate Scholle '06.

At the same meeting, officers for the first quarter of next year were elected as follows: President, Perry '06; vice-president, Nomer '06; secretary, Case '07; treasurer, (for the year) Bowman '06.

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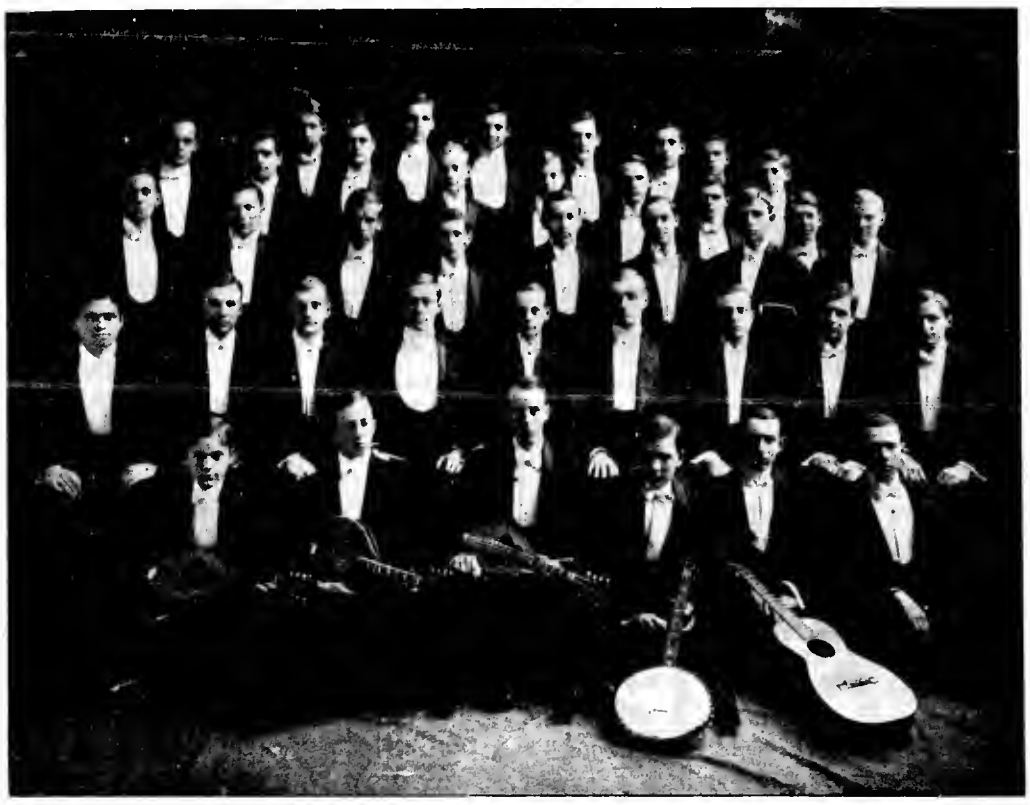
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THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT

Will Deliver Address at Commencement Exercises June 22

Announcement is made that the President will deliver an address at the commencement exercises on Thursday forenoon, immediately after receiving his degree, before the audience in the Congregational church. It is hoped that he will deliver a second address to townspeople and others who cannot secure admission to the church, after the close of the commencement exercises. If so, he will speak from the top of the wooden steps leading to West College hill. It is again called to the notice of all that admission to the President's reception, to the dedication of the Thompson Memorial Chapel, and, in short, to all halls and rooms where the exercises of commencement week may take place, will be by ticket only.

President Must Leave Early

President Roosevelt and party, consisting of William Loeb, jr., secretary to the President, P. M. Rixey, surgeon-general of the United States navy, and a stenographer, will be obliged to leave Williamstown earlier on Thursday, June 22, than was originally arranged. To reach Oyster Bay that night, the President must leave at 1:30 p. m. and will probably be unable to be present at the alumni dinner at noon that day.

AMHERST AND WILLIAMS

Memorial Day Game on Weston Field—Line-up of the Teams

The most important game of the schedule will be played tomorrow afternoon on Weston Field when Amherst and Williams meet in the second of the series of four games. The same teams will play again on the following day at Amherst. Westervelt is to pitch both games. The line-ups for the two games will be as follows:

WILLIAMS—McCarty c, Bonham 2b, Nesbitt ss, Westervelt p, Watson 1b, Hogan lf, Neild 3b, Warren cf, Wadsworth rf.

AMHERST—Wheeler cf, Palmer 1b, Storke 3b, Beach ss, Danahey c, Kelliher 2b, Powell lf, Allaire rf, Newell and McRae p.

Williams Wins at Longwood

(By Telegraph to The Record.)

Longwood, Mass, May 29.—The sixth annual tournament of the New England intercollegiate lawn tennis association commenced today on the courts of the Longwood cricket club. Teams from ten New England colleges are entered. In the contest for the trophy offered by the association to the college first obtaining seven points, Williams is tied with Brown for first place, with a total of 3½ points each.

In the first round of the singles this morning Northrop defeated Gotch of Wesleyan 6-0; 6-1. Smith won from Wise of Tufts 6-1; 6-1. In the doubles, Northrop and Smith won from the Bowdoin representatives 6-4; 6-1.

MUSICAL CLUBS' CONCERT

Glee, Banjo and Mandolin Clubs Saturday—The Program

The concert of the Williams glee, banjo and mandolin clubs, given in Jesup Hall Saturday evening, was a decided success. From the opening number, "The Royal Purple," to the closing piece, "The Mountains," the program was uniformly good. Of especial note were the solos of Lord '05, and the readings of Pierce '07, who responded to two encores.

The program follows:

PART FIRST

a.—The Royal Purple.
B. F. Bartlett '95

b.—Come, Fill Your Glasses Up
Words by H. S. Patterson
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Karama Mabel McKinley
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Banjo Selections
Gale '06 and Smith '07

The Mountains
Washington Gladden '59
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CALENDAR

MONDAY, MAY, 29

9.00 p. m.—Sophomore promenade, Lasell Gymnasium.

TUESDAY, MAY 30

Memorial Day, a holiday.

9.30 a. m.—New England intercollegiate championship tennis tournament, Longwood. Singles matches.

11.00 a. m.—Cap and Bells will present "Captain Racket", Williamstown Opera house.

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Amherst baseball game, Weston Field.

3.00 p. m.—New England intercollegiate tennis tournament. Longwood. Doubles matches.

4.30 p. m.—Gargoyle elections.

9.00 p. m.—Supplementary dance, Greylock Hotel.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31

9.00 a. m.—Rutter Cups finals.

9.30 a. m.—New England intercollegiate championship tennis tournament. Longwood. Singles matches.

2.30 p. m.—Williams 2d-Harvard college baseball game, Weston Field.

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Amherst baseball game, Pratt Field, Amherst.

3.00 p. m.—New England intercollegiate championship tennis tournament, Longwood. Singles matches.

4.30 p. m.—1905-1906 baseball, old campus.

WILLIAMS 12; WESLEYAN 5

Red and Black Outplayed by Purple on Weston Field

The largest crowd of the season saw Williams defeat Wesleyan Saturday afternoon, when the second game between the two colleges was won by the Purple, 12 to 5, in a long-drawn-out contest filled with hits, errors and runs. Watson played his first game this year and demonstrated that he is eminently the man for first base. Capt. McCarty set his team a good example in stick-work, his batting average for five times up being 1000 per cent.

Wesleyan used Monroe in the box. He struck out six men, but was not effective and was found for 12 hits. His throwing to bases was wild. Westervelt didn't work hard at any time, allowing eight hits and securing five strike-outs. He kept the game well in hand except in the fourth inning, when with the bases full he forced in two runs, and in the seventh, when three hits resulted in as many tallies. He got three hits, one for two bases and one for three. Williams' base-running improved noticeably. Anderson at short made a third of Wesleyan's errors which proved costly. Taylor played a neat game on first.

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Amherst Tomorrow

Again Williams and Amherst meet in a Memorial day game on Weston Field. The contest tomorrow is the one above all others that the Purple needs to win; Amherst having taken the first of the series, it is safe to say the 'varsity will make every effort to balance the score. The nine has shown unsteadiness, and at times has given a poor exhibition of baseball (the Harvard game). It has also demonstrated that it can play errorless ball if necessary (the Dartmouth game), and defeat a strong team on its own diamond. The parade forms at 2:10 p. m. at Lasell gymnasium and if the college marches to Weston Field confident of the result, and displays that confidence in the right way, the Purple will wave over the Purple and White tomorrow afternoon.

Prom. Time

Prom. week is here with all its affectation, its sincerity and its variety. If the Stroller had not been discontinued, what an opportunity! He could find material for columns of cynical observations, yet we feel sure that in spite of himself his habitual moroseness would change to pleasantness in expressing what a really good thing it is for the college to give the undergraduates a few days off.

What would the spring term be without May Thirtieth and the events that lead up to it? Nature has been trying hard enough all the year to get a word in edgewise and say that there should be a time for something else than work. Yet they who lay aside their books for the moment will not suffer in comparison with the others—for Prom. week is the best tonic for examinations. No straighter road to mental torpor can be found than that which allows no pause. This year the program is practically the same as in the past and offers to the guests of the college a view of Williams undergraduate activity in all its branches. To the visitors of Prom. week the college extends its warmest welcome.

COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

Editor of The Record:

In the issue of May 25, under the heading "The 'W' and the Track," the question of granting the "W" to track men seems to be settled in a very simple manner. The writer agrees that the letter should not be awarded too freely, yet it should not be made too hard to get. Jewels are valuable in proportion as they are scarce, but they may become so hard to get that the searcher gives up in despair. The system of granting the letter only for points in the Worcester meet does not seem fair. There is a man in college who has won first in every dual meet since he entered, yet had such a rule been in effect he would not have a letter.

In this year's meet with Williams, Dartmouth granted the "D" for first and second places. In Cornell the "C" is given for all first place men, and so on in dual meets of other colleges. Shall we make it so much harder to get a track letter here than in other colleges that but three men, old and new, can earn it during the year?

It was given as an argument in the article in question that in track the training was for only four weeks and was mere play compared with football "rough and tumble for nine weeks." The football man trains but nine weeks and has the pleasure of a number of games. The track man has but one or two meets and it is very necessary for him to work during the fall and winter as well as during the four weeks of actual work on the track, in order to be in condition for these meets.

The writer believes that the best interests of track athletics will be fostered, and the college will be better satisfied, if a golden mean be pursued between the action of last year and that taken so far this year.

A. J. A.

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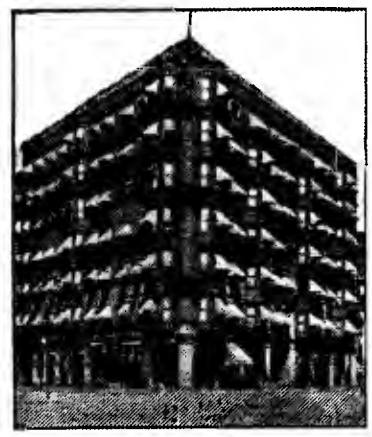
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6. Two Step—"Seminole," Van Alstyne
7. Waltz—"Peggy Brady." Schindler and Jerome
8. Two Step—"Woodland" selections, Luders
9. Waltz—"In Vacation Time," Von Tilzer
10. Two Step—"Yale Boola"....Hirsch
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12. Two Step—"Yankee Doodle Dandy." Cohan
13. Waltz—"Farewell Waltz" (Fantana) Hubbell
14. Two Step—"Show the White of Yo' Eyes".....Cohan
15. Waltz—"Prince of Pilsen" selections .....Luders
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23. Waltz—"Nancy Clancy," Maurice Levi
24. Two Step—"Corcoran Cadets,"
25. Waltz—"It's a Way that They Have in Chicago" (Royal Chef). Jerome
26. Two Step—"Higgeldy Piggeldy" selections .....Levi
27. Waltz—"Blue Danube".....Strauss
28. Two Step—"My Irish Indian," Schwartz
29. Waltz—"Babes in Toyland" selections .....Herbert
30. Two Step—"A Bit of Blarney," Helf
31. Waltz—"Armoureuse" .....Berger
32. Two Step—"Back, Back, Back to Baltimore" .....Van Alstyne
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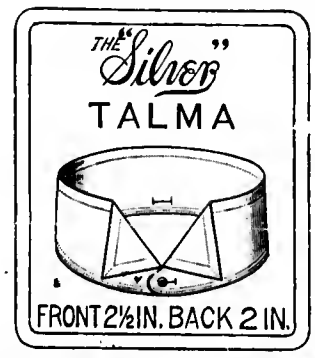
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The summary:

WILLIAMS	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty c.	3	4	3	7	2	0
Bonham 2b,	5	2	3	2	3	0
Nesbitt ss.	5	1	0	3	1	2
Westervelt p.	5	3	3	1	5	1
Watson 1b.	4	1	1	5	0	0
Harman 1b,	1	0	0	4	1	0
Hogan lf.	5	1	0	2	0	1
Neild 3b,	5	0	1	0	1	0
Warren cf.	5	0	1	2	0	0
Wadsworth rf.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Total	43	12	12	27	13	4

WESLEYAN	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Hancock rf.	4	1	2	3	0	2
Monroe p.	5	2	2	2	3	1
Morgan cf.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Anderson ss,	5	0	0	0	3	3
Haley 2b.	5	0	1	1	3	0
Smith 3b,	4	0	0	0	3	1
Day c,	2	0	0	8	1	2
Taylor 1b.	3	0	1	6	0	0
Campaigne lf.	4	1	1	3	0	0
Total	36	5	8	24	12	9

Williams—3 1 1 4 3 0 0 0 x—12
Wesleyan—0 0 0 2 0 0 3 0 0— 5

Two-base hit. Westervelt. Three-base hit, Westervelt. Stolen bases, McCarty 3, Bonham, Westervelt, Watson, Hogan, Wadsworth, Monroe, Anderson. Sacrifice hit. Anderson. Bases on balls, off Westervelt, 2, off Monroe 2. Struck out, by Westervelt 5, by Monroe 6 Wild pitch. Monroe. Hit by pitcher. Day 2. Hancock Umpire. Hassett. Time, 2h,. 25 min.

Albany Defeated Again

The college golf team defeated the Albany country club at Albany Saturday afternoon 26 to 0, straight hole play. The team was entertained at the Country club and the Fort Orange club

The score:

Williams.		Albany.	
A. Mitchell	0	Howell	0
Clapp	7	McClure	0
L. Mitchell	7	Pruyn	0
A Gregory	0	Rochester	0
Lynde	2	C. D. Gregory	0
King	1	Carnell	0
Wellington	9	Dun	0
	26		0

Williams, 26 up.

Williams Wins Tennis Meet

The annual triangular tennis tournament which took place on the courts of the Taconic golf club on Friday and Saturday was won by the Williams team with a total of five victories and one defeat. The only match lost by Williams was that in which Rotch of Dartmouth beat Smith '03 in a close 3-set match.

Summary:

Singles—McLane of Dartmouth beat Adams of Wesleyan, 6—4, 7—5; Smith of Williams beat White of Wesleyan, 6—4, 6—2; Rotch of Dartmouth beat White of Wesleyan, 3—6, 6—2, 6—4; Northrop of Williams beat Adams of Wesleyan, 10—8, 6—4; Rotch of Dartmouth beat Smith of Williams, 7—5 3—6, 6—4; Northrop of Williams beat McLane of Dartmouth, 6—3, 6—4.

Doubles—White and Adams of Wesleyan beat Rotch and McLane of Dartmouth, 3—6, 6—3, 7—5, 6—4; Northrop and Smith of Williams beat White and Adams of Wesleyan, 6—0, 6—0. 2—6, 8—6; Northrop and Smith of Williams beat McLane and Rotch of Dartmouth, 6—3, 8—6, 7—5.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Orrell, the Amherst quarter-miler, is in town for a few days.

Van Inwegen '06 has been elected manager of the golf team for next year.

The old tennis court near Jackson hall has been rolled and put into shape for use.

A band has been engaged to head the parade to the field tomorrow afternoon.

The name of Clark '07 was inadvertently omitted from the list of those chosen for the Wesleyan preliminaries.

President Hopkins addressed the senior class yesterday afternoon in 4 Hopkins Hall on "Some familiar counsels for post-graduate life."

Perry '06 has found it necessary to resign his position as manager of the Adelphic Union and N. B. Stern '06 has been elected in his place.

At a college meeting Friday night it was voted to grant the insignia I. D. L. (intercollegiate debating league) to men debating on the regular college teams.

Illness prevented Hamilton Wright Mabie's proposed visit here Sunday and the pulpit was occupied by Prof. Platner of Andover.

At the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Sunday night, Mr. E. M. Lewis spoke about the vital change in a college man's religious beliefs, giving his own personal experience and conclusions.

The athletic council has awarded the insignia GWT with crossed golf clubs to the manager and five members of the golf team, who played in the New England intercollegiate tournament last fall.

The cup donated by the Pennsylvania members of the class of 1895, to the member of the freshman class who shall have made the most progress during the year in that branch of athletics made compulsory by the faculty, will be awarded on Tuesday morning.

Lorande Loss Woodruff, recently appointed instructor in biology, has successfully passed the examination for the degree of Ph. D. from Columbia university. The subject of Dr. Woodruff's thesis was "An experimental study on the life history of Hypotrichous Infusoria."

The Philadelphia alumni cup, to be awarded annually to the freshman making the best showing in the required course in physical training is on exhibition in Azhderian's window and will be given for the first time to a member of 1908. Candidates should report to Mr. Seeley.

The following alumni are in town: Lewis '89, Ide '98, Stiles '00, Pickard '02, Berking '03, Hatch '03, Doughty '03, Durbin '01, Jayne '04, Hun '04, Hite '04, Bridgewater '04, Herrick '04, Watson ex-'05, Holmes ex-'06, Hubbard ex-'06, Bargfrede ex '08, and Rifenbergh, ex-'08.

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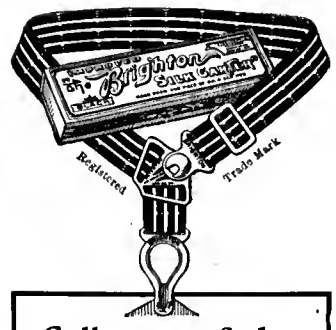
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Delta Kappa Epsilon.—Mrs. Robert Day of Springfield, Mass.; Miss Clara Castle of Quincy, Ill.; Miss Ruth Field McLeod of Troy, N. Y.

Alpha Zeta Alpha.—Mrs. F. A. Benson and Miss Helen Munro, of Auburn, N. Y.:

Other guests.—Mrs. A. J. Witherell of North Adams; Mrs. Walter Geer of New York; Mrs. Robert R. Clark of Williamstown; Mrs. I. L. Miller of Plainfield, N. J.; Miss Gretchen Moore of Redlands, Cal.; Miss Margaret Waller of Indiana, Pa.; Miss Maude Leake of Albany, N. Y.; Miss Hull of Williamstown; Miss Davies and Miss Dorothy Davies of Blackinton; Misses Florence and Mabel Heap of Williamstown; Miss Margaret Carson of Dalton, Mass.; Miss Marie Thompson of New York city; Miss Gertrude Clark of Williamstown; Miss Marion Lowe of Fitchburg, Mass.; Miss Persis Sherman of Williamstown.

Cornell the Winner

The annual games of the intercollegiate track and field association, held on Franklin Field, Philadelphia, Saturday, resulted for the first time in the history of the association in a victory for a college outside of the so-called "big four." Cornell was the victor with 30½ points, followed closely by Yale with 28 points. Harvard secured third with 20½ points, and Pennsylvania and Princeton were fourth and fifth respectively. Of the New England colleges Amherst was the only point-winner, scoring thirds in the 100, 880, broad jump and shot put, and tieing with Syracuse and Colgate for sixth place with eight points. Williams' three entries, Griswold '06, in the hurdles, Hurlbut '07 in the quarter and B. P. Allen '08 in the mile, did not score.

ALUMNI NOTES

'70—Merritt Brown Walley, a civil engineer, was killed in a mine explosion one hundred miles west of Denver, three days ago. Mr. Walley was employed in engineering work at the time of his death. He was a former resident of Williamstown, his home being on Water street. His father was Stephen Walley, who operated a mill here for many years. Mr. Walley graduated in 1870, and after graduation went west, where he had since resided. His home was at Cripple Creek, Colo.

'98—The engagement is announced of Miss Lydia S. Vail, daughter of Rev. Dr. Richard Philip Hart Vail '64, of New York city to William Howard Doughty, jr., of New York city.

'99—John S. Oakman, formerly of Pittsfield, has formed a partnership for the general practice of architecture with Mr. W. Powell Robins; the firm has taken offices at 27 East 22d street, New York.

WHO FIRED MORGAN?

Murray '05 Convicted—Pathetic Scene in the Court-Room

It is still somewhat of a puzzle just how the jury in the mock trial last Thursday evening arrived at its verdict of "Guilty," but at any rate, there is no doubt that the whole affair was a complete success.

Murray '05, be it known, stood before the court charged with the heinous crime of having started the fire which last Thanksgiving day almost destroyed Morgan Hall. The prosecuting attorney (Nomer '06) opened the case by attacking the character of the defendant, and attempting to prove, by means of witnesses, that the day before the fire, said defendant had bought kerosene and matches at Neyland & Quinn's; moreover, that he had a standing quarrel with several of the other occupants of his entry in Morgan Hall. Cross-examination by the attorney for the defense (Pettit '05) failed to disprove to any great extent the testimony of the witnesses, and the prisoner's doom seemed sealed.

But the prosecution had reckoned without its host. Witnesses of unimpeachable reputation were brought up by the defense to show that Murray's character was of the best. One even went so far as to say, "Mr. Murray would not accept any position in Troy politics, knowing them to be corrupt."

Court-room pathos was stretched to its utmost limit, as Mrs. Murray (Swan '05) stepped upon the witness-stand to testify in her husband's defense.

The defense then played its trump card. Mr. Nomer himself, the dignified prosecuting attorney, had been seen to light a fire on that very Thanksgiving afternoon. The latter, however, acquitted himself of all guilt, by forcing the witnesses to admit that the fire referred to had not been built in Morgan Hall, but in the Abbey some distance away.

After a summary of his case by each of the attorneys, the jury retired, and soon returned with a verdict of "Guilty of arson." In view of the extenuating circumstances, the judge (Shoudy '05) declared the sentence of the prisoner to be only one day's imprisonment, and a fine of a nominal sum.

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TWO DEFEATS

Seniors and Juniors Win From Freshmen—Standing of Teams

A batting rally in the third, together with general unsteadiness on the part of the freshmen, won an uphill game for the seniors Thursday. Parker was given poor support and changed places with centre fielder Gillett in the fourth inning. Mills pitched a steady game, striking out four batters.

		R	H	E
1905	3 0 6 2 4 x	15	9	8
1908	5 2 0 0 2 0	9	10	12

Batteries—1905, Mills and Parsons; 1908, Parker, Gillett and Waters. Umpire—Mears 1904.

1906, 7; 1908, 4

The freshmen lost their third consecutive game Saturday afternoon, when the juniors defeated them 7 to 4. Parker was hit hard in the second inning and Gillett took his place. Van Inwegen was found for only three hits, but was given poor support. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
1908 0 2 1 0 1	4	3	4
1906 1 4 2 0 x	7	7	5

Batteries—1906, Van Inwegen and Bates. 1908, Parker, Gillett and Waters.

Standing of Class Teams

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Rutter Cups Trials

The trials for the Rutter cups held on Weston Field Saturday resulted as follows:

Punting, out of a possible 32 points: Waters '08 24, Brady '08 21, Hoyne '07 21, Kelley '08 15, Bates '07 12, M. Brown '07 12, Bowker '08 11, Waterworth '08 11.

Place-kicking—A. Brown '07 7, Waters '08 7, Bowker '08 6, Bates '07 4, Waterworth '08 3, Kelley '08 3, Brady '08 3, Hoyne '07 2, M. Brown '07 1.

Drop-kicking—A. Brown '07 7, Bates '07 5, Waters '08 5, Hoyne '07 4, Waterworth '08 4, Bowker '08 3, Kelley '08 3.

Further trials were held this morning and afternoon; ten men to qualify in each event. The finals will take place on Weston Field Wednesday morning.

Amherst Scores

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Amherst 1, Holyoke (league) 7.
Amherst 10, Sp'field (league) 5.
Amherst 4, Harvard 3.
Amherst 3, Colby 2.
Amherst 0, Dartmouth 2.
Amherst 7, Williams 2.
Amherst 4, Cornell 1.
Amherst 0, Princeton 1.
Amherst 1, Fordham 2.
Amherst 4, Brown 2.
Amherst 0, Wesleyan 1.
Amherst 3, Dartmouth 2.

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GARGOYLE

Twelve Men Elected From The Class of 1906

Elections to Gargoyle, the senior society, were given in the usual way Tuesday afternoon. The following were chosen:

HENRY DIKE BIXBY
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DRAMATICS

Cap and Bells' Presentation of "Capt. Racket"

Cap and Bells gave a highly successful performance of "Captain Racket" before a large crowd of Prom. guests and undergraduates in the opera house on Tuesday morning. The play, a three-act farce, went off with great snap and vigor and was a decided improvment on the earlier presentations.

The work of Botsford 1906 as Obadiah Dawson, the uncle from Japan, was excellent. He was convulsingly funny in the third act when he believed he had taken morphine. Bellamy 1908 made a very good Katy (the mischievous maid) while Day 1905 took the title part well. The work of Hite 1908 would perhaps be better if he were less inclined to drawl his lines. The cast has already been published in these columns. The orchestra, under the leadership of Boland 1905, played between acts and deservedly drew rounds of applause.

The following seniors acted as ushers: Austin, Chace, Mann, Nesbitt, Judson.

Dr. Tomlinson Will Preach

Dr. Everett Titsworth Tomlinson, of Elizabeth, N. J., a prominent educator and writer, will occupy the college pulpit next Sunday. He was a member of the class of 1879, but did not graduate. In 1883 he received an honorary M. A. from Williams, and later received the degree of Ph. D. from Colgate. Dr. Tomlinson has written many juvenile books, the majority of them dealing with the Revolution and the War of 1812. Among his more famous books are "Boy Soldiers of 1812," "The Colonial Boys," "Three Young Continentals," "Washington's Young Aids," and a "Short History of the American Revolution."

WILLIAMS

First Game on Weston Field Won By Purple 3-2

Williams won from Amherst on Weston Field Memorial day by a score of 3 to 2 in an exciting, well-played game. Westervelt proved superior to McRae at critical moments, striking out the last man up in the second, third, fourth and sixth innings with men on bases, and was steady at all times. The fielding on both sides was, in the main, accurate, with Amherst excelling, except for the fifth inning, when temporary unsteadiness combined with Williams' heady work on the bases, won the game for the Purple. Powell gave the cheer leaders work by sprinting to left center in the sixth and catching a hit from Warren's bat labelled three-bagger.

The game gave promise of excitement at the start when Amherst, after two were out, scored on two hits, and McCarty walked, stole, and tied the score on a hit by Westervelt. Williams won the game in the fifth, when Wadsworth reached third on his single and steal, and an error. Nesbitt and Westervelt rolled slow bounders toward Storke; his error of judgment on the first let Wadsworth score, while his wide throw on the second let Bonham in with the run that won the game.

The summary:

WILLIAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty c,	3	1	0	9	1	0
Bonham 2b,	3	1	1	2	2	0
Nesbitt ss,	3	0	0	2	2	1
Westervelt p,	4	0	1	1	3	0
Watson 1b,	4	0	1	11	0	0
Hogan lf,	2	0	1	1	1	0
Neild 3b,	1	0	0	0	2	1
Warren cf,	3	0	0	1	0	1
Wadsworth rf,	3	1	1	0	0	1
Total	26	3	5	27	11	4

AMHERST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wheeler cf,	4	0	0	0	1	0
Powree lf,	4	0	0	1	1	0
Storke 3b,	4	1	1	2	1	1
Beach ss,	4	0	1	2	2	0
McRae p,	4	0	1	2	2	0
Shattuck rf,	4	1	2	3	0	0
Kelliher 2b,	3	0	0	3	3	0
Danahey 3,	3	0	1	6	1	0
Allaire 1b,	3	0	0	5	2	1
Total	33	2	6	24	13	2

Williams—1 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 x—2
Amherst—1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—3

Two-base hit, Hogan. Three-base hit, Shattuck. Stolen bases, Bonham, Wadsworth, Storke, Beach 2. Sacrifice hits, Bonham, Kelliher. Bases on balls, off Westervelt 1, off McRae 4. Struck out, by Westervelt 7, by McRae 4. Hit by pitched ball, Neild. Double plays, Allaire, Mc Rae and Storke; Powell and Beach. Umpire, Hassett. Time, 2 hr., 5 m.

AMHERST

Second Game, on Pratt Field, Won by Purple and White 8-1

The third game of the Amherst series, played on Pratt Field yesterday afternoon, saw the Purple and White victorious 8 to 1. The game was won in the first inning, when Amherst's timely hitting followed Williams' costly errors. Towards the end of the game Amherst again found the ball, and Williams' poor fielding once more turned their hits into runs. Williams on the other hand, although not striking out, hit the ball straight at the fielders until the last three innings, but Amherst's infield proved competent. Beach and Storke in particular strengthened their fielding averages, mostly on easy chances.

Williams' lone run came in the ninth, and was very much earned. With one out, Nesbitt cracked a drive to deep left that earned him second base with ease. Westervelt got a safe hit and Watson another, scoring Nesbitt. Westervelt was put out trying to reach third and Hogan's strike-out was the signal for Amherst's last round of cheers.

The summary:

WILLIAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty c,	3	0	0	8	1	0
Bonham 2b,	3	0	1	3	1	2
Nesbitt ss,	4	1	1	2	0	1
Westervelt p,	4	0	1	2	4	1
Watson 1b,	3	0	1	6	0	0
Hogan lf,	4	0	0	1	0	2
Neild 3b,	3	0	0	1	1	0
Warren cf,	3	0	1	1	0	0
Wadsworth p,	3	0	0	0	0	0
Total	30	1	5	24	7	6

AMHERST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wheeler cf,	2	1	0	0	0	0
Powell lf,	4	1	2	3	0	0
Storke 3b,	5	1	2	3	5	0
Beach ss,	5	2	0	0	6	0
Shattuck rf,	5	3	2	1	1	0
Kelliher 2b,	3	0	1	1	1	1
Danahey c,	2	0	1	3	1	0
Allaire 1b,	4	0	1	16	0	0
Newell p,	3	0	1	0	2	0
Total	33	8	10	27	16	1

Williams—0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1
Amherst—4 0 0 0 1 0 2 1 x—8

Two-base hits, Bonham, Nesbitt. Three-base hit, Kelliher. Stolen bases, Beach, Danahey. Sacrifice hits, Bonham, Powell. Bases on balls, off Westervelt 4, off Newell 0. Struck out, by Westervelt 8, by Newell 2. Hit by pitched ball, McCarty, Watson, Kelliher, Danahey, Newell. Double play, Neild, Bonham and Watson. Umpires, Hassett and Cornboy. Time, 2 hr.

Tennis Semi-Finals

In the semi-final matches of the college tennis tournament, Willey beat Hack 6-3, 6-2; Andrews beat King 6-2, 7-5. Willey and Andrews will play for the championship.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, JUNE 1

7.15 p. m.—Adelphic Union meeting, S. C.

SATURDAY, JUNE 3

Last day of Recitations.

10.00 a. m.—Williams Interscholastic Meet, Weston Field.

2.00 p. m—Finals of Rutter Cups contest, Weston Field.

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Mt. Anthony Golf Club golf match, Bennington.

3.30 p. m.—Williams-Trinity baseball game, Trinity Field, Hartford.

SUNDAY, JUNE 4

10.30 a. m.—College chapel, Dr. Everett T. Tomlinson of Elizabeth, N. J. will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, Dr. Tomlinson will speak.

MONDAY, JUNE 5

8.30 a. m.—Semi-Annual Examinations commence.

WILLIAM WINS DOUBLES

Northrop and Smith Successful at Longwood

(By Telegraph to The Record).

Longwood, Mass., June 1.—In the finals of the doubles of the New England intercollegiate tennis tournament, played this morning, Northrop and Smith of Williams defeated Wise and Hsnacom of Tufts in straight sets 6-1, 6-0, 6-4. Yesterday, in the semi-finals of the singles Fanning of M. I. T. defeated Northrop of Williams 6-4, 6-4. The summary:

Singles—First round—R. D. Gatewood of Massachusetts Institute of Technology beat N. F. Cole of Amherst, 6—8, 6—1, 6—4; F. Smith of Williams beat W. N. Wise of Tufts, 6—1, 6—1; H. F. Adams of Wesleyan beat N. P. Hutchinson of Brown, 10—8, 7—5; L. F. Wallis of Dartmouth beat P. Laidley of Bowdoin, 6—0, 6—4; L. Northrop of Williams beat C. G. Gatch of Wesleyan, 6—0, 6—1; H. G. Tobey of Bowdoin beat H. B. Hanscom of Tufts, 6—3, 6—4; A. B. Rotch of Dartmouth beat H. Weed of Amherst, 4—6, 10—8, 6—2; M. A. Fanning of Massachusetts Institute of Technology beat E. M. Porter of Brown, 3—6, 6—3, 6—1.

Second round—Wallis of Dartmouth beat Adams of Wesleyan, 7—9, 9—7, 7—5; Northrop of Williams beat Tobey of Bowdoin, 6—0, 6—4; F. R. Smith of Williams beat R. D. Gatewood of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 6—8, 6—2, 6—1.

Doubles, first round—Wallace and Rotch of Dartmouth beat Porter and Hutchinson of Brown, 6—4, 6—3; Gatewood and Fanning of Massachusetts Institute of Technology beat Gatch and Adams of Wesleyan, 9—7, 6—4 Hanacom and Wise of Tufts beat Cole and Weed of Amherst, 6—2, 6—4; Northrop and Smith of Williams beat Tobey and Laidley of Bowdoin, 6—4, 6—1.

Singles, semi-finals—M. A. Fanning of Massachusetts Institute of Technhology beat L. H. Northrop of Williams, 6—4, 6—4.

Doubles, semi-finals—Smith and Northrop of Williams beat Wallis and McLane of Dartmouth, 6—4, 3—6, 6—4; Wise and Hanacom of Tufts beat Gatewood and Nichols of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 6—2, 6—4.

Doubles, finals—Smith and Northrop of Williams beat Hanscom and Wise of Tufts, 6—1, 6—0, 6—4.

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Announcement

The Record board announces the election of Edward Brockway Wight 1907, of Milwaukee, Wis., and Carroll Atwood Wilson of Westfield, Mass., to the positions of associate-editors, to hold office until December, 1905.

The Interscholastic Meet

It is an admitted fact that the main purpose of the interscholastic track meet, held every year by the college, is to investigate the ability of any promising athletes from the competing schools, and to induce such men to make Williams their alma mater. One of the most effective methods of nullifying any desire on the part of these athletes to enter Williams, is to ignore completely their efforts. And yet this is done year after year.

Little, if any, interest is taken in the meet by the undergraduates. The school boys are left to their own devices; no entertainment is offered them such as they are accustomed to receive at other colleges. Is it any wonder then, that many of them, perhaps, feel no desire to enter the institution which has treated them so shabbily?

Next Saturday offers an excellent chance to begin doing what should have been done in the past. There are no 'varsity or second team games to hold the attention of the student body. It is the duty of every man to witness the meet, and, after it is over, to hold out to the visitors the best that Williams has to offer.

The Commencement Record

In preparing the Commencement Record for 1905 the question of expense has been kept in the background. The book will cost the editors over twice as much as any previous commencement number, and will be as perfect an example of the printer's art as it is possible for them to secure. The special events of commencement will give an opportunity for features of exceptional interest. The number will contain a hitherto unpublished letter of the late Frederick Ferris Thompson, illustrative of the character of a man who was one of Williams' best friends and its greatest benefactor. The customary reviews of undergraduate organizations will be included, and will be brought up to the time of going to press.

The cuts used in illustrating the book are all new, uniform in size, on a light tint, and will be printed on the best book plate. The cover designs will be three in number, in three colors, and the frontispiece in two colors. For the drawings The Record wishes to thank Miss Wright of New York city, John B. Reid 1906 and Alfred P. Hanchett 1907.

It is planned to issue the book before the close of the final examinations. The aim is to publish a number thoroughly representative of Williams. If the undergraduate body decides that the goal has been reached, we respectfully ask its support.

The Daily Record

During commencement week, beginning with Saturday, June 17, The Record will be published as a daily paper. It will be issued early in the afternoon and will contain full accounts of the morning's events. Its columns will be devoted exclusively to Williams college news, and everything relating to the college, of interest to alumni, undergraduates and visitors, will be chronicled. A detailed calendar of the events for the following day will be printed in the first column of each issue. All notices in brief form of alumni banquets, meetings, etc., will be printed if left in the press box, Jesup Hall, and signed with the writer's name.

Members of The Record board will be in the Press room at all times, and, so far as they are able, will be pleased to assist visiting correspondents.

—The regular class prayer meetings will be held Friday evening at 7.15 in Jesup Hall. The topic is "How to Spend the Sabbath," Luke 13: 10-17. The leaders are 1905, Gregory; 1906, Howe; 1907, Stanley; 1908, McIntyre.

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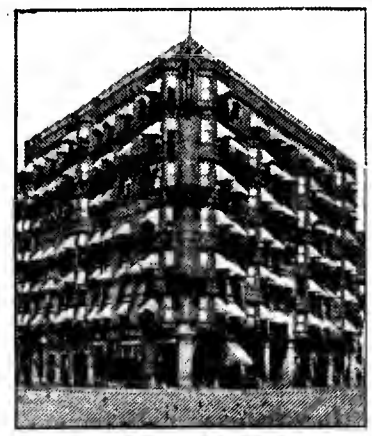
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SECOND TEAM WON

Harvard College Defeated by a Single Run

The second team concluded a victorious season yesterday afternoon by defeating the Harvard college nine 5 to 4 on Weston Field. Of the five games scheduled, four have been won, the game with the Albany high school being cancelled on account of rain. Yesterday's game showed considerable unsteadiness in the field on the part of the home team, and a lack of headwork in coaching and base running.

Three errors by the visitors enabled Shedden to score in the second, and a pass, an error and a hit helped Willcox home in the sixth. Timely hitting in the fourth and fifth allowed the visitors to score twice. A single and a couple of passes filled the bases for Williams again in the seventh, and with two out, Southworth's single scored Stocking and Austin. Willcox stole home before Southworth was caught at second. This winning lead was nearly overcome in the ninth, when four expensive errors gave Harvard two more runs.

The teams came to bat as follows:

WILLIAMS SECOND—Osterhout 3b, Domett ss, Osborne cf, Stocking rf, Austin 2b, Shedden lf, Willcox 1b, Southworth c, Ford p.

HARVARD COLLEGE—Giles lf, Sperry 1b, Mitchell ss, Adams rf, Burns 2b, Colby cf, Wickensham 3b, Sullivan c, Greene p.

Williams—0 1 0 0 0 1 3 0 x—5 6 7
Harvard —0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 2—4 7 6

Struck out—By Ford 7, by Greene 9. Base on balls—By Ford 2, by Greene 4. Umpire—Keefe.

Philotechnian Elections

At the regular quarterly meeting of the Philotechnian society last night, the following were elected officers for the first quarter, fall term: Hulst 1906, president; McAllister 1906, vice-president; Allen 1907, secretary; Pierce 1907, treasurer; Scott 1908, librarian; Gunther 1906, quarterly orator, and Kenney 1906, critic.

The following men were chosen to represent the society in the Wesleyan preliminaries: Hulst and McAllister 1906, Allen and Pierce 1907, Bullard and Scott 1908. Kenney 1906 was chosen alternate.

Trinity Saturday

Trinity college, which lost a game to Wesleyan Tuesday morning and won one in the afternoon, will play Williams at Hartford Saturday. The line up:

WILLIAMS—McCarty c, Bonham 2b, Nesbitt ss, Westervelt p, Watson 1b, Hogan lf, Neild 3b, Warren cf, Wadsworth rf.

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The opening number commenced at about half past nine o'clock. Giuseia's orchestra of fifteen pieces, was stationed in a bank of palms, on a raised dais in the southeast corner of the floor. Thirty-six regular dances and four extras were played, besides encores to each number. One of the most enjoyable pieces of music during the evening was the 1907 extra, a spirited two step composed by R. M. McLellan 1907, and W. P. Yarnelle 1907.

The decorations of the gymnasium were splendid. Yellow and white bunting completely hid the walls: the railing of the gallery was draped with festoons of the same material and long ropes of laurel, fastened above the running track, depended from a center piece. Each pendant was covered with incandescent lights. A large star at one end of he gymnasium, bore the numerals "'07" in electric lights. The angle behind the running track on the second floor was converted into a large cosy corner with divans, sofas and chairs. rugs and tapestries, shields and banners.

Intermission for supper was given between the eighteenth and nineteenth dances, and during this time the members of the glee clubs sang. Dancing lasted until quarter of five, with the closing number by daylight.

The supplementary dance, under the management of the sophomore prom. committee, was held at the Greylock hotel Tuesday evening.

Freshmen Athletic Cup Awarded

The 1905 Philadelphia Alumni cup has been awarded by the athletic council for 1905 to Francis Ferris Anderson 1908. This cup is offered each year to that member of the freshman class who shows the greatest improvement in athletic exercise prescribed by the faculty and who maintains a grade of at least seventy per cent in his curriculum work.

The baseball management has erected posts for canvas screens which will shut off the field from view from the road. It has been customary for a large crowd of onlookers to avoid paying admission by watching games from the fence.

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Thirteen events are scheduled: the 100 yd., 220 yd., and 440 yd. dashes, half mile and mile runs, pole vault, broad and high jumps, discus and hammer throws, and shot put. The bicycle race, so disastrous last year, is omitted. The points will be awarded as usual, on the scale of 5-3-1. The championship banner will be awarded to the school winning the greatest number of points, and medals will be awarded to all point winners. About one hundred entries have been received.

Last year's winner was Pittsfield high school. The championship banner has never been carried outside of Berkshire county.

COLLEGE NOTES

Pierce '07 was taken on the Amherst trip.

The 1905 class cup is on exhibition in Azhderian's window.

A team representing the Netherleigh defeated the Abbey nine Tuesday 17 to 5.

Brown '05 and Wehle '08 returned last evening from a ninety-five mile walking trip to Brandon.

Owing to the pressure of other work, Prof. Ferry has resigned from the co-operative store committee.

Holroyd '06 won third in the 100-yards handicap dash at the Ridgefield Athletic Union meet in Albany Tuesday.

President Hopkins addressed the G. A. R. veterans from the lawn in front of his home Memorial day.

Rutter '99 and Hatch '03 spoke Tuesday night at a college meeting held on West College hill.

Services under the auspices of the G. A. R. were held in the chapel Tuesday morning.

The reunion plans of the classes of '50, '55, '65, '80, '85, '90 and '95 have been published in The Record. Secretaries of other classes either have not responded to repeated inquiries or are not planning for re-unions.

Among the alumni in town over Memorial day were Ide '71, Hubbell '74, Spring '94, Ide '98, Rutter '99, L. L. Brown and W. H. Brown '03, Hatch '03, Barker, Bridgewater, Bacon, Erskine, Hollister, Jones, Kemp, Labbe, Mitchell, Root, Smith '04, Cohn ex-'05, Phelps and Parsons ex-'07.



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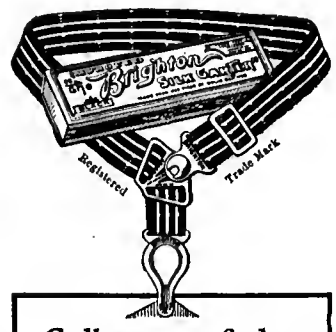
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FACULTY SUMMER PLANS

Members of the Faculty Will Be Widely Scattered

As far as is known at this early date, the plans of the faculty are as follows:

President Hopkins will probably be detained in Williamstown during a part of the summer by the preliminary work on the new dormitory and other routine business, but hopes to get away for two or three weeks.

Prof. Clarke, as in previous years, will probably pass the summer months at Grow and Long Lake in the Adirondacks.

Prof. Mears, who is now in Venice, will remain in Europe until fall, travelling to London, Paris and Heidelberg, sailing for America from Antwerp, August 26.

Prof. Hewitt and his family will again visit Castine, Me., where he expects to work on Greek archaeology and literature during a part of the summer.

Prof. Spring and his family will pass the summer in Marblehead and around Boston.

Prof. Goodrich will attend his class reunion at its twenty-fifth anniversary at the Yale commencement. He will then sail with his family to Digby, Nova Scotia, near which he will spend the rest of the summer.

Prof. and Mrs. Wahl will sail for Europe the last of June or the first of July, and will spend July and August traveling in Austria and Germany, returning to Williamstown the first of September.

Prof. Morton will also spend the summer abroad. He will sail for Europe July 8 and return about September 10.

The wedding of Prof. Ferry and Miss Anna Chamberlain, of New-Britain, Conn., will be celebrated at the home of the bride in July. Prof. Ferry will be detained in Williamstown the greater part of vacation by his duties in charge of the admissions work for 1909. He will be present at the meeting of the American Mathematical Society in Williamstown, September 7 and 8.

Prof. Milham's plans are not definitely settled, but at present he expects to spend practically all of July at Kinderhook, N. Y., and probably the month of August at the seashore.

Prof. T. C. Smith will go to Boston immediately after commencement. He will be busy writing his book, covering the period of American history between 1850 and 1859, entitled "Parties and Slavery," Vol. 18 of "The American Nation, a History," Albert Bushnell Hart, editor-in-chief. He hopes to spend two weeks toward the end of the summer camping in Canada.

Prof. McElfresh will pass the summer in Boston, where he will have charge of the course in elementary physics at the Harvard summer school.

Prof. Cleland will be away from July 3 to July 17 on an intercollegiate geological excursion to Chesapeake Bay and the southern Appalachians. The rest of the vacation will be spent working in the Yale museum.

Professors Rice, Russell, Maxey and Kellogg are undecided; Prof. Nelson will remain in Williamstown. Prof. Wild, will devote a portion of the summer to rest.

Acting Prof. T. H. Clark will be at his home in Worcester.

Asst. Prof. Kellogg will be at the Chatauqua summer school, Chautauqua, N. Y., from June 10 to August 18, where he will have charge of the Latin department, giving courses in the Latin language and literature, besides conducting normal training classes and a Latin teachers' conference. He will spend the rest of August in Canada.

Asst. Prof. Webster will spend the summer at Lake George, N Y., where he will be at work on his book, "Primitive Secret Societies."

Asst. Prof. Weston, absent in Europe on two-years leave, now in Paris, will pass July and August in Spain.

Assistant Professors Hardy, Howard, King and Perry will remain in Williamstown.

Mr. Lewis will spend his first six weeks of vacation in England and Wales, revisiting his birthplace for the first time since his boyhood. On returning to the United States, he will be employed in social settlement work in Boston until college opens.

Mr. Northup will work at the University of Chicago on his doctor's thesis.

Mr. Shepard will be at Asbury Park from June 28 to July 5 in charge of the registration at the annual meeting of the National Educational Association. He will pass the rest of the summer in Illinois and Minnesota.

Dr. Woodruff will act as instructor at the Marine biological laboratory at Wood's Holl.

Mr. de Beaumont will pass July and August at Columbia univer-

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THE CHAPEL ORGAN

Description of Organ For Thompson Memorial Chapel

The three-manual electric organ for the Thompson Memorial chapel is practically installed, and has been used enough to demonstrate that it is entirely satisfactory. An expert, Mr. Clark of Boston, is now engaged in tuning the pipes and expects to have the organ in readiness a week before the recital to be given June 21 by Mr. Gaston N. Dethier of New York city.

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Trials for Rutter Cup

Owing to the Amherst game, the finals for the Rutter cups were postponed until Saturday. The following men qualified:

Punting—Alexander '07, 26; Waters '08, 24; Hoyne '07, 21; Brady '08, 21; Kelley '08, 15; Eldridge '08, 13; Bates '06, 12; Brown '08, 12; Cramer '07, 12; Waterworth '08, 12.

Place kicking—Waters '08, 7; A. Brown '07, 7; Bowker '08, 6; Southworth '07, 6; Eldridge '08, 5; Bates '06, 4; Winslow '07, 4; Marshall '08, 4; Waterworth '08, 3; Kelley '08, 3; Brady '08, 3.

Drop kicking—A. Brown '07, 7; Bates '06, 5; Alexander '07, 5; Waters '08, 5; Hoyne '07, 4; Waterworth '08, 4; Southworth '07, 3; Kelley '08, 3; Bowker '08, 3; Cantwell '06, 2.

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sity, working on his thesis for the degree Ph. D.

Dr. Ford will spend the summer at his home at Cooperstown, N. Y.

Dr. Lyon will be at Baltimore until September, where he will see to the printing of his Ph. D. dissertation on "A comparison of German and French mediaeval epic poetry." He will then go to Princeton for the rest of the summer.

Mr. Rees will study English at the Harvard summer school.

Dr. Wetmore will pass the summer months in Lebanon, Conn., working on his "Lexicon to the works of Vergil."

Mr. Billetdoux, Mr. Brown and Mr. Seeley will probably remain in Williamstown.

Mr. Muir will be employed in field work with E. B. Chandler and Co., a real estate firm of San Antonio, Texas.

M. Preserved Smith will be at Columbia university, working on his Ph. D. thesis.

Dr. Parsons, Mr. Hoyt and Mr. Hart will remain in Williamstown.

Rev. Mr. Burr will be in Williamstown for the greater part of the summer attending to the publication of the general catalogue but may get away for a week or two to Nahant, Mass.

Mr. Green will stay in Williamstown during July and September, but will spend part of August in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Wells Prize Essays

"The Contributions of the Landed Man to Civil Liberty," printed by The Riverside Press for the department of political science of Williams college, is the first of the David A. Wells Prize Essays. The work is necessarily somewhat technical. The author, Mr. Elwin Lawrence Page 1900, has treated in a scholarly and thorough manner the influence of the land owner upon constitutional growth, in securing the possession of liberty. The book includes eight long chapters, beginning with "The Angles and Saxons on the Continent," to "The Growth of Parliament" and "The Final Struggle for Liberty" in England.

Under the terms of the will of the late David A. Wells '47, Mr. Page was awarded the prize of $500 for the best essay submitted to the judges and deemed worthy of publication. The printing and editing of the essays is to be done under the direction of Dr. Henry Loomis Nelson, David A. Wells Professor of Political Science, the expense of printing and circulation to come out of the residual income of the fund. Competition is opened to seniors and graduates of not more than three years' standing.

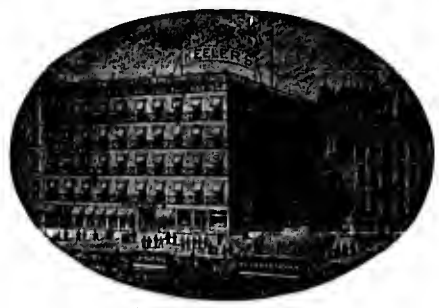
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ARRANGEMENTS FOR PRESIDENT'S SAFETY

Secret Service, Local Officers and Student Guard

Arrangements for the President's safety, will, of course, rest largely with the secret service bureau, but in addition to these usual precautions, the local authorities and the college will lend additional aid.

A committee, consisting of Prof. James G. Hardy, Asst. Prof. Lewis Perry and John A. De Camp will have general charge of the plans, with Griswold '06, Westervelt '06, and Bixby '06 as a student sub-committee.

It is expected that a total of 150 men from the classes of 1906 and 1907, will act as an escort. Of this number nearly 100 have already consented to serve. They will be subject to the orders of Sheriff John Nicholson of Berkshire county, and will be distinguished by badges worn on the coats. It is possible that a part of them will be mounted.

Upon his arrival in town, President Roosevelt will be met by the majority of the student escort, who will accompany him as far as the French Catholic Church, where they will board a special trolley car, and thus be able to meet him again at the entrance to the college grounds. In the meantime, another division of 25 students will be stationed at President Hopkins' residence, to keep the lawn clear, and to open a path to the door.

After the commencement exercises another escort, led by the seniors, will accompany the president to the place where he will deliver a speech to the townspeople. Upon leaving, he will be escorted to the station by two coach loads of students.

In addition to the student guard the selectmen have appointed twelve special officers, to patrol the streets in the center of the town from Wednesday noon until Thursday evening, while others will be present from Pittsfield, all working under the direction of Sheriff Nicholson.

Gargoyle Banquet

This evening at 8:30 p. m. the Gargoyle society dinner will be held at the Greylock hotel. Members of each of the delegations since 1895, the date of the founding of the society, as well as the 1905 and 1906 Gargoyle delegations, will be present. Harry T. Watson will be toast master, and a toast will be given by representatives from each delegation.



THE 1905 BASEBALL TEAM

WILLIAMS MEETS AMHERST AGAIN

Fourth Game of Series Will Be Played This Afternoon.

Williams meets Amherst this afternoon on Weston Field at 2:30 in the fourth game played this year between the two teams. Williams won at Williamstown by a score of 3 to 2, and Amherst at Amherst by scores of 7 to 1 and 8 to 2. The line-ups and batting orders of the teams will be as follows:

WILLIAMS—McCarty c, Bonham 2b, Nesbitt ss, Westervelt rf or p, Watson 1b, Hogan lf, Neild 3b, Warren cf, Wadsworth p or rf.

AMHERST—Wheeler cf, Powell lf, McRae p, Beach ss, Kelliher 2b, Storke 3b, Shattuck rf, Palmer 1b, Ellis c.

Hasset and Conboy will umpire.

Berkshire Committee

The committee which will represent Berkshire county during President Roosevelt's visit to Williamstown consists of Hon. Albert Charles Houghton of North Adams; Hon William B. Plunkett of Adams; U. S. Senator, and ex-Governor of Massachusetts, W. Murray Crane of Dalton; Hon. James Madison Barker of Pittsfield, and Hon. Walter F. Hawkins of Pittsfield.

By defeating Herman Livingston, jr., 1905, of Catskill, N. Y., Ardo W. Mitchell 1907, of Rock Island, Ill., won the spring handicap golf tournament yesterday afternoon. Mitchell won 2 up and 1 to play.

PRESIDENT WILL NOT ATTEND RECEPTION

Will Now be Held Tuesday—The Receiving Committee

Owing to the pressure upon President Roosevelt during his stay in Williamstown, he will be unable to attend the reception planned for Wednesday evening at 8:30 in Lasell Gymnasium, and consequently the reception of the president and trustees of the college to the alumni and friends of the college will be held at the regular time, Tuesday afternoon, June 20, at 4:30 p. m. in Jesup Hall.

At the reception President Hopkins will be assisted in receiving by a committee of seven: Hon. Winthrop Murray Crane, of Dalton, junior senator from Massachusetts, chairman; Hon. Geo. P. Lawrence, ex-'80, of North Adams, U. S. Representative from the First Massachusetts District; Hon. A. C. Houghton, of North Adams, a trustee of the college; Mr. W. B. Plunkett of Adams; Hon. James M. Barker '60, of Pittsfield, a trustee of the college; George Westinghouse, Esq., of Lenox; and Hon. Jas. R. Garfield, '85, United States Commissioner of Corporations, and a trustee of the college. In addition, a committee representing the town, consisting of N. H. Sabin, John B. Locke, A. E. Hall, and D. J. Neyland, as well as Mr. W. B. Plunkett, will meet the presidential party at North Adams.

The battery for the Williams Alumni game next Wednesday will be Lewis and Draper. Lewis was captain of the '96 team and Draper of the '94 and '95 teams.

CALENDAR

SATURDAY, JUNE 17

8:00 p. m.—Graves Prize Speaking Contest, Congregational Church.

8:30 p. m.—Gargoyle society dinner, Greylock hotel.

SUNDAY, JUNE 18

10:30 a. m.—Baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class by President Hopkins, Congregational church.

4:30 a. m.—Open air prayer meeting in Mission Park, conducted by Rev. Dr. Charles A. Stoddard '54, of New York city.

8:00 p. m.—Address by Rev. Washington Gladden D. D., LL. D., '59, of Columbus, O., Congregational church.

MONDAY, JUNE 19

9:00 a. m.—Examinations for admission, English, 10 H. H.

10:30 a. m.—Meeting of the Board of Trustees, President's residence.

10:30 a. m.—Presentation of "Captain Racket," by Cap and Bells, in Williamstown Opera house.

11:00 a. m.—Examinations for admission, History, 10 H. H.

2:00 p. m.—Examinations for admission, Greek, 10 H. H.

7:30 p. m.—Prize rhetorical exhibition, "Moonlights," Congregational church.

9:00 p. m.—Concert by the Musical clubs. Library campus.

Suits for the baseball game Wednesday will be issued to the Alumni players by Hoyne 1907, 15 West College. If notice is given him the suits will be at the gymnasium on the afternoon of the game.

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Commencement

The commencement week which begins today promises to be the most noteworthy in the history of Williams. The one hundred and eleventh commencement will be signalized by two events of unusual importance, the dedication of the Thompson Memorial Chapel and the visit of the President of the United States.

With the undergraduates, to a large extent, rests the good name of the college; we cannot bring ourselves to think that a word of caution to them is out of place. The courtesies which the students can extend to visitors, it is unnecessary to mention. The actions of the undergraduates during commencement week and their attitude towards the guests of the college will best illustrate one side of an education at Williams.

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Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be published in The Williams Record and another copy of the same be sent to his family.

C. B. WILLEY,
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For the Class.

ADMISSION

Regulations For Events of Commencement Week

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Commencement Committees

The committees in charge of the exercises during commencement week are as follows: General committee of arrangements, Rev. C. H. Burr, chairman, Prof. Wild, Treasurer Hoyt, Wm. C. Hart, secretary; committee on entertainment, Prof. Clark, Dr. Henry S. Lenke' '87, Hon. Sanborn G. Tenney '86; committee on invitations, Prof. Rice; committee on ushers, Prof. Milham, Asst. Prof. Kellogg, Mr. Shepard; committee on presidential escort, Asst. Prof. Hardy, Asst. Prof. Perry, John A. De-Camp 1900; committee on press, Prof. Maxcy, Prof. McElfresh, Clapp 1906, Morgan 1906; Williamstown committee, Mr. N. H. Sabin, Mr. D. J. Neyland, Hon. A. E. Hall.

Prof. Ferry is chief marshal. The alumni marshals have not been appointed.

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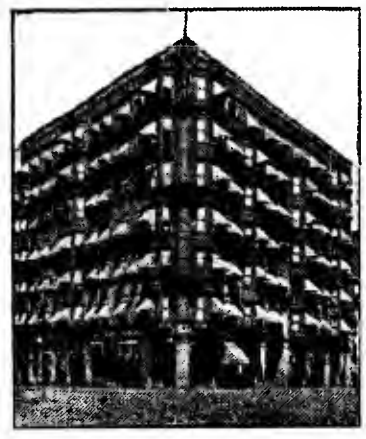
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The following toasts were given: "The Class," Morton D. Griswold; "Every Little Bit Helps," Alfred M. Botsford; "What Harm?" Charles H. Brady; "When we Sign the Checks—A Prophecy," Eugene I. Cowell.

The committee consisted of Chauncy Hills, Philip R. Peters and Samuel C. Wooster, jr. A special car conveyed the juniors to and from Pittsfield.

Sophomores at North Adams

The class of 1907 held its banquet at the Richmond, North Adams. About sixty men attended the dinner. Charles P. Moies, jr., was toastmaster, and the following were the toasts: President's address, Bernard W. Southworth; "Grinds," John J. Butler, jr.,; "Athletics," Robert G. Leavitt; "The Faculty," Alfred P. Hanchett, jr.,; "The Class," Lewis G. Hinman; and "Williams," George B. Dutton. The committee was made up of John H. Lapham, Harry P. Houston and Kenneth S. Domett. The special car left North Adams at 12:15 a. m.

The Freshmen's First

The Rensselaer Hotel in Troy resounded with the cheers of the freshmen, when the members of the class of 1908 held their first banquet. The class left Williamstown for Troy at 5:04 p. m. Harold H. Griswold presided at the dinner. William N. Elder delivered the president's address, and the following toasts were responded to: "Canes", George E. Hite, 2d; "The Sink-hole of Iniquity," Frank H. Bellamy; "The Class," John Woodcock; "Faculty," Philip N. Westcott; Class Poem, Bernard Westermann.

The class elections resulted as follows: Most popular professor, Dr. Wetmore; most popular man, W. N. Elder; handsomest man, D. P. Brown; class grind, E. P. Groben; man who has done most for the class, W. N. Elder; class fusser, A. Allen; best athlete, E. J. Marshall; worst bootlick, H. E. Bedford, jr.; our sport, B. F. Dawson; most scientific loafer, R. M. Brady.

The freshmen returned to Williamstown on the train which left Troy at 11:30 p. m. arriving here at 1:23 a. m. The freshman supper committee included William H. Scarritt, George E. Hite, 2d., E. Kendall Gillett, Richard B. Rising and Frank E. Curtis.

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ANOTHER VICTORY FOR HOLY CROSS

Williams Defeated on Weston Field Wednesday by Score of 11 to 3

Holy Cross defeated Williams for the second time this year Wednesday afternoon on Weston Field by a score of 11 to 3. In batting the teams were even, but Williams, except in one inning, was unable to bunch hits off Hogarty, while all of Westervelt's excellent pitching in the first innings, when he twice struck out batters with one out and a man on third, was nullified by Williams' miserable work in the field in the seventh and ninth. Holy Cross on the other hand, fielded prettily, a fine stop and throw by Barry of a ground hit across second being about the best in the fielding line seen on Weston Field this year.

Both pitchers pulled out of big holes during the first five innings, Westervelt being particularly effective in the first, when Hoey led off with a three-bagger and got no farther. In the fifth Wadsworth and Bonham were on bases with two out. Westervelt singled to right, and Wadsworth scored when Carrigan dropped Riley's pretty throw to the plate. Watson knocked two men in with a timely double but with all his speed on the bases could not beat Cahill's throw to the plate of Hogan's hit. After that no Williams player saw third base again.

WILLIAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McCarty c.	5	0	0	6	4	1
Bonham 2b.	3	1	0	2	2	4
Nesbitt ss.	4	0	1	2	1	2
Westervelt p.	5	1	2	2	3	1
Watson 1b.	5	0	1	10	0	0
Hogan lf.	4	0	2	2	0	0
Neild 3b.	3	0	1	2	2	1
Warren cf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Wadsworth rf.	3	1	2	0	0	0
Total	36	3	10	27	2	9

HOLY CROSS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Hoey lf.	6	1	3	2	0	0
Riley rf,	5	1	2	4	1	0
Carrigan c.	5	0	0	7	1	1
Flynn 1b,	4	2	1	5	0	0
Cahill cf,	5	2	2	4	1	0
Barry ss.	5	0	0	1	1	2
Dowd 2b,	5	1	0	2	1	0
Ennis 3b,	5	2	3	1	1	0
Hogarty p.	3	2	0	0	1	0
Total,	43	11	11	26	7	3

Williams, 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0—3
Holy Cross, 0 0 0 0 1 0 7 0 3—11

Two-base hits, Westervelt, Hogan, Watson: 3-base hits, Hoey 2; stolen bases, Flynn 2; struck out, by Westervelt 6 by Hogarty 4; bases on balls, off Hogarty 5, off Westervelt 3. Passed ball, Carrigan. Umpire, Hassett. Time, 2 hours.

*Warren out on dropped third strike with man on first.

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		3,		17.
1885,	Williams	12,	Amherst	6.
		9,		10.
1886,	Williams	6,	Amherst	4.
		11,		5.
1887,	Williams	10,	Amherst	6.
		5,		3.
		3,		6.
		7,		9.
1888,	Williams	3,	Amherst	4.
		6,		4.
		6,		4.
		12,		3.
1889,	Williams	7,	Amherst	2.
		8,		5.
		8,		9.
		8,		5.
1890,	Williams	2,	Amherst	4.
		9,		10.
		2,		3.
		8,		22.
1891,	Williams	10,	Amherst	14.
		3,		4.
		2,		0.
		2,		4.
1892,	Williams	6,	Amherst	11.
		3,		6.
		1,		4.
		4,		2.
1893,	Williams	2,	Amherst	10.
		1,		0.
		5,		11.
		2,		4.
1894,	Williams	1,	Amherst	11.
		5,		2.
		2,		1.
		2,		5.
1895,	Williams	5,	Amherst	8.
		5,		6.
		2,		3.
		4,		2.
1896,	Williams	2,	Amherst	3.
		10,		9.
		7,		3.
		5,		3.
1897,	Williams	4,	Amherst	3.
		7,		6.
		5,		4.
		7,		0.
1898,	Williams	6,	Amherst	5.
		20.		8.
		3,		9.
		4,		1.
1899,	Williams	10,	Amherst	7.
		8,		10.
		10,		6.
		4,		0.
1900,	Williams	6,	Amherst	5.
		11.		1.
		5,		4.
		6,		0.
1901,	Williams	0,	Amherst	10.
		2,		8.
		7,		6.
		0,		9.
1904,	Williams	7,	Amherst	3.
		11,		2.

In the 20 years Williams has won 38 games, Amherst 31 games; Williams scored 383 runs, Amherst 385 runs. Since 1894 Williams has won 21 games, and Amherst 9 games.

Commencement Appointments

The final commencement appointments were announced at noon today:

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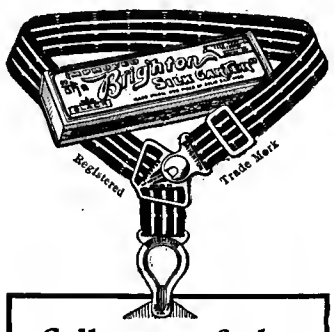
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PAST EVENTS

Summary of Undergraduate Doings Since Last Issue of Record

The seventh annual track and field meet of the Williams College Interscholastic Athletic Association was held on Weston Field Saturday, June 3, from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. Nine of the ten schools composing the association were entered: Adams High School, Albany Academy, Cambridge Union School, Drury High School, Pittsfield High School, Ballston High School, Searles High School, Troy High School, and Williamstown High School. No records were broken. The meet was exceedingly close, Drury winning in the last event by ½ point. The final score was as follows:

Drury 27¼, Pittsfield 27, Cambridge 18, Adams 13 3-8, Searles 10, Albany 9⅛, Ballston 5, Williamstown 4¼, Troy 3.

Williston Victorious

Williston defeated Williams easily on Weston Field Wednesday afternoon, June 7, by a score of 7 to 2, batting Westervelt in the first inning and scoring in the ninth on Nesbitt's error. Williams was unable to hit Paine effectively till the end of the game, when the usual ninth inning rally produced two scores. The score:

Williams,	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—2
Williston,	3 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 x—7

Batteries—For Williams, Westervelt and McCarty; for Williston, Paine and Raymond.

Sophomores Won Play-off

After the Williston game June 7th, 1907 and 1908 met in a well played six-inning game, rain stopping the contest with the score 1 to 1. The tie was played off Saturday, 1907 winning 8 to 7 after five errors had almost presented the game to 1908 in the first inning.

1907	0 2 0 4 1 1—8
1908	5 0 2 0 0 0—7

The class series stands as follows, with one game still unplayed between 1905 and 1907:

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1905	4	1	.800
1907	3	2	.600
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1908	2	4	.333

Last Vesper Service

Last Sunday at the last vesper service which will ever be held in the old chapel, President Hopkins referred to the forty six years' history of the chapel, and the memories that will always cluster around it. Among the famous men who had passed in and out there he mentioned Mark Hopkins, Albert Hopkins, Prof. Safford, Prof. Dodd, Prof. A. L. Perry and Prof. Bascom.

Last Morning Service

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Trinity Lost in Eleventh

In one of the most exciting games of the year Williams defeated Trinity in 11 innings on Weston Saturday, June 10, 6 to 5. Wadsworth was in the box for the Purple for the first full game since the southern trip, and pitched fine ball for seven innings. Westervelt was unable to keep Trinity from scoring in the tenth, but Williams tied in its half and won out in the eleventh on Warren's triple and Wadsworth's third hit. Morgan of Trinity knocked two doubles and a home run. The score:

Williams,	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	1—6
Trinity,	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1 0—5

Batteries—For Williams, Wadsworth, Westervelt and McCarty; for Trinity, Badgley, Bowman and Landefeld.

North Adams Won

Thursday afternoon, the North Adams gun club defeated the collegeorganization by the score of 113 to 91. The work of Pratt of North Adams was especially good, not a single miss being recorded against him. Individual scores follow:

North Adams.		Williams.	
Sidway	21	Fitch '06	23
Graves	21	Mr. Hoyt	15
Pratt	25	Pratt '05	15
Hodge	23	Waller '07	17
Spencer	23	Dr. Kellogg	21
	113		91

NOTES

Owing to illness, Rev. Robert Russell Booth, D. D., LL. D., '49, a trustee of the college, will be unable to conduct the Mission Park prayer meeting, held at 4:30 p. m. Sunday, June 18, as in previous years. Rev. Chas. A. Stoddard, D. D. '54, editor of the New York Observer, will conduct the meeting, assisted Dr. James L. Barton, Secretary of the American Board of Foreign Missions. No formal program has been arranged.

In the issue of The Outlook dated Saturday, June 24, will appear an article descriptive of the Thompson Memorial chapel, fully illustrated.

J. W. Voso 1903, for four years captain of the Williams basketball team, is in town on his wedding trip, and will remain during commencement.

Owing to illness, Eastman, who was elected ivy poet, will be unable to deliver the poem at the class day exercises Tuesday. Livingston will compose and read the poem in his place.

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BACCALAUREATE SERMON

Delivered By President Hopkins to Graduating Class of 1905

The Baccalaureate sermon was given by President Hopkins in the Congregational church Sunday forenoon. The senior class, headed by John Joseph McCarty and James William Wadsworth, the class marshals, formed at Jesup Hall and marched to the church, taking seats in the front of the house.

The invocation was given by Rev. Francis Treadway Clayton, of Williamstown. Rev. Chas. A. Stoddard '54, of New York city, read the Scripture. After singing "The Son of God goes Forth to War," the sermon was delivered by Dr. Hopkins. Charles L. Safford '92, played the organ.

The Record is the only paper that publishes the baccalaureate sermon in full. President Hopkins spoke as follows, taking his text from 2d Timothy, 4:7. "I have kept the faith."

There are two demands which are made upon the educated man of today, both of which he must meet if he is to be worthy of his age and of his training. One is for the utmost hospitality to new truth and the other for absolute fidelity to the truth already possessed. There is a popular impression that openness and positiveness of mind are incompatible, that the open-minded man is not a man of firm convictions, that the broad man is without well-defined principles, while on the other hand it is assumed that fixed opinions rigidly maintained must go with narrowness, and that strong adherence to standards prove a person illiberal. Tendencies in these directions are obvious illustrations and are numerous. Nevertheless there is in the nature of things, no basis for this opinion.

Concerning these two demands, your attention is called to two facts: first, these traits naturally and rightfully go together; and, second, all true progress must be realized in the combination of these two, of the openness which welcomes and seeks new truth, and the positiveness which stands immovably upon the truth established. Positiveness is legitimate only as the outgrowth of the widest search for truth. It is the man who has candidly weighed all the facts, whose conclusions are worthy to stand. It is he alone who has a right to stand by his conclusions or who will long be able to do so.

Every advance is made from the standpoint of ascertained fact. An unchanging and unchangeable law is the basis of all progress in reasoning, is the POU STO for every new achievement. What we call the uniformity of nature is the foundation of all scientific progress, the condition of every discovery. However shifting the phenomena, the law of the conservation of energy never changes. However different the bulk of bodies in space every schoolboy knows that it is forever true that the attraction of grav-

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EX-AMBASSADOR CHOATE ACCEPTS

Invitation to Attend Williams Commencement

In response to invitation, Joseph H. Choate, recently Ambassador to England, has telegraphed President Hopkins that he will come to Williams on Wednesday and will stay over Commencement.

Trustees in Session

The annual commencement meeting of the Board of Trustees of Williams college was held in the seminar room at Griffin Hall this forenoon. The following trustees were present: President Hopkins, Francis Lynde Stetson '67, of New York city: Hamilton Wright Mabie '67, of New York city; Eugene Delano '66, of New York city; Rev. Daniel Merriman '63, of Worcester; James R. Garfield '85, of Washington, D. C.; James R. Dunbar, of Brookline; Bentley W. Warren '85, of Boston; Rev. Harry P. Dewey '84, of Brooklyn; President Henry Lefavour '83, of Boston.

Owing to the unfinished state of the business transacted, the trustees would give out no information of what had been done at the morning session.

Concert This Evening

The glee club concert will be held this evening on the Library campus at 9:00 p. m. The glee club will meet on the Library porch at that hour. Besides this informal program, the club will follow the custom of former years in givingany college song or selection suggested by any of the alumni present.

Request From President

Rev. C. H. Burr, chairman of the committee on arrangements, has received word from William Loeb, jr, the President's secretary, that President Roosevelt wishes the local reception committee to meet him at the Williamstown station rather than in North Adams. This wish will be complied with.

1904 Reunion Banquet

A 1904 reunion banquet will be held at The Wilson house, North Adams, at 7:00 tonight. 1904 men are requested to see T. Jaeckel at the Chi Psi House for arrangements.

All members of the presidential escort meet at Jesup Hall on Wednesday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock to receive badges and final instructions.

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DR. GLADDEN'S ADDRESS

His Subject Religious Life in College and Outside

At the Congregational church last evening, Rev. Washington Gladden, D. D., LL. D., '59, of Columbus, O., delivered an address, one of the most inspiring and masterful heard at Williamstown in many years.

The exercises were opened by Rev. James L. Barton, of Boston, secretary of the American Board of Commissioners of Foreign Missions, who led in prayer. Dr. Hopkins then introduced Dr. Gladden, who spoke, in part, as follows:

Of religion on its devotional side there is less in college now than there was in my day. The daily noon prayer meetings were a feature of our life that could not now be reproduced. Yet I dare say the religious life of the men now on the ground is a reality. Most of the men now here are, I suppose, members of Christian churches. They are not hypocrites. They mean that religion shall be a real power in their lives. But how? What kind of work will be done by the divine energy when it enters into the lives of men upon this campus?

Its normal effect must be to complete the manhood of him who receives it. "I am come," said Jesus, "that ye may have life and that ye may have it abundantly." The fundamental trouble with most men is that they are fractional; whole ranges of faculty are undeveloped. When the life of God enters into the soul of man, it makes him a whole man, an all-round man in the true sense. The religious man here in college ought to be the man who lays hold on life in the largest way.

Religion ought also to simplify college life. There are tendencies to luxury and extravagance which it should strengthen men to resist. It may be said that luxury in college only reproduces the luxury of the world outside. But the life of the college ought to be a higher and finer life than that of the world outside. Instead of sinking to that level, we ought to lift up the standards of the life of reason and simplicity.

Religion in college ought to abolish the abuses connected with athletic sports—I am not here to bring any railing accusation against athletics; I believe in them, and enjoy them. But such testimony as that of President Eliot's last report cannot be gainsaid. It shows that there are elements in some of these sports that are exceedingly injurious to high character—which tend to develop brutality, dishonesty and unfairness—qualities that are the antitheses of chivalry and manliness and magnanimity. These tendencies must certainly be checked; civilization cannot tolerate them. And it seems to me that if religion were the active force in college, that it ought to be, they would soon be abated. For surely the man whose nature is open to the upper realms of right and truth, must be one in whom every semblance of brutality or trickery would be repulsive. I can hear him crying with the Psalmist:

"Blessed be God my rock
Which teacheth my hands to war
And my fingers to fight"

but I cannot imagine him resorting to vicious slugging or to foul play of any

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CALENDAR

MONDAY, JUNE 19.

7:30 P. M.—Prize Rhetorical exhibition, "Moonlights." Congregational church.

9:00 P. M.—Concert by the glee club, Library campus.

TUESDAY, JUNE 20

9:00 A. M.—Examinations for admission, Latin, 6 H. H.

10:00 A. M.—Meeting of the Society of Alumni in the chapel, Hon. William H. Swift '63, presiding. Reports of committees, election of alumni trustee, and miscellaneous business.

10:00 A.M., 6:00 P. M.—Trustees in session, Griffin Hall.

1:00 P.M.—Reunion, class of 1850, Manix House, Water street.

2:00 P. M.—Examinations for admission, Mathematics, 10 H. H.

2:00 P. M.—Class day exercises, commencing in Congregational church, thence to Hopkins Hall, Library campus, and Quadrangle.

3:00 P. M.—Reunion of class of 1855. 8 J. H.

4:30 P. M.—Reception of the president and trustees of Williams to the alumni and friends of the college, J. H.

6:00 P. M.—Business meeting and dinner, musical clubs, Bemis'.

7:00 P. M.—1904 Reunion banquet, Wilson house, North Adams.

CLASS HEADQUARTERS

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CLASS OF 1855, at Room 8, Jesup Hall.

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CLASS OF 1885, the Woodbridge house on the corner of Park and Main streets.

CLASS OF 1890, tent on east side of South street.

CLASS OF 1895, tent on east side of South street.

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CLASS OF 1902, McMahon's cottage, on corner of Main and South streets.

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Tickets of Admission

The problem of making a fair distribution of tickets for commencement events has this year been a difficult one for the committee to solve. The announcement that only the claims of the graduating class could be considered has caused great dissatisfaction among the undergaduates, yet the disposition of tickets seems, on the whole, to have been just to the student body. Sixty-four seniors receive one ticket more to the commencement exercises than in past years, and in addition all seniors will be admitted to the Dedication and given tickets to the Organ Recital. The increased demand for admission, from alumni and guests of the college, guarantees that there will be few vacant seats, yet in issuing the supplementary tickets, it is hoped that students will not be passed over.

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The Commencement Record

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Especial care has been taken this year by the editors in presenting to the alumni and undergraduates a book distinctive of Williams. The number contains cuts of the new chapel, exterior and interior views, a portrait of the late Frederick Ferris Thompson and other features. The price is fifty cents per copy. The support of the college is solicited in disposing of this edition.

THE GRAVES CONTEST

Decision Will Be Announced at Commencement

The annual prize speaking contest for the Graves prize was held in the Congregational church Saturday evening at 8:00 p. m. The six speakers were chosen competitively from the senior class on the basis of essays on twelve subjects assigned by the faculty, each one of the six receiving a $20 prize for his essay. An additional prize of $80 to the one of the six students who delivered his essay in the most effective manner will be announced at Commencement. Ralph Miller Ketcham, one of the successful competitors, did not deliver his oration. The program was as follows:

Music; Dogma and the Religious Life, Frederic Daniel Cheydleur; The Prisoner of the Vatican, Raymond Eugene Cook; Giordano Bruno, Clarence Elmore Wells; Music; Giordano Bruno, Roy Boardman Smith; Giordano Bruno, Max Forrester Eastman; Music.

Members of the faculty who were present acted as judges and will render their decision for the announcement at Commencement. Mr. Edward M. Lewis presided and music was furnished by D. M. Hills '06, college organist. The ushers, from the class of 1906, were William Hanford Curtiss, Morton Daniel Griswold, Erwin Briant Leland, John Adams Lowe, Joseph Earl Perry, Samuel Caverly Wooster, jr.

Dr. Gladden preached yesterday morning in the First Congregational church of North Adams, of which he was pastor from 1866 to 1871.

The Williams college musical association will hold a meeting and dinner at Bemis' this evening at six o'clock. Albert M. Miller '04, graduate treasurer, will receive the report of the present manager, and plans for next year will be discussed. All members are requested to be present.

Baccalaureate Sermon

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itation is directly as the mass and inversely as the square of the distance. The mighty planet in its orbit and the flattering rose leaf in its fall are in the grasp of the same unalterable control. No law of nature is ever broken. The man who steps over the precipice is broken; the law goes on. Chemical affinities can be absolutely depended upon. The constitution of what we call matter is an increasing puzzle. The atom may be resolved into electrons, the phenomena of radical activity may startle us, but nowhere is there any variation from uniformity, no uncertainty of operations, no contradiction of anything but our speculations; so that at least in the physical realm positiveness is a necessary condition of any hospitality to new truth that is worthy of the name, and hospitality to the new truth shows the way to ultimate certainty. But what is

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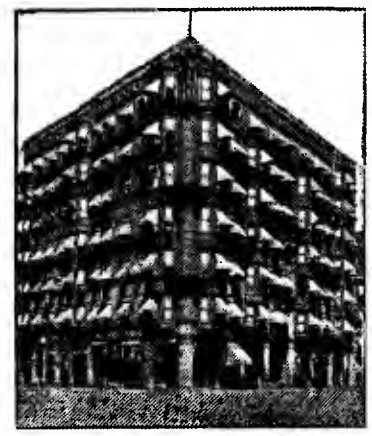
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true in the physical realm is universally true. All truth is one. The reign of law is universal. It is this combination of these two that is the condition of all progress. It is worth while to make this an emphatic affirmation.

With Lord Bacon, the Novum Organum, and the inductive method began the modern world of thought and discovery, a new era in the life of men and of nations. The intellects of men were drowsy, the forces of thought were expended upon trifles. In the language of Bacon: "All the systems of philosophy have been only so many plays, only creations of fiction amid imaginary worlds." Scientific observation and comparison had not been learned. The wisdom of sitting in a childlike spirit at the feet of nature had not been acquired. Of the Novum Organum it has been eloquently said "It awakens us like a knock at the door; it is the first bell that rings and gathers the whole field; it is from first to last an announcement; it is coming, the great manifestaion of nature. It is not yet come but it will soon be here. It is the awakening and unfolding of the fresh morning; it is the herald's call. There is a sensation of being just on the border of a great disclosure while as yet all at this moment sleeps; of a new reign, of a world just going to break forth into life. It is all the stir of something coming, all the sound of trumpets, all the preparations of an era, all the breaking of a day."

It dawned long enough ago in time to be old, this new era, but in the perennial freshness of its marvels and in the perpetual fruitfulness of its methods it is ever new. It is the era of hospitality to new truth. It is the era also of simple FIDELITY TO FACTS. Here we touch the centre of the inductive method and in three plain words tell the secret of our modern civilization. There is in our time as never before a putting aside of the "ideals of the human mind for the ideas of the divine mind," that is to say, in the words of Bacon again: "Certain idle fictions of the imagination for the real stamp and impression of created objects as they are found in nature."

It is the era of experimenting, of seeking for facts and of standing upon facts, of the investigation of nature. Facts are God's arguments and are mightier than the dialectics of the logician. Thoughtful people today are rightly intolerant of fine spun theories, whether it be in physics or metaphysics. The best minds of this generation pay the homage of their understanding to facts alone. A fact is a precious thing. It may seem sporadic, isolated, trivial, but it has its place in the cosmos: it is a marked stone that will fit into the construction of the great temple of truth that, without sound of axe or hammer is going up through the ages. There is no unimportant fact. The least thing may be the key to a mystery, the open sesame to a treasure house. Any observed uniformity may be as the rubbing of Alladin's lamp, a condition of wealth and wonders outshining the Arabian Nights. The mariner's compass, gunpowder, steam, electricity, came upon the stage as if by accident. The titans that are doing the world's work have been led in and set at their tasks by the little child. There is an element of chance, as we call it, incident to discovery. Bacon saw it and said: "It comes not by any gradual improvement and extension of the arts but merely by chance." Great discoveries flash upon the world as if by magic. Hold fast to what you know. It is the unexpected that happens. Do not be afraid of any fact anywhere; do not despise any fact anywhere; it is unscientific to do so, it is unprofitable to do so, it may be disingenuous to do so. May rather be careful to entertain strangers, for thereby some have entertained angels unawares.

Let us keep our windows open to the four quarters of heaven, for God's messengers come from East and West and North and South. A wind-wafted seed may tell of new continents or may bear the promise of new food or new fiber to needy peoples. Simple fidelity to facts is the regulating principle which will keep us in sympathy with the growing mind of the world, which will govern our pulse-beats so that they keep time with the deep rythm of human thought in this new time. Openness of mind and fidelity to facts,—these two belong together and by the blending of these two has all progress been secured.

A great illustration of our theme holds the gaze of the world today. The awakenings of the Japanese nation and their sudden magnificent achievements in the arts of peace and of war, in education and statesmanship, in commerce and navigation. Their illustration of liberty under law, of freedom and implicit obedience to authority—all this is more sublime than a sunrise. It is like the coming of the summer over broad lands. There has been no greater story in the annals of time. It began with free and full hospitality to new truth.

In 1872 Iwakura, chief ambassador from the empire of Japan, entered upon the floor of the House of Representatives in Washington and received the formal salutation of the assembled representatives of the American people; and this is what he said: "Governments are strong when built upon the hearts of enlightened peoples. We came for enlightenment and gladly find it here. Journeying eastward from the empire of the sun-rising we daily behold a new sun-rise beyond the one we before enjoyed. New knowldege rises daily before us, and when the completed trip shall have passed in review an encircled globe we shall gather together our treasures of knowledge, remembering that, however, we have advanced towards the sources of light, each onward move has revealed a fresh step beyond. The government of Japan already appreciates the value of an enlightened policy toward itself and all nations." Behold how eagerly they grasped what they learned and how tenaciously they held what they grasped—the best things in our ethics as well as our artillery, and they improved on both.

We have seen that these two things, rightfully demanded of the educated man of today, are not incompatible, that together they are the condition of power and of progress, as illustrated in the new era of the world since the birth of the inductive philosophy and in the recent history of the Japanese nation.

Neither, taken by itself, is a virtue; separate, they are the sources of weakness or of mischief.

There is still reason to guard against bigotry, against prejudice and narrowness, to encourage and insist upon the open mind. The unreasoning violence of theological controversy is not all gone; the unscrupulous violence of political partisanship remains: the bitter prejudice of section, of race, of party, even of family, are direful facts. To be free from prejudice would mean for some of us to be rid of a large part of our training. We rejoice, then, that the trend of the time is against all this, for we are surely being slowly compelled to openness of mind. The conquering spirit of the age is a spirit of candor. Let, then, this work of emancipation go on and the day of full tolerance and perfect charity be ushered in.

On the other hand it is plain that the danger of our time is not so much bigotry and intolerance as easy-going indifference to all truth and a consequent loss of the spirit of moral adventure. There is truth, they love to tell us, in all creeds, there are good men in all parties, there are two sides to every question. Let us then sit in the shade and watch the folly and strife and agony of the arena unconcerned. And so, we are rearing men indifferent, changeable, uncertain.

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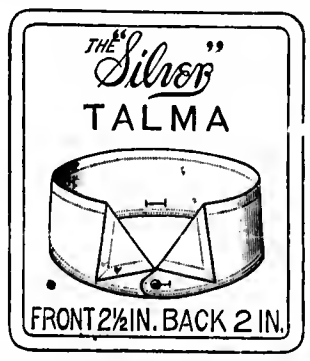
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mind; there is more hope of him. Better a bigot (bigots are needed in these times) in a professor's chair, all aflame with one good thought, one high purpose, than a broad-minded vagrant philosopher, wandering entertainingly and aimlessly along the border lines of all fields of thought, murmuring his speculations in mellifluous, unintelligible phrase, but arriving nowhere, and building no sound structure of truth on any living rock. This is he of whom the Scripture speaks: The blind leading the blind.

The man cut loose from well-established truth and adventuring into unknown seas is not the bold discoverer he imagines himself, but a drifting derelict, profitless and dangerous. It may be needful to throw away old charts of discontinued channels, but it is never safe to ignore the north star and the constellations. To pay good heed to what careful investigators have done, mapping coast lines and marking reefs, is always the part of wisdom.

Undoubtedly the temper of the times is to be more afraid of believing something that we ought not to believe than of not believing something that we ought to believe. Any man in whom this becomes a prevailing habit of mind is already a long way on the road to the province of Latitudinarianism, a province of this world, where none of the vast and increasing population have any creed, political or religious. There is the crowded capital city of Don't-Care, where Mr. Anything, the President of that land, has his residence. He and the host of his retainers fight first on one side and then on the other of any cause, according to inclination or interest, and never long on any side. Great armies of mercenaries from this province can be had for small pay whenever there is war in any other province. The non-military population belong to a peace society, whose members refuse to fight for anything under any circumstances. Enthusiasm is always bad form. They pay the highest honors to the man who is called, in the language of the country, "mugwump," and a large annual prize is offered for the best essay to prove that the martyrs were fools.

Men whose habit is that of study rather than action fall easy victims to the vice of indecision. This is the peculiar weakness of literary men. Coleridge had vast learning, but it was never organized by a commanding purpose. De Quincey and Poe, and many another genius, led worse than aimless lives. Renan is well described by a late critic as "a Parisian dilettante," "only an amused spectator of time and existence;" "this fine intellect losing its grasp on reality as it loses its moral earnestness." No wonder that it is sometimes said that culture is unfavorable to the great ennobling passions of humanity.

The great Apostle, whose words I read as our text, was a splendid example of the combination of which we are speaking. His was the open mind, and to him belonged inflexible fidelity. He went forward to greet the new, and yet he held fast to the old. He was able to say: "Now we know in part," and "I know in whom I have believed;" "not that I have already attained," and "I have kept the faith." He kept the faith of his fathers through hospitality to new truth. He thus found the old not destroyed, but liberated, enlarged, glorified, as types fulfilled, its prophecies come to pass, its dim, far-off hopes realized. Thus should it always be. Cutting loose from outgrown traditions and outworn forms he became all the more firm in his convictions of the living truth and fixed in his purpose to reach the higher truth. "This one thing I do, leaving the things that are behind, I press forward. This also should be true for us all. He kept the faith in spite of hardship and persecution. Witness his hunger and shipwreck, his imprisonment and scourging, and all the rest of the pathetic catalogue. He kept the faith against most violent opposition. "I have

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Prayer Meeting Commemorating Founding of Foreign Missions

The annual open-air prayer meeting to commemorate the founding of the foreign mission movement was held around the Haystack Monument in Mission Park at four o'clock Sunday afternoon. At this spot, ninety-nine years ago, occurred the famous haystack meeting which was the direct inspiration for the missionary movement.

The meeting was conducted by Rev. Charles A. Stoddard, D. D., '54. Rev. James E. C. Sawyer, D. D., pastor of the Williamstown Methodist church gave an opening prayer. Dr. James L. Barton of Boston, secretary of the American Board of Foreign Missions, spoke of the men who were in the haystack prayer meeting. A missionary of the Presbyterian board, Rev. Z. P. Metzler, stationed at Tung Chow, China, told of the work in China, and of the effect of the present war upon the inhabitants.

Rev. David S. Herrick '85, a missionary at Pasumalai college in Southern India told of the great progress of the work at the college, and the increase of Christian work in India. Rev. George T. Washburn '54, former president of Pasumalsi college, told of the work in India of Rev. David C. Scudder, of the class of '55, a Williams missionary who died at his post. Dr. Hopkins called attention to the window in the transept of the new chapel, which, although it does not reproduce the haystack, certainly is a missionary window, and commemorates the foreign mission movement which originated here. Rev. Harry P. Dewey, D. D., of Brooklyn, pronounced the benediction.

fought the good fight, I have kept the faith," and it was because he kept the faith that he could fight the good fight In all of this there is for us an illustration and an example.

For these of us, who, like the Apostle, are confessedly Christian men, there is a special appeal. The power of Christianity to uplift and save individual men has been proved a million times, and gets fresh confirmation every day. Fears are dispelled, disappointments are assuaged, temptations are overcome, hungerings are satisfied, aspirations are fulfilled, character is transformed, and death is conquered through Christian faith. Either this is a reality or there is no reality anywhere, and life and thought and love are all delusions. But the Christianity of to day is being put to new tests. Can it move with and control the mighty forces of this modern scientific, democratic age? Can it be God's instrument for righting the social institutions, the politics, commerce, art and education of the coming time in the interests of justice and love? Can it make a board of trade as truly a house of God as is a place of worship? In the social upheaval and transition that is upon us will it see its opportunity and fall in with and lead the forces of humanity as God goes marching on? Can it make the oppressed and burdened among men certain that their cause is the cause of Christianity? Can it translate the cross into a life of today?

Whatever our creed or calling, we are all vitally interested in these questions. We reply ye if it has "kept the faith," for then it will take to itself its primitive heroic temper, it will put on its great original passions. Thousands of earnest souls hear the call, while the great army still sleeps. Where are the leaders who will see the morning and seize it?

Christianity must front the twentieth century with the unwavering assertion of its eternal vitality, with the awakening purpose of a mighty forward movement to claim for Christ dominion not only over all the races, but over all the forces of the world.

Gentlemen of the graduating class:

Hospitality to new truth is one of the best characteristics of our time. It is a sign of a ripe individual and social culture and ought always to be a result of the higher education. If Williams College has taught you this, so that you go on your way to your tasks with an open mind, with a humble spirit, and a manly tolerance, because you have learned how partial is the knowledge you now have, and how incomplete the truth which you now possess, if you are hospitable to new truth, because you love all truth, then it is well. So should the man of liberal training always live and work. Then, free from narrow dogmatism and arrogant self-assertion you will know the truth, be loyal to the truth, defend the truth, and the truth held with immovable conviction shall make you free. But if your openness of mind has led to listless indifferentism, if your breadth has become careless and shallow contentment, then it is very ill. Emerson with keen satire draws in a few lines the pictures of such a one. "There is my fine young Oxford gentleman, who says there is nothing true, and no matter." But, alas, it does matter, for, lack of conviction must always mean lack of purpose, and from this comes the weak, and at last the diseased, will. Indifference paralyzes, or, by a strange, and yet natural, process, indifference passes into opposition. In Goethe's great poem, the tragedy of Faust, he personifies the spirit of evil, the tempting spirit, the adverquestioning and denial. In the guise of a sary, Satan, as the spirit of skeptical travelling scholar, Mephistopheles approaches Faust. In reply to his question as to who and what he is he answers: "I am the spirit that denies," and as he leads Faust, step by step, into dishonor and sin and crime and despair, this is his method: By insinuation or by bold affirmation there is evermore denial: denial

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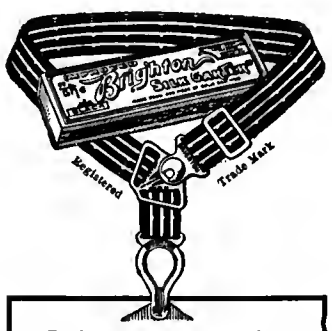

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of truth, of purity, of unselfishness, of God Himself, and of all goodness. There is profound insight in this representation. This spirit you at once recognize as the exact opposite of each of the qualities of which we have spoken. Shun Mephistopheles.

I exhort you, every one, therefore, to live with an open mind toward all truth, and always to hold with a deathless grasp the truth you have; hold it in the thick darkness and in the dazzling light, hold it in loneliness and against opposition, through loss, persecution and scorn, if need be; and hold it as the martyrs did, to the bitter end. Keep the faith.

If it is a feeble flame, therefore keep it. Keep it for its own sake. Truth is exceeding precious: all truth.

Keep it for the sake of results. Every forceful, helpful, victorious person whom you ever knew, or whose history is on record, had positive convictions. The explorers, the discoverers, the reformers, the saviours of their fellows, have been always affirmative men. Jesus was sure of God and of a future life. Paul was no agnostic—no leader ever has been or ever can be an agnostic. Every great upward movement among men has been led on by deep conviction and has had behind it the passionate heart-beat of believing men. Moral adventure expires in an atmosphere of negation. Von Moltke's motto in war is worth while for all life: "First weigh, then venture." Moreover, remember that great indignations, as well as tender compassions, must have a place in every manly soul.

Are you, after all, perplexed to know what it is to keep the faith? Thomas Carlyle, whose message moved mightily the generation before us, sums it up in this way: "Love not pleasure, love God. This is the EVERLASTING YEA wherein all contradiction is solved, wherein whoso walks and works, it is well with him."

Know, then, that it is always at least this, the stout assertion that there is an eternal distinction between right and wrong, always the firm conviction that there are worse evils in this world than pain or poverty or persecution, and higher blessings than pleasure and success and wealth. On "these deep, silent rock foundations" you can build securely. These truths realized in experience will lead on to further and higher truths, until, peradventure, you come to the faith. Plant your feet firmly on these broad assurances on which all great choices must depend: Act them out in life, and, like Robertson, Bushnell, Drummond, and a thousand more, you will realize the faith which Paul had, which was confidence in a person, an unshaken trust in an all-wise and all-loving friend who loved him and gave himself for him.

The student of science advances only as he has a fixed and solid point of departure. So it must be in moral struggle, and so it is.

With the exultation of high hope mingle at this hour the sadness of parting, and memories that are sorrowful. It is an uncommon thing for any class to lose a single member by death, but three of your number have fallen by the way: Harry Ford, Terence Quinn and Walter Budington. As you separate, you give to each a thought, a memory, it may be a tear, and pass on cheerfully to your tasks. So it ought to be. In the time to come, as, drawn by the spell of the hills, and called back by the memories of this beloved place, you from time to time return, the names of men dear today in comradeship will be missed from the roll, an increasing number. Nevertheless your work will be needed and your courage and faith will not fail. God grant that when the end at last comes, each of you may be able to say: "I have kept the faith." Meantime, my brothers, it is in our time, good to be alive, and to be young is glorious.

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Dr. Gladden's Address

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sort in any game. He would rather lose the game than win it by any meanness. If religion has any meaning or power in the life of a college, it ought to take hold right here, and make all such brutalities infamous.

Once more and more comprehensively a genuine religious life in college must have the effect to make men do their college work faithfully and well. That life is a vocation, that we are here to use, with all good fidelity, the days and the powers entrusted to us is the primary conviction of the soul that draws nigh to God. There are great tasks before the college man, battles to fight, forts to hold, burdens to bear; he will need all the equipment he can get. There is no reason why he should let the sense of the strenuous days to come quench the joy in his heart or blot the sun from his sky; the joy is there and the light is there, and it is good to take pleasure in them; but, after all, the sense of the seriousness of life should rule out dawdling and trifling, and hold him down to his day's work.

But religion in college, like all the rest of the college course, is concerned not chiefly with the present, but with the future. What should your religion do for you in the world outside?

One of the great perils to which you will be exposed is the destruction or the mutilation of your ideals. To the multitude they will have no form or comeliness; before you know it they will be battered down or flattened out so that you will hardly be able to recognize them. You cannot afford to suffer this loss. And I know no other way to avert it but by keeping your communications always open with the Father of spirit.

The other and the larger help which religion will give you is the assurance that in all good work you are working with God. Every kind of lawful work, every work in which any man has a right to engage is, in the final analysis, an extension of the divine activity.

But there is a larger question. It is important to know that we shall need our religion when we go out into the world, but it is more important to know that the world needs our religion. The worship of Mammon is the one stupendous social fact of this generation. Men do believe in him; their faith in him is sincere and unwavering; all things are possible, they think, to those who secure his favor. Even in the church and in the college there are sad signs that money is coming to be regarded as the supreme thing. "The one thing this institution needs is more money." How often have I heard this said by men at the head of great educational and philanthropic institutions! This tremendously exaggerated estimate of the value of money must affect our characters and our conduct; it leads to a lessening of our scruples respecting the means of getting it; it leads to a great undervaluation of the spiritual qualities and the moral convictions which must be sacrificed in obtaining it.

When the desire of gain becomes epidemic, such spectacles as those which have been visible in many of our cities; such a ghastly exhibit of infidelity to trusts as that which is now in sight in a great New York insurance company, such continental extortions as those which the government is trying to unearth, and such eruptions of "graft" and "boodle" as every newspaper chronicles, are simply natural and inevitable. They are symptoms of a constitutional malady. The whole head is sick and the whole heart is faint. And what is the remedy? It is not any local salve of statutory regulations or plaster of administrative reforms. It must go deeper. It is a time for some one to be crying from the housetops and in the market places, yea, even in the temple courts: "Ye cannot serve God and Mammon."

What the world needs today is men who believe in God; who are ready to trust him and obey him; who are not afraid to trust him in poverty and loneliness; who are sure that he can and will rule this world; that his is the only enduring dominion.

For this truth we need witnesses, and where shall we look for them if not here in this sanctuary of the faith, where the pillars of the earth bear up the heavens, and the skies stoop to kiss and crown the encroaching mountains? It has never been hard in this place for men to believe in God. They have listened here and heard the angels singing: "In his hand are all the corners of the earth and the strength of the hills is his also." In that confidence they have dared great things for him. It was a great venture of the few young men who believed in God with such an overmastering faith that they were ready there, under the faithful stars, to pledge themselves to the conquest of the heathen world for him. Less than that is asked of us today, but of their faith we may be inheritors and the idolatry of this new world shall have no more terrors for us than the paganism of the old world had for them.

Of this triumphant faith there has risen upon consecrated ground a glorious symbol. Beautiful for situation it stands amid this grandeur, answering in strength and beauty to the call of God from the steadfast hills and the bending skies. It is a declaration, strong and clear, of the faith in God for which this college stands. It bears witness to all who draw near that religion is the one supreme, commanding interest of life. God grant that the full meaning of this symbol may be impressed upon the mind of every man who passes by day under the shadow of its tower or who listens by night to the music of its chimes, so that more and more, from this hour onward, the life of God in the soul of man shall quicken to clean and manly living within the college and to true witnessing and heroic warfare in this present world.

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Botsford 1906 as Obediah Dawson was exceptionally good and made the hit of the performance. Day 1905 as Capt. Racket gave a good interpretation of his role and Combes 1907 made his "Mrs. Tolman" a wife whom her husband might indeed "be sorry for marrying."

AMHERST WON

Williams Defeated on Weston Field in Eleventh Inning

Williams lost the fourth game with Amherst on Weston Field Saturday afternoon by a score of 5 to 3, in a close, well-played eleven inning game. Williams lost in the seventh, when a misundertsanding allowed an easy fly to drop safely in left, and Shattuck to score the tying run. Westervelt's pitching was all that could be asked for, and his fielding was excellent.

The feature of the game was the marvelous work at the bat of Harry Watson, who distinguished his last appearance on Weston Field in a Williams uniform by knocking out two home runs and two singles out of five times up, scoring or batting in all the Purple's runs, thus making a fitting close to the four-years' football and baseball career of one of Williams' greatest athletes.

The summary:

WILLIAMS	AB	H	PO	A	E
McCarty, c	3	0	7	0	0
Bonham, 2b	5	1	3	3	1
Nesbitt, ss	5	0	1	3	0
Westervelt, p	5	1	2	7	0
Watson, 1b	5	4	15	0	0
Wadsworth, rf	5	0	0	1	0
Neild, 3b	4	0	1	5	0
Warren, cf	4	0	2	0	1
Osterhout, lf	4	0	1	0	1
Total	40	6	*32	19	3

AMHERST					
Wheeler, cf	6	1	2	0	0
Powell, lf	5	2	3	0	0
Storke, 3b	5	1	3	2	0
Beach, ss	5	2	1	0	1
McRea, p	5	1	0	7	0
Palmer, 1b	5	1	15	0	0
Kelliher, 2b	3	1	2	2	1
Shattuck, rf	5	2	3	0	0
Ellis, c	4	0	4	1	0
Total	43	11	33	12	2

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Runs—Westervelt, Watson 2, McRae, Wheeler, Beach, Kelliher, Shattuck. Three-base hit—Shattuck. Home runs—Watson 2. Stolen bases—McCarty 3, Bonham, Wadsworth, Powell, Beach. Struck out—By Westervelt 5; by McRae 4. Bases on balls—By Westervelt 1; by McRae 2. Hit by pitched ball—McCarty, Kelliher 2. Double play—Nesbitt, Bonham and Watson. Wild pitch—Westervelt. *Beach out hit by batted ball. Time of game—2hr., 35min. Umpire—Hassett.

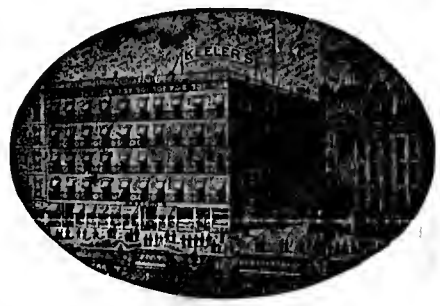
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Commencement Daily

CLASS DAY

Exercises of Senior Class Held This Afternoon

The class-day exercises of the class of 1905 were held this afternoon from 2:00 until 3:30 on different parts of the campus. The members of the senior class formed at Jesup Hall at 2:00 p. m. and headed by the class marshals, John Joseph McCarty, of Corning, N. Y., and James William Wadsworth, of Hammondsport, N. Y., marched to the Congregational church.



HARRY TOWLE WATSON
CLASS DAY PRESIDENT

The exercises began with the address of the class-day president, Harry Towle Watson. He spoke substantially as follows:

"The day has at last arrived to which we have been looking forward, bringing with it that hearty satisfaction which every man feels who rejoices in the fact that he has had the opportunity of sharing the liberal education which Williams affords. Before us lie many fields of endeavor. Let us persevere in our work, with honorable and unselfish motives. Let us pledge our steadfast and loyal support to Williams with the wish that she may thrive and flourish in the continuation of the customs and privileges which have made her honored and respected throughout the country."

After the conclusion of the speech by the class day president the class poem was read by William Smith Pettit, of Canajoharie, N. Y.

The class next marched to the southeast corner of Hopkins Hall, where the ivy exercises were held. With bared heads the class sang "The Mountains." It was originally planned that the ivy poem should be read by Herman Livingston, jr., of Catskill, N. Y. at the conclusion of the singing. This was changed, and the poem was read at the Library by Max Forrester Eastman.

The ivy had been planted by ivy orator Russell Stanley Gregory, of Salem, N. Y. The ivy is planted on the south (Main street) front of Hopkins Hall, about six feet from the corner of the building. The ivy exercises were concluded with the ivy oration, by Gregory, who spoke in part as follows:

"Memory is more to be trusted than we sometimes admit. She holds only that which has entered into the life of our life. Following a custom which nearly 50 years have made significant, we have planted the ivy. We have added one more spot on a campus already filled with delightful recollections, which memory will claim as her own. But this is something more than a memorial. Next Thursday we call Commencement. It is, then, peculiarly fitting, that we should find in this ivy not only a memorial of the past, but a symbol of the future, which will not only draw us back to our alma mater, but send us out to the work which she has prepared us to do."

Following the planting of the ivy, the class marched to the Library campus, massing about the Lawrence Hall porch. "Come Fill your Glasses Up" was sung by the class. The Library oration was given by Walter Albert Swan, of Geneseo, N. Y., who spoke in part as follows:

"We are gathered on this campus for perhaps the last time in our history as a class. It is a time when we may well ask what mean these four years of college life to us who are about to leave the familiar scenes. Has the experience here touched us vitally rather than superficially? Are we carrying away with us something of the spirit of our alma mater, something of our ideals?

"With graduation there comes a larger and truer meaning of what the college is to us. We have entered into new relations with her as our alma mater. In its loyal alumni a college finds its greatest source of strength. When we have gone forth as sons of Williams, let us give to our alma mater unending loyalty to her highest ideals and best traditions."

At the conclusion of the Library oration the pipe oration was given by Clifford Harry Fulton, of New York city.

"This is a most glorious occasion, when, after four years of laborious work, we rise to lettered fame.

"Before we go, we needs must have our last pipe dream. In the smoke curling upward we see many fit subjects for a nightmare. We see the Dean's office—visions of 'Pa' Chambers, hiring away our patrimony. 'Azh,' with his $5.00 rain coats marked down to $0.35, 'Hi' Walden, the college baggage smasher, made famous by Longfellow in his wonderful poem, 'Hiawalden;' of ourselves floating out on the world, and on the strength of a 6-inch padded 'Boland' shoulder, a $7.00 pair of 'Azh' shoes and a $10.00 degree, reaping in a harvest of stuff that talks.

"The smoke dims, the pipes go out. The office boy tells us to 'get busy.'"

The exercises on the Library campus were concluded with the

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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ALUMNI

Held in the Old Chapel This Morning

The annual meeting of the Alumni Association of Williams college, the oldest alumni society of any American college or university, was held in the college chapel this morning. Judge William H. Swift '63, of Chicago, president of the society, called the meeting to order at 10:13 o'clock. The opening prayer was offered by Rev. Harry P. Dewey '84, of Brooklyn, N. Y. The minutes of of the previous meeting on June 21, 1904, were read by the Secretary of the Association, Rev. Dr E. B. Parsons '59. The President then appointed the following committees:

To nominate officers for the society of alumni, for the year 1905-1906: Rev. John S. Davenport, D. D. '63, Geo. W. Anderson '86, George B. Kilbourne '96.

To nominate candidates for Alumni Trustee, to report at the alumni dinner Thursday: Frederic Beach Jennings '72, of New York city; William P. Fidley '89, of Chicago; Rev. Dr. Chas. A. Stoddard '54, of New York city, Bainbridge Colby '90, of New York city; Henry W. Banks, jr., '85, of New York city.

The reports of the treasurer and necrologist were made and accepted. The financial report from the trustees was passed over, and vote was passed that it be printed. Since Hon. Michael E. Driscoll '77, M. C., of Syracuse, who was to have presented the alumni visitors' report, was unable to be present, it was voted that his report be printed and sent to the alumni.

Upon recommendation of the nominating committee, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Charles T. Barney '70, New York.

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Alumni visitors for 1905-1908, Charles S. Holt '74, of Chicago, and Josiah M. Lasell '86, of Whitinsville, Mass.

CALENDAR

TUESDAY, JUNE 20

7:00 P. M.—Banquet of class of 1855, Richmond hotel, North Adams.
7:00 P. M.—Banquet of class of 1865, Mrs. Roebuck's house, 13 Hoxie St.
7:00 P. M.—Banquet of class of 1890, Wilson house, North Adams.
7:00 P. M.—Banquet of class of 1904, Wilson House, North Adams.
9:00 P. M.—Banquet of class of 1895, Greylock hotel.
9:00 P. M.—Senior Prom., Lasell Gymnasium.
9:30 P. M.—Banquet of class of 1885, Greylock Hotel.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21.

9:00 A. M.—Examinations for admission, chemistry, 6 H. H.
10:30 A. M.—Dedication of Thompson Memorial Chapel.
2:00 P. M.—Examinations for admission, biology and physics, 10 H. H.
2:00 P. M.—Dedication of Gargoyle Gate, Weston Field.
2:30 P. M.—Alumni vs. Williams baseball game, Weston Field.
4:30 P. M.—Organ recital by Mr. Gaston M. Dethier, of St. Francis Xavier church, New York city, Thompson Memorial Chapel.
6:30 P. M.—Arrival of President Roosevelt and party, Boston and Maine station.
7:00 P. M.—Banquet of class of 1880, North Adams.
7:00 P. M.—Banquet of class of 1885, Greylook hotel.
9:00 P. M.—Banquet of Class of 1902, Richmond Hotel.

The representatives of the classes were then called on in order.

Hon. Charles E. Fitch, L. H. D., of Albany, reported that of the surviving members of the class of '55, 14 were in Williamstown.

For the class of '65, Rev. Dr. Rufus W. Clark, of Detroit, Mich., reported that one-third of the class were present.

The only man present from the class of '75 was the Reverend B. Bullard, of East Orange, N. J.

For the class of '80, Prof. Alfred T. Perry, D. D., president of Marietta college, Marietta, O., secretary of the class, introduced Judge John M. Killits, of Bryan, O.

Prof. Harry Abram Garfield, of Princeton, N. J., spoke and said that two-thirds of the class of '85 were back.

In the class of '90, speeches were made by Rev. Carroll Perry, of Garrison-on-the-Hudson, formerly

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Class Day

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class oration, by Harry Lewis Everitt, of Troy, N. Y., who spoke substantially thus:

"Man's attitude, inspiration and prophetic feeling are greater forces than man's action. The most discouraging part of many college men's lives is their first ten years out of college. Men of education and culture wish to have their action openly effective, to be known to be doing rather than to do and not to be known. Many men, in this period, have not the concrete and immediate forces behind them to do a concrete and immediate good, as for example, to effect the adjustment of municipal reform, or labor questions, and hence become discouraged.

"A college man's greatest duty is, not to effect by action, but to be the motor force behind and among those powers that may effect history and time."

The class next marched to the Quadrangle, where, just in front of Jesup Hall, the address to the lower classes was given by Albert Priest Newell, of Ogdensburg, N. Y., who spoke partly as follows:

Ask almost any graduating senior, and he will tell you that, had he his four years again before him, he would lead them differently. To point out, in a spirit of encouragement, not censure, a better way, is the annual justification of this address.

Members of 1906: You still continue your freshman year cliques, and with this lack of class unity is another handicap, you are, more through indifference than inability, sadly deficient in leaders. Three qualities must surely be yours next year—enthusiasm, loyalty and initiative. Cast aside the fault-finding spirit which has been characteristic of 1906. Be not discouraged by failures but try the "strenuous life" for a change.

Members of the class of 1907: Thus far you have shown marked efficiency in practically all that you have undertaken. Guard this reputation carefully so that when your turn comes to be leaders among the students, you need have no fear.

Members of the class of 1908: Calm down the exuberance of your class spirit, don't flounder on the rock of class societies next year and in the success which harmony alone can win you'll reap your truest rewards. The message of the class of 1905, to those who esteem labor its own reward is this: You can do for Williams what you WILL to do, neither more nor less.

You know from your own experience that a man gets out of Williams only in proportion as he gives to Williams. To such of you as have already achieved greatly, there yet remains the culmination of all accomplishment—to become the man who is greater than the deed. Tomorrow there graduates with our class a man whose power ever since he turned his face Williamsward has unceasingly been directed towards the highest things. From the day he entered Williams his one thought has been for the college of his choice. This, his great ideal, has so thoroughly become a part of all that he has done that we speak not of his POSITION IN college, but his POSITION AT college. May you who have won the right to work for Williams, so embody your life in your efforts that your classmates may also say: "He is a greater man than all that he has ever done."

The class-day exercises of the class of 1905 were concluded by the class yell. "Wah-hoo-wah! Wah-hoo-wah! Pente-kenia-kaideka!"

The class-day committee consisted of Clarence James Goodwillie of Chicago, Ill., chairman, Frederick Allen Judson of Troy, N. Y., Harold Everett Nesbitt of Brookline, Mass., Nathan Jacob Stern of New York city and William Redfield Stocking, jr., of Williamstown.

ALUMNI GAME

At 2.30 p. m. To-morrow—Graduate Team not yet Chosen.

The annual Alumni-Williams baseball game will be played on Weston Field immediately after the dedication of the Gargoyle Gate at the Weston Field entrance.

The alumni line-up is by no means decided and will probably not be definitely settled until just before the game. As announced, the alumni battery will be the Williams "great battery," Lewis '96 and Draper '95. G. M. Alden '95, J. O. Eaton '95, second base, and E. E. Risley '00, one of the best first basemen Williams ever had, are in town and will probably play. C. E Street '96, short stop, and Russell 1900, center field, have written Mr. Lewis that they will be on hand for the game. Other alumni who may be here are G. W. Ashton '97, second base, C. B. Goodrich '97, first base, H. P. Drysdale '97, third base, and S. Lydecker '01, short stop, and it would take strong inducements to keep Asst. Prof. Lewis Perry '98, second base, out of a Williams uniform on Wednesday. These men will form the nucleus of the alumni team.

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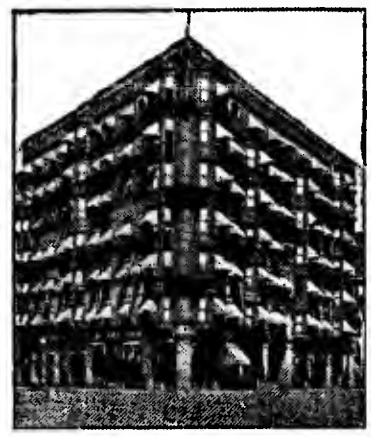
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Mr. Edward M. Lewis presided, and the music was furnished by Gioscia's orchestra.

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Ernest Belden Hart '07
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The Cry for Freedom,
Francis Barry Cantwell '06
Child Labor,
Gordon Hill Kellogg '06
The Duty of Educated Men,
Joseph Earl Perry '06
Music.
Alexander Hamilton,
Howard Abraham Scholle '06
Wendell Phillips,
Erwin Briant Leland '06
Music.

The ushers were, from 1906, Russell Valentine Hobson, from 1907, Lewis Isaac Birdsall, Kenneth Stackpole Domett, Charles Parmenter Moies, jr., Richard Stanley Tuthill, jr., Walter M. Sternberger.

GLEE CLUB CONCERT

Successful Effort of Glee Club on Library Campus.

Last night at 9:00 o'clock the Williams glee club gave its annual outdoor concert from the steps of the library. It is no flattering exaggeration to say that the concert was one of the best the college has ever heard. Hampered by lack of numbers, the absence of the tenor, and by the necessity of singing without musical accompaniment, the club gave a truly remarkable concert.

The volume of tone was excellent, the pitch well-maintained, and the time almost perfect, and the entire singing, especially of the tenors, reflected great credit on the leader and trainer who have worked so hard for success this year.

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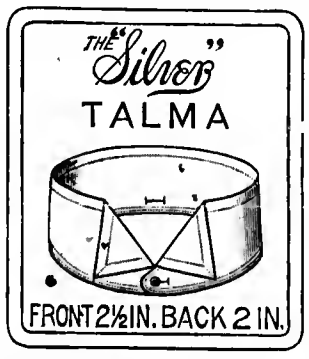
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Annual Meeting of Alumni

of Williamstown, and by James O. Nichols, of New York city.

Martin W. Berry, of Boston, represented the class of '95.

James B. Richardson, of New York city, said that 43 of the class of 1900 were back.

For the class of 1902, Rowland Haynes, of Worcester, said that the class boasted two class boys, and that 14 of the members were engaged.

Announcement was made that the committee to nominate alumni trustees met at the faculty room at 4 p. m.

Hon. Bentley Wirt Warren '85, of Boston, reported on the progress of the fund for the increase of professors' salaries. A fund of $27,600 has been collected, and 25 classes are at work. The names of all the classes who have contributed at least $2,500, will be placed on a tablet in the new dormitory. Seven classes have already raised that amount, '63, '66, '67, '74, '82, '85, '92. Of these the class of '67 has raised the largest amount, $3,200.

Daniel C. Brewer '86 moved that the alumni take under consideration a movement to secure a permanent Y. M. C. A. secretary. Mr. Brewer, Dr. Nelson '67, and Dr. A. F. Schauffler '67, were appointed a committee to report on this matter.

During the balloting for alumni trustee, Judge Swift spoke a few words of farewell. Secretary E. B. Parsons read the result of the ballot as follows: Total number of votes cast, 1017. Scattering 42; Danforth Geer '79, 103; Wilhelmus Mynderse '70, 108; F. B. Jennings '72, 110; C. S. Holt '74, 118; Hamilton Wright Mabie '67, 566. Mr. Mabie was announced re-elected alumni trustee for 1905-1910.

To Prof. Russell

At the conclusion of the class day exercises the senior class marched to Prof. Russell's house and Harry T. Watson, in behalf of the class, presented Prof. Russell with a loving cup.

Ex-Ambassador Joseph A. Choate will arrive in Williamstown tomorrow and will be the guest of Mr. A. L. Hopkins. He will be accompanied by Mr. Morris K. Jesup.

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CHAPEL DEDICATION

Will Take Place To-morrow at Half-past Ten.

The dedication of the Thompson Memorial Chapel will take place at 10:30 a.m tomorrow. All expecting to attend, who will not be the procession, must be seated by that hour.

At ten o'clock the procession will be formed. The senior class will start from Jesup Hall, meet the faculty at Hopkins Hall, and join the president and trustees of the college, with those who are to take part in the service, at Griffin Hall. Complete programs, with the responsive readings and hymns in full, will be furnished to all present. Among the hymns will be one written in 1835 by William Cullen Bryant, 1813.

President Hopkins will be the presiding minister, and the dedicatory sermon will be given by Rev. Charles Cuthbert Hall, D. D., LL. D., president of Union Theological Seminary, of New York city. Other prominent divines who will take part are the Right Reverend William Lawrence, Samuel M. Cruthers Rev. D. D., and Reverend Bishop Edward G. Andrews. D. D., LL. D. Hon. Francis Lynde Stetson '67 will make a brief statement on behalf of the building committee, and Clark Williams '92, of New York city, will present the chapel in behalf of the donor. In tomorrow's "Record" will appear a complete account of the dedication, including the invocation and formula of dedication in full.

A Window Pane

An inscription proving a window-pane to have existed whole for fifty-five years has been discovered on one of the windows in South college in room 13, now occupied by Southworth '07 and Hinman '07. The inscription reads "Charles Newman, April, 1850."

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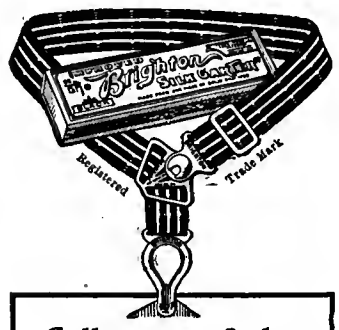
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Alumni Parade

Members of nearly every class between 1850 and 1904 are in town, the largest delegations being the members of 1904, 1900, 1895, 1890 and 1885. Yesterday afternoon was spent by the alumni parading about the town by classes, accompanied by brass bands. The class of 1890 was dignified by tall gray tiles and purple sashes; 1895 wore white canvas hats bearing their numerals, while 1900 were conspicuous in white trousers and blue coats, canes and white automobile hats. The class of 1902 was attired as sailors, with white blouses and trousers, white numeral hats, and carried canes. The leaders of '02's line carried oars, and the "gait" of the class was the "Sailor's Hornpipe."

The parade came down Main street past Hopkins Hall, where the classes in passing saluted Dr. Gladden, who was in the window of the faculty room. Swinging around across Main street past Morgan Hall, the parade broke up on the quadrangle in front of Jesup Hall.

Class of '44

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Chimes Will Ring

Mrs. F. F. Thompson will arrive here late this afternoon. The chapel will be in telegraphic communication with the station, and as the party rounds the corner of Cole avenue and Main street the chapel chimes, played by Donald McC. Hills 1906, will ring out.

At about twenty minutes before seven tomorrow evening as the presidential party, the reception committee and the student escort advance up Main street to the college, the chimes in the new chapel will be played by Mr. Chester Meneely of the Meneely Bell Co., of Troy, N. Y. As the President crosses the campus "America" will be sounded by the chimes.

The Class of '97

The concert was opened by the clubs with "Dying Echoes" and "Come Fill Your Glasses Up," and at the end the alumni present joined with the club in singing several old and new Williams songs. The concert closed with "The Mountains" sung with bared heads, and a long Williams cheer.

While the class of '97 is not holding a reunion this year, several members are already in town and it is planned to hold a class banquet Thursday evening at the Richmond hotel in North Adams. Many '97 men are residents of Massachusetts, and not a few of Berkshire county. The majority of them will come Thursday morning to attend the commencement exercises and alumni dinner. The banquet in North Adams will be held early in the evening, in order to allow the members of the class to return Thursday evening.

1904 Banquet

A special car will leave at 6:30 tonight for members of the class of 1904, who intend to be present at the dinner at the Wilson House in North Adams. All who have not already signified their intention of attending are requested to hand their names to T. Jaeckel.

Press Headquarters

During Commencement week the press headquarters will be in the west wing of the college library, and the press room at Jesup Hall. Members of the press committee will be at the press headquarters in both places to furnish information or other official assistance as may be desired, at the times stated below: Tuesday, June 20, and Wednesday, June 21. 10:30 a. m., 2 p. m., 7 p. m.

Catalogues and literature pertaining to Williamstown and the college, have been placed in the west wing of the college library for the use of correspondents.

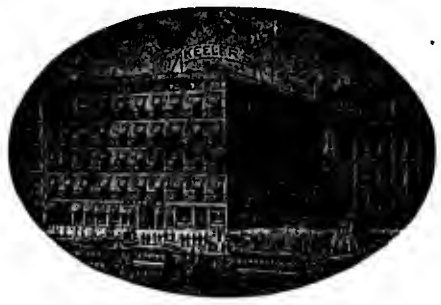
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DEDICATION OF MEMORIAL CHAPEL

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The Gift of Mrs. F. F. Thompson of New York City—The Service of Dedication in Full—President Hopkins Presiding Minister—Prayer by the Right Reverend William Lawrence, D. D.—Sermon by the Rev. Dr. C. C. Hall, President of Union Theological Seminary—Hon. Francis Lynde Stetson in Behalf of the Building Committee—Mr. Clark Williams for the Donor.

The dedicatory exercises of the Thompson Memorial Chapel were held this morning from 10:30 until 12:30. By placing extra seats in the side aisles and at the front of the chapel, it was possible to seat 800 people. The procession, consisting of the choir, the trustees, those who took part in the service, Dr. Hopkins, the graduating class and the faculty, formed at 10:20 o'clock.

The graduating class, attired in academic dress, marched from Jesup Hall to Hopkins Hall, where the members of the faculty, in the order of their appointment to rank, joined the procession. The procession then marched to Griffin Hall, where the president and trustees of Williams college joined the line.

From there the procession moved to the chapel, entering in this order: Chief Marshal Frederick C. Ferry, the college commencement choir, headed by Leland J. Moore, of New York city, tenor soloist, and J. O. Westervelt '06, bass soloist, the senior class, the faculty in the order of their appointment, in the robe of their degrees, the trustees, and those who took part in the service, including the president. Mrs. Frederick Ferris Thompson and her friends were seated in the church at the entrance of the procession.

As the procession started, the chimes in the chapel tower rang out the "Adeste Fideles." The procession entered the chapel and passed up the center aisle, repeating in alternation with the reader the one hundred twenty-second and twenty-fourth psalms. The basses took seats at the right side of the choir, the tenors at the left, the senior class directly in front of the pulpit and lectern, the faculty and trustees in the west wing of the transept. Upon the seating of the procession President Hopkins, as presiding minister, rose and said:

"Dearly beloved in the Lord: forasmuch as devout and holy men, as well under the Law as under the Gospel, moved either by the express command of God, or by the secret inspiration of the blessed Spirit, and acting agreeably to their own reason and sense of the natural decency of things, have erected houses for the public worship of God, and separated them from all unhallowed, worldly, and common uses, in order to fill men's minds with greater reverence for his glorious Majesty, and affect their hearts with more devotion and humility in his service; which pious works have been approved and graciously accepted by our heavenly Father: Let us not doubt but that he will also favorably approve our godly purpose of setting apart this place in solemn manner, for the performance of the several offices of religious worship, and let us faithfully and devoutly beg his blessing on this our undertaking."

The Right Reverend William Lawrence, D. D., bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Eastern Massachusetts, then offered prayer as follows, from the lectern:

"O eternal God, mighty in power, and of a majesty incomprehensible, whom the heaven of heavens cannot contain, much less the walls of temples made with hands; and who yet hast been graciously pleased to promise thy especial presence, wherever two or three of thy faithful servants shall assemble in thy Name, to offer up their praises and supplications unto Thee; Vouchsafe, O Lord,

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THE PRESIDENT ARRIVES TO-NIGHT

Will Remain in Williamstown 19 Hours

As the Guest of President Hopkins—How President Roosevelt Will Be Occupied From the Time of His Arrival, 6.30 p. m. Until the Hour of His Departure, 1.30 p. m., To-morrow—Will Speak Twice—In the Congregational Church at Commencement—To the People Assembled Before the Church at the Conclusion of the Exercises.

President Roosevelt and party, consisting of William Loeb, jr., secretary to the President, P. M. Rixey, surgeon-general of the United States navy, and official stenographers, will arrive in Williamstown by special train from the East about 6:30 p. m. this evening.

Upon his arrival at the station, the President will be met by the college, town and Berkshire committees, and by an escort of about 150 students, under the immediate orders of John Nicholson, high sheriff of Berkshire county.

Committees

The college will be represented by Rev. Chas. H. Burr, chairman of the committee on arrangements.

The town committee consists of N. H. Sabin, chairman, John B. Locke, chairman of the board of selectmen, Samuel Starkweather, Warren Montgomery, Daniel J. Neylaad and ex-representative Almon E. Hall. The committee will meet at the home of Mr. Sabin at 5:45, and will drive immediately to the station, where they will give the President greeting and welcome as he alights from the train.

The Berkshire committee will consist of U. S. Senator Winthrop Murray Crane, chairman; Hon. Albert C. Houghton, U. S. representative George P. Lawrence, ex-'80, Geo. Westinghouse, Esq., James M. Barker '60, W. B. Plunkett, and Walter F. Hawkins '84 of Pittsfield.

Student Escort

The student marshals will be Bixby, Griswold and Westervelt '06, and the members of the committee for Presidential escort, Asst. Prof. Hardy, Asst. Prof. Perry and J. A. DeCamp 1900 will be present. Some of the student escort will be mounted. Upon reaching the French church, the escort will board a car and meet the President again at the end of the car line, accompanying him to President Hopkins' residence.

A second student guard will be stationed at the president's house, while President Roosevelt is coming from the station, with police duties.

At Pres. Hopkins

As the President turns the corner of Cole avenue and Main street, the chimes in the tower of the Thompson Memorial Chapel will ring out national airs, pealing "America" as the President passes the Chapel

Immediately upon arrival at President Hopkins' residence President Roosevelt will spend a few moments in quiet. At about 7:30 a lunch will be served to the President. Ex-Ambassador Joseph H. Choate, Hon. Elihu Root, Ex-Secretary of War, and Hon. Morris K. Jesup, the donor of Jesup Hall, will take lunch with President Roosevelt.

Informal Reception

At about 9:15 p. m. the trustees and the older members of the faculty will meet at the president's house and will be received by President Roosevelt in a semi-informal reception.

President Roosevelt's program for Thursday morning is still undecided, and will not be definitely settled until after his arrival in Williamstown.

Plans for Morning

It is hoped that he will be able to take a carriage drive about Williamstown and the surrounding country, as he has never yet had a

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CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21.

4:30 P. M.—Organ recital by Mr. Gaston M. Dethier, of St. Francis Xavier church, New York city, Thompson Memorial Chapel.

6:30 P. M.—Arrival of President Roosevelt and party, Boston and Maine station.

7:00 P. M.—Banquet of class of 1880, North Adams.

7:00 P. M.—Banquet of class of 1885, Greylock hotel.

THURSDAY, JUNE 22.

9:30 A. M.—Annual business meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa society, Austin B. Bassett '81, presiding, J. H.

11:00 A. M.—Commencement exercises, Congregational church.

12:30 P. M.—Alumni dinner, Lasell Gymnasium.

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The President's Visit

Today and tomorrow the President of the United States will be the guest of Williams college. A man whose standards of scholarship coincide with the ideals which Williams has always been striving to attain, and a graduate of Harvard University, of which Williams is a sister educational institution in Massachusetts, President Roosevelt is visiting a college in which he may well have more than an ordinary interest.

In accordance with his own wish, the President's stay in Williamstown will be attended with as little formality as circumstances will allow. It is to be hoped that not the least pleasant feature of his visit will be the feeling that the college and Berkshire county are receiving him as a guest deserving the best they can give, and not solely as President of the United States. May he also carry away with him an impression of the beauty of these hills and the knowledge that surroundings such as these may have a part in making a college secure, strong and enduring.

Why Williams college confers a degree on Theodore Roosevelt will be told by President Hopkins at the commencement exercises tomorrow. Six years ago at the alumni dinner, the Rev. Dr. Washington Gladden read some verses which purported to be an interview with Colonel Ephraim Williams, who appeared to the writer (Dr. Gladden)on Commencement morning, 1899. It has been suggested that it would not be out of place to publish a few of the lines, to show that when praises were not so frequent to President Roosevelt as they are today, Williams was as ready to do him honor:

After describing his experiences in this valley, Colonel Williams comes to West College and makes some comparisons between old times and new:

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"Were the former days better than these, do you say?
Nay, let us not fall into that pit today;
God is still in His world, let us never forget:
His truth and His goodness have not failed us yet.

"He is working today in the hearts of the youth,
He is calling to manhood and honor and truth.
In the ages heroic was ever an hour
When chivalry burst into lovelier flower?

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"Who rallies the men of the great Empire State,
And leads them to victory, swift and elate?
It is one of these youths, gentle-reared, college bred,
Steady-nerved, iron-willed, true at heart, sound in head,—

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"'Teddy Roosevelt, they call him: in war and in peace,
A hero! God grant that his tribe may increase!'
Down on the steel hilt fell the soldier's quick hand,
And he turned on his heel, as at word of command.

"I rubbed my eyes gently: his form was not there;
But I heard his firm footstep descending the stair:
So I rose while the grasses were wet with the dew,
And wrote down his story to tell it to you."

DEDICATION

Hon. Francis Lynde Stetson's statement on behalf of the building committee, at the dedication of the Thompson Memorial Chapel was as follows:

When the gift of this glorious temple for the worship of the God of Israel and His Son was offered to the college in memory of Frederick Ferris Thompson by the gracious lady who bears his name and inherits the virtues of her distinguished father, the amplitude of her bounty left to the Trustees of the College no duty other than the provision of a site, and no problem other than the determination of where that site should be.

After many suggestions our views converged upon this hill, consecrated by many traditions which are revived and made beautiful by this series of splendid windows illuminating the roll of our most illustrious dead.

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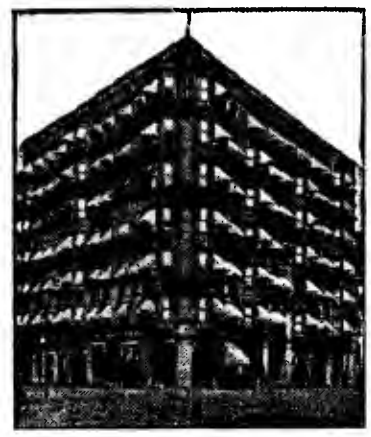
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To the edifice itself there has been added by the munificence of Mrs. Thompson, this wonderful organ to help to heaven the praises and aspirations of those who worship here in spirit and in truth, and also the melodious chime which for untold years is destined to ring the thought of God into the soul of this community and into the memories of myriads of graduates.

To these successive generations of noble youth, no gift could be of higher and more lasting value than this temple which, according to the lofty purpose of the donor, is devoted to making manifest God's love for man, and man's love for his fellow man. The gift not only is holy in itself, but will sanctify all gifts that may be laid upon this altar and during the continuance of its massive beauty, it will elicit the grateful and devout acknowledgements of the regenerated sons of Williams College.

To receive, to guard, and to maintain the fabric of this gift, exceptional in its munificence, and devoted exclusively to sacred use, is and will be the pious duty and privilege of those charged with the care of Williams College.

SENIOR PROM.

Brilliant Social Event in Lasell Gymnasium

Unusually well attended, the Senior Promenade, held last evening in Lasell Gymnasium, proved the most successful social function of the season. The attendance was swelled by the large number of alumni present and the floor was well filled during each of the forty-four numbers of the dance program.

The gymnasium was beautifully draped with green and white hangings, and palms and potted plants added to the beauty of the decorations. At the east end of the dancing floor, the numerals "1905" shone forth, executed in electric lights and the building was, as usual, wired for the occasion. Gioscia's orchestra, of Albany, furnished the music for the dancing, and late in the evening, refreshments were served by Lucas of Troy. Murray, of Springfield, was in charge of the decorating.

The committee in charge of the affair consisted of Clarence James Goodwillie, chairman, George Charles Appell, Edward Gould Chace, Clifford Harry Fulton, Lindsey Stillwell Hadley, Frederick Allen Judson, Eugene Hooker Leaning, Charles Arthur Marvin, Philip Northrop Miller, Harold Everett Nesbitt, William Allan Newell, Louis Harold Northrop, John Shepard Shedden, Nathan Jacob Stern and William Redfield Stocking, jr.

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Alumni Athletic Council Meet

At the annual meeting of the alumni athletic association, held immediately at the close of the alumni meeting yesterday, J. A. Hatch '03 was elected to the board. The officers for next year were elected, as follows:

President, Henry W. Banks, jr. '85; vice-president, F. E. Draper, jr. '95; secretary and treasurer, Carroll Lewis Maxey '87.

Owing to the rain, the dedication of the Gargoyle gate, to have been held this afternoon at 2 p. m., has been postponed until tomorrow afternoon, immediately at the close of the alumni dinner.

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President Arrives To-night

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chance to view the beauty of this portion of the Berkshires at close range.

Since the President will bring a force of stenographers with him, however, it is probable, in the light of his recent offer to serve as mediator in the Russo-Japanese war, that pressure of official work will oblige him to devote the morning to business.

Order of Procession

At 10:30 o'clock the Commencement procession will form. President Hopkins with President Roosevelt and the other candidates for degrees will meet the procession in front of President Hopkins' residence, President Roosevelt and President Hopkins marching at the head of the procession, just behind Dr. Ferry, head marshal, and just in front of the graduating class. President Hopkins will escort President Roosevelt to the platform.

Conferring the Degree

Professor Rice will present the candidates for honorary degrees, in the proper order, but violating academic custom in presenting the President last. President Hopkins will then confer the honorary degree upon him in a short speech, following which the President will speak extemporaneously to the audience in the church.

Will Speak Outdoors

At the close of the Commencement exercises, the front doors of the church will be locked and the audience dismissed by the side doors. The audience in the church will thus be obliged to circle around outside the crowd in front of the church, and thus those who were not able to hear the President in the church will have the best opportunity of hearing him outside.

After the audience has passed out the President will walk down the center aisle of the church, and out the middle doors to a platform built for the occasion on the church steps. From this platform the President will deliver a short address to the people.

Departure

After the delivery of his address, the President will leave the church by the side doors and be driven to the president's residence, where a light lunch will probably be served.

The President, escorted by the student guard, will then drive to the station, leaving Williamstown by special train for Oyster Bay at 1:30.

Annual Reception

The annual reception of the president and trustees of Williams college to the alumni and friends of the college was held in Jesup Hall yesterday afternoon, from half past four until six o'clock.

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Chapel Dedication

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to be present with us, who are here gathered together with all humility and readiness of heart, to consecrate this place to the honour of thy great Name; separating it henceforth from all unhallowed, ordinary, and common uses; and dedicating it to thy service, for reading thy holy Word, for celebrating thy holy Sacraments, for offering to thy glorious Majesty the sacrifices of prayer and thanksgiving, for blessing thy people in thy Name, and for the performance of all other holy offices: Accept, O Lord, this service at our hands, and bless it with such success as may tend most to thy glory, and the furtherance of our happiness both temporal and spiritual; through Jesus Christ our blessed Lord and Saviour. Amen."

Hon. Francis Lynde Stetson '67, in behalf of the building committee, gave a brief statement, followed by the bestowal of the gift in behalf of the donor by Mr. Clark Williams '92.

Mr. Stetson's statement is printed in full on pages 2 and 3.

Mr. Williams spoke as follows:

"President and members of the Board of Trustees of Williams college. It is with profound satisfaction that I transfer to your keeping this chapel, erected in memory of Frederick Ferris Thompson for the use of the faculty and students of Williams college for all time, and dedicated to the glory of God."

Following Mr. Williams' speech, President Hopkins read from the lectern a minute passed in the trustees' meeting yesterday, a part of which follows:

"We, the president and trustees of Williams College, on behalf of the college and its faculty, students, and alumni, express our profound sense of indebtedness to Mrs. Mary Clark Thompson, who has caused this sacred temple to be erected. In accepting this generous gift as a glorious and solemn trust, we engage our faith to employ it to its holy uses, and, humbly acknowledging the glory of God, we unite with the donor in receiving this gift as a temple of thanksgiving and praise to Him."

The anthem "Te Deum Laudamus" was sung by the choir, and the old testament lesson, I Kings 8, v. 22-24; 26-30; 38-40; 54-62; read by the Reverend Samuel M. Cruthers, D. D., pastor of a Unitarian church in Cambridge, Mass. After the singing of "Old Hundred" the new testament lesson, Revelations XXI, 1-4; 11-27, was read by Hon. James M. Taylor, D. D., President of Vassar college. After the singing of an anthem, Psalm 121, the dedicatory sermon was delivered by Rev. Charles Cuthbert Hall, D. D., '72, president of Union Theological Seminary, New York city. Dr. Hall's sermon will be found on pages 5, 6 and 7.

At the conclusion of Rev. Dr. Hall's sermon, a hymn was sung by all present, written by William Cullen Bryant in 1835. The first verse is as follows:

"O Thou, whose own vast temple stands,
Built over earth and sea,
Accept the walls that human hands
Have raised to worship Thee."

At the conclusion of the hymn, the congregation rose, and the actual dedication took place, with President Hopkins leading, audience and leader alternating in the words of dedication. The words "We dedicate this house" were repeated in unison wherever they occurred.

(IN UNISON.)

To the glory of God our Father, God over all, blessed forever;

To the honor of Jesus Christ, Lord and Savior, Son of the living God, revealing the Father;

To the praise of the Holy Spirit, Source of life and light, taking of the things of Christ and showing them unto us,

We dedicate this house.

(PRESIDENT HOPKINS.)

For worship in prayer and song; for the ministry of the Word, for the celebration of the Holy Sacraments, and for the free gift of life and salvation to all men,

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For instruction in righteousness, for the sanctification of learning, and for the guidance of youth,

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For the promotion of brotherhood and for the bringing in of the Kingdom of God,

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(PRESIDENT HOPKINS.)

Calling to mind the holy and mighty presence of God in other days,

Holding in sacred honor those servants of God who in the past have here taught and ministered,

Remembering with thanksgiving the generations who from this place have gone forth into church and state to help the Republic and to bless the world; mindful also of those who have given their lives on mission fields; with fervent hope and prayer for a future which shall abundantly fulfil the promise of the past,

We dedicate this house.

(PRESIDENT HOPKINS.)

Arise, O Lord! unto thy rest, thou and the ark of thy strength, let thy ministers be clothed with salvation, and let thy people shout for joy. We praise and magnify thee, Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty, heaven and earth are full of the majesty of thy glory.

(IN UNISON.)

Blessed be thy name, O Lord, that it hath pleased thee to put it into the hearts of thy servants to appropriate and devote this house to thy honor and worship; and grant that all who shall enjoy the benefit of this pious work may show forth their thankfulness, by making a right use thereof, to the glory of thy blessed name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

At the conclusion of the words of dedication the prayer of consecration was offered by Rev. Alexander McKenzie, D. D., pastor of a Congregational church in Cambridge. The choir then sang an Amen, and with the congregation, the familiar hymn "For all the saints who from their labors rest."

The prayer and benediction was offered by Reverend Bishop Edward G. Andrews, D. D., L L. D., of New York City, a Methodist bishop.

"Blessed be thy name, O Lord God, for that it hath pleased thee to have thy habitation among the sons of men, and to dwell in the midst of the assembly of saints upon the earth; grant, we beseech thee, that in this place now set apart to thy service, thy holy name may be worshipped in truth and purity through all generations through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

"The peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all."

The dedicatory exercises were concluded by the singing of an Amen by the choir.

After the close of the service several selections were played on the chimes for about twenty miuntes.

DEDICATION

The sermon of dedication at the Thompson Memorial chapel, delivered by the Rev. Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall, is given below in full:

Prophesy of Isaiah II: 2-4.

"And it shall come to pass in the better days, that the mountain of the Lord's house shall be established at the head of the mountains, and shall be exalted above the hills, and all nations shall flow unto it. And many peoples shall go and say, Come ye, and let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob; and He will teach us His ways, and we will walk in His paths; for out of Zion shall go forth instruction, and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem. And He shall judge among the nations, and shall decide concerning many peoples; and they shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruning hooks, nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more."

I take for my theme, in this historic and prophetic hour: "The future Influence of Religion upon the Peace of the World. "It shall come to pass in the latter days." The erection of a house of worship is important under any circumstances. A Hindu temple on the Malabar Hill at Bombay, or a mosque at Aden, a Shinto shrine among the cryptomarias at Nikko, a garrison chapel at Gibraltar, a college church at the faith.

head of the mountains— all are important, and in a sense, all are alike; for each, in its own way and after its own tradition, is a witness to the universal instinct of religion in the human breast. God hath made of one blood all the nations of men, if haply they might feel after Him and find Him. The Greek poet spoke for all when he said: "For we also are His offspring." The erection of a Christian church is an incident more hopeful than the building of a mosque or temple, because it represents the most cosmopolitan interpretation of religion, and the message of greatest interest to the world. Mosque and temple have their message, the religious intensity of the past. A Christian church prophesies of the future, "On earth peace, good wil toward men." Wherever it rises, like St. Paul's in the throbbing heart of London, or in white simplicity 'mid the meadow elms of a New English hamlet, or far in the canon at the mining camp, or beneath the areca palms of the mission field, its message is the same—a larger hope for all the sons of men through the larger mercy of the Son of God.

The erection of a Chistian church within the precincts of a college is the best of all. The dedication of the building is the dedication of the college to all that the building stands for. The house is the symbol of ideals. The act of dedication is the self- committment of the college to those ideals. The perpetual ambition of the college must be to measure up to the ideals expressed by the building that rises in their midst. Expediency, routine, narrowing influences of environment are ever pressing to small utilities that shall hide the broad ideals. The chapel of a college may be made a mere item of discipline, a place for the daily rally of students, a house of weary requirement, a breeding ground of irreverence and irreligion. Or it may be made, by the co-operation of intellectual breadth with the noblesse of youth, a seat of religious authority, a mountain of vision. To make it this, it must be regarded as a Christian church, planted in the home of liberal arts to organize intellect, culture and manliness in the service of religion. The college itself is a product of the religion of which this building is a symbol. Our effort today must, therefore, be to find out what, in the largest sense, this building stands for.

Turn we then to the vision of him who, with eyes purged of dimness and with mind disburdened of prejudice, saw, before his time, the purpose of Jehovah. Statesman and poet, evangelist and prophet, the message of Isaiah, son of Amos, is only now beginning to be understood. A prophet of Judah and Jerusalem, he spoke to his age and nation in the time appointed. But he was also a prophet of the world, an evangelist of the kingdom of God.

He outlined the spread and swell of forces that in the fullness of time shall re-organize human society. He predicted the outcome of movements that have required two thousand years of incubation. His mind projected itself into our time and the time beyond us, and announced conditions which experience is beginning to verify. The mediaeval conceptions of the church; the inchoate state of knowledge, the mutual isolation of nations, the absence of any comprehensive theory of world politics, hid from the generations before us, the larger meanings of Isaiah. He was interpreted by local standards, and viewed with shortened vision. But in our own time, many things have changed. Nations have intimate acquaintance with one another, the science of world politics is building up new conceptions of federated interests, and opening new possibilities of rational adjustment. The time has come, when, in circles of thoughtfulness and in seats of culture, the major prophecies of Isaiah are filled with contemporary suggestions and sound like bells from some august tower of vision, to gladden those who, through the world's long night, have waited for the morning. Today, as we dedicate this holy house, the voice of the statesman prophet speaks from the tower of vision. "And is shall come to pass in the latter days that the mountain of the Lord's house shall be establishedat the head of the mountains and shall be exalted above the hills, and all nations shall flow into it." It is the vision of the exaltation of religions above all social expedients, all coercive measures of force, all gospels of secularism.

"And many peoples shall go and say, come ye, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob, and He will teach us his ways, and we will walk in His paths; for out of Zion shall go forth instruction, and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem." It is the vision of the awaking of the religious sense throughout the world, the reaction from mediaevalism and from derisive churchmanship and from idolatry, the insistent cry of the spiritual nature, the hungering and thirsting after God.

"And He shall judge among the nations and shall decide concerning many peoples; and they shall beat their swords into plow-shares and their spears into pruning-hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation; neither shall they learn war any more." It is the vision of the readjustment of world politics through the power of religion; bringing men face to face with one another in the presence of their common Father; shedding abroad the conception of the love which is in the heart of the Infinite; the helpful, unifying love, that, as it comes known, silently takes the breech-blocks from guns, unyokes the engines of war, and regulates by a new law of mutuality, the just ambitions within the brotherhood of nations.

As the voice of the statesman prophet speaks from his tower of vision, today proclaiming the Future Influence of Religion upon the Peace of the World, the mind is harrassed by a disquieting thought. One cannot forget the deeds that have been done in the name of religion. Many of the most cruel struggles and persistent disorders of the world emerged from religion, and have continued in its behalf. The sword of Mohammedanism, in God's name, was plunged to the hilt in the flesh of India, and flayed the provinces of Asia Minor and southeastern Europe. The Inquisition of the Holy Roman tribunal elevated torture into an art, consecrated it as a means of grace; the Protestant churchmen of England outdid the Roman inquisitors in bloody effort for the extinction of independency. Storm clouds of controversy, bolts of wrath, poisoned wells of bitterness, mark the course of religion through the Christian centuries. Saul of Tarsus interpreting the service of God in the terms of intolerance, was the forerunner of a succession continuing to this present. Interminable feuds of sectarian zealots, the unbridged chasm between churchmanship and dissent bear witness to religion as a disturber of peace. Although the heart resents these things, the mind must not refuse to look calmly upon them. There is a sense in which this had to be. Even Christ, the Prince of Peace said: "I come not to send Peace, but a sword, for I am come to set a man at variance against his father, and the daughter against her mother; and a man's foes shall be they of his own household." The law of evolution is everywhere a law of suffering, and where the ethical nature is most deeply involved, the suffering is most grievous. The delivery of truth from the bonds of ignorance, the vindication of the fundamental rights of mental and moral liberty, the tragic blend of corruption with righteousness in the heart of man, create situations through which the ongoings of immortal love are like the thrusts of swords and the upheavals of war. There is a sense in which religion must be a disturber of peace. But, no doubt, much evil has been wrought in the name of religion, through man's narrow interpretation of its nature and scope. Rivalry and antagonism long animated the champions of opposite aspects of the same belief. Questions of authority and jurisdiction long towered in the foreground. Lack of knowledge linked itself with excess of zeal. Intolerance, disparaging comment, haughty indifference, rash condemnation, were the common weapons of religious partisanship. Western civilization entrenched in its own traditions, was content to dispise the East and, without discrimination to denounce the falsity of its religious ideas. Many, repulsed by the discordant note in religion, turned to philosophy or to socialism, to find there a better gospel for the world. Much of this is already changed. Nothing is so wonderful in the present time as the movement of western thought toward a broader interpretation of religion. Not only are persecution and bloodshed in the name of religion, reckoned everywhere within the zone of civilization, acts of barbarity, not only are the hostilities of sectarianism discountenanced, and the movements of federation advocated. A new conception is being gained of the nature of religion. It is seen to be in essence something more fundamental in human life than any one of its historical and formal types of belief, even an original attribute of man as the offspring of God, an attribute common to the race, a base of experience upon which all stand together, whether they are Jews or Greeks, barbarians, Scythians, bond or free—experience of common need, common lodging, common thirsting after the Infinite.

It is too soon to estimate the theological and ecclesiastical effects of the enlarged conception of the nature of religion. We are too near to the thought itself to judge of all its possible conclusions. We are aware that it must revise some theological opinions of long standing and do away with certain stumbling blocks to faith that have discouraged many and sent them into agnosticism. We are certain that it must broaden our sense of the divine plan and of the field of God's gracious operations on earth. We are sure that it must add to the glory of Christ and enthrone Him as the head of a larger and more diverse church than a narrower traditional ecclesiasticism would be disposed to tolerate. But all of these great matters of opinion are yet in process of reconstruction. Time and the illuminating spirit of God shall make them clear. Meanwhile there is one thing that is clear. Amid perplexing theological and ecclesiastical problems there is a sustained and steady conviction, which, if I may use the noble phrase of our poet-alumnus,

"Sends its shining ray
Far down the future's broadening way."

It is a conviction of the future influence of religion upon the peace of the world. The conviction rests on no pious illusion, still less on any partisan interpretation. It rests on the facts of observation and experience. We feel, in the atmosphere of our own time, new forces gathering on the side of religion, forces less formal and more vital, themselves the outcome of that larger interpretation of religion which is the divine solution of the period of critical controversy through which we have passed. The last sixty years have been a momentous chapter in the religious history of the English speaking peoples. Coleridge and Wordsworth were the ardent souls that stood in the gateway of the 19th century, prophesying that men should not forever be satisfied with formal and external criteria of truth, but advance into deeper intimacy with God, and practical assimilation of his spirit. Arnold and Whately, Milman and Hampden, following their brilliant master, Coplestone, and touched by the influence of Schleiermacher, were the apostles of reality in the study and use of the Scripture. In the large conception of the value of experience as a factor in belief, in the consecration of intellectual liberty to the service of religion, Newman, not less noble than they, but of another spirit, dreaded and disavowed that intellectual liberty, believing that it was inimical to religion. Religion, in Newman's view, must be protected by authority. With absolute consistency, he bowed his neck to that yoke and offered up reason on the altar of obedience. These men, in their aspirations and in their convictions, were prophets of the critical and anti-critical discussion of our time. We have had men animated by the Coleridgian spirit of liberty, and the Coleridgian estimate of experience as a guide to truth, and we have had men, as pure and as sincere, in whom Newman's conservatism and Newman's zeal for authority were born again. In the later critical discussion, as in the Oxford liberal movement, with its counter reformation, good men have trembled for the faith and prophesied the decline of religion. Meanwhile the spirit of God, viewless and powerful as the wind that bloweth where it listeth, has been working behind and beneath the superficial elements of controversy, the solution of a larger problem. The critical isues remain open, but like an Alpine range, showing clear against the upper sky, while the storm clouds dissolve beneath, there emerges into the higher field of modern thought a new conviction of the unalterable supremacy of religion above the changeful currents of theological debate. It may be said that this new conviction of the supremacy of religion, while widely diffused, has hardly yet been formulated. Many are negatively conscious that the last half-century of critical controversy has not confirmed the pessimistic fears of those who condemned the scientific method in theology as indicated with an assault on faith. Many more are positively aware that the decisive realism of modern thinking has brought religion into the field of common life and enhanced the actuality of God. But few have yet attempted to think through to the conclusion this modern movement toward religion, or to estimate what its consequences must be as the movement gathers volume and impulse and certainty. Fewer still have stopped to reflect that many signs at home and abroad today suggest the approaching fulfillment of those most glorious predictions made long before the birth of Christ, by him who has well been called the Evangelist of the Prophets; the exaltation of religion; the awakening of the religious sense throughout the world; the readjustment of world politics through the power of religion. "It shall come to pass in the latter day that the mountain of the Lord's house shall be established at the head of the mountains and shall be exalted above the hills, and all nations shall flow unto it. And many people shall god and say, come ye, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob; and He will teach us His ways, and we will walk in His paths, for out of Zion shall go forth instruction, and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem. And He shall judge among the nations and shall decide concerning many peoples, and they shall beat their swords into plow shares, and their spears into pruning-hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more." One of the most desirable and one of the most unusual occurrences is the correct and adequate interpretation by men of their own contemporary history. Great events, great opportunities, great and controlling tendencies, seldom are gauged at their full significance until they have passed into perspective. The multitude and rapidity of unrelated incidents engrosses the age and hinders the philosophic action of the mind. Men are too busy noticing the fluttering signals of passing ships to sound the depths and consider the direction of the curren that carries them. Christ weeps over Jerusalem because, wrapped up in events, He considers not their Divine meaning and

message. His words are full of warning for all who ignore the larger significance of a momentous present: "If thou hadst known, even thou, in this thy day, the things which belong unto thy peace! But now they are hid from thine eyes." Failure to note the drift of history is no small part of the tragedy of men and nations. But there is also in Holy Scripture a striking instance of the identification of passing events with their deeper and larger meaning. It is on the day of Pentecost when the waves of a new experience are breaking into the soul of men. The careless observer of incident sees nothing in the excitement of that hour but untimely stimulation. The Apostolic seer, with practiced eye, detects the arrival of long promised power, the beginning of a new era of religions. This is that which was spoken by the prophet Joel. "It shall come to pass in the last days, said God, I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh." In this momentous stage of the world's history with which we are contemporary, and in whose passing incidents we are involved (our own nation so conspicuously) there is no apostolic seer, as at the day of Pentecost, to interpret by authority the larger meaning of the time in which we live; or to affirm that any special voice of prophesy is now verging to fulfillment. But we may venture none the less to interpret. The correspondence of some of the phenomena of the present moment with the words of Old Testament prediction, suggest that we are entering upon a new stage and term in the progress of the world, a stage long dreamed of, hoped for, predicted—now actually at hand, even at our door. This is that which was spoken by the Prophet Isaiah: "It shall come to pass in the later days —the Influence of Religion upon the Peace of the World.

The erection of this house of worship "at the head of the mountains" is an act characteristic of the present tendency to exalt and honor religion in the seats of culture. That there is such a tendency, and that it is gathering momentum, we are not always in a position to realize. The surface drift, away from the institutions of religion, if not from religion itself, is formidable. Multitudes of the people, not recognizing Roman authority, or attracted by Protestant methods, are as sheep without a shepherd, living and dying apparently unvisited by the sense of immortality and the vision of God. The god of this world has blinded the eyes, stopped the ears, darkened the understanding of many, who struggle violently for a little while after material prizes, then sink down and disappear beneath the onrush of others like themselves. At times we see this so distinctly that we see only this, and it disconcerts us. The ungodly element of modern life seem to be dwarfing the primary instincts of reverence and making men incapable of spiritual development. The realities of the visible work seem to be the only realities that thoroughly arouse and command men. But this is a surface estimate, a judgment from appearance. Beneath this enormous drift away from religion on the part of the uninstructed and unreflecting average, there sets in the opposite direction a tide of tendency never more serious and determind than now. Among the men that think, and create and guide opinion, that look to the outcome of things, this better tide of tendency flows, carrying with it a majority of the educated. It is a gracious fruit of modern culture that there has come to be an enlarged conception of religion in its relation to life. The theological definitions of religion and the ecclesiastical interpretations of religion may or may not have retained their former authority, but, beyond doubt, the philosophical appreciation of religion as a divine integer of all well rounded life is more general and deeper than ever before. The reconstruction of philosophy has meant for all thinking men a nearer view of God, a more sacred estimate of personality. Today an atheistic view of the universe, as without God, or a deistic view of the universe as governed from afar by an absent monarch, presents severe difficulties to a well-trained man of science. Moral godlessness is as easy as ever, for the flesh beateth against the spirit, as of old; but intellectual lawlessness, the philosophical repudiation of the Divine Presence in the world, if it be not ignorance, is almost eccentricity. "God with us," has become the first member of our intellectual equation. And this means new content brought into human life, new honor conferred upon personality as a continuous expression of divine thought. In a new sense, psychology helps every man to say: "By the grace of God, I am what I am." Out of this new thinking has come, in circles of education "The Renaissance of Religion;" of religion as a part of life, a part so vital, so absolutely organic that there can be no proper development without it. A non-religious theory of culture is halting, deficient, provincial. A life untrained and uninspired on the spiritual side, is a life that has done injustice to itself, or has been dealt with unfairly by others. We are only at the beginning of this Renaissance of Religion in the world of education. We have hardly thought through to a conclusion its meaning, hardly projected a measurement of its probable effects. Powerful and sweeping they are likely to be, setting new account on the religon of colleges extending out into the difficult fields of state universities and public schools, vitalizing half-dead churches with a new conception of what they stand for in the community, and ultimately appealing to the vast average that reflects not on such matters, but goes on its pathetic way of the senses, working out its own self-imposed condemnation: "Let us eat and drink, for tomorrow we die." Religious eductaion is the most hopeful propheey in the intellectual life of our time. Above a non-religious ethies, above a secular sociology, above a divisive churchmanship, it sets God, in whom we live and move and have our being. It bids men know their own lives, personal and corporate, as in God; to see the world as God's world: to organize a social order around a central principle that is divine. And so, by the reconstruction of philosophy and the broadening effect of criticism, by the larger thinking in colleges and universities, there is beginning amng us the exaltation of religion. It is coming by a way that we knew not. by the broad highway of liberal culture rather than the narrower path of clerical authority. In an earlier and darker age it was of the church that established religion in the school. Now it is the thinking of the school that is bringing back religion into the church, arrayed not in the sumptuous robe of priestly power but in the simplicity of irresistible truth. So God fulfills himself, and after many days, the word of the Prophet stands: "And it shall come to pass in the latter days that the mountains of the Lord's house shall be established at the head of the mountains and shall be exalted above the hills, and all nations shall flow unto it."

Simultaneously with the realization of religion in the seats of culture, there is taking place an awakening of the religious sense throughout the world. Religions are as old as the race and in their several forms, as universal as the race. The history of the race is largely the history of its religions. But religions have their stages of growth or decline or recrudescence.

They become institutionalized sectarianized, devitalized, encrusted with parasitic growing infected with morbid organisms. They develop outbursts of abnormal and corrupt usage or fade into decrepitude and senility. Yet it may be that God has had in every age of every religion his prophets who have believed in the imperishability of the religious sense, and have gazed beyond the things they saw as Simeon in an age of decedent Judaism, waited for the consolation of Israel." Of such a spirit Isaiah, the evangelist among the prophets. His eagle eye swept the horizon of the world and saw the tragedy of its religious history; great religious perverted by ignorance, monopolized by clericalism, sterilized by idolatry. He saw beneath that slavery to the idol the universal soul of humanity, hungering and thirsting for truth at last demanding its own and coming into its own by a vast awakening of the religious sense, a return to God. "It shall come to pass," he cries, "in the latter days, that many people shall go and say Come ye and let us go into the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob, and he will teach us his ways and we will walk in his paths, for out of Zion shall go forth instruction and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem." For many reasons the thought suggests itself that the world may be even now passing into this general awaking of the religious sense, this spontaneous return to the living God. It is certain that a momentous change in the religious point of view is going on, in Christendom and outside of Christendom as well. In all parts of the Christian world the tendeney is to the intercourse and federation of religious ieterests, upon the basis of whatsoever is of the common essece. Zeal for the contests of sectarianism, once the major occupation of churches, is now a waning fire. Local interpretations, partisan disputes, rigorous exercise of ecclesiastical authority, associate themselves with the past rather than with the present and the future. The reconstruction of philosophy has introduced a new organizing principle into religious thinking, has redistributed the accents of value, has rediscovered the imperishable unities, has lifted up Christ and drawn all men back from secondary disputes unto himself. Religion is being reinterpreted in the terms of life; the vital kinship of the sane of God; the immediate activity of the Divine Spirit; the ethical nature of spiritual experience, the liberty of private judgment in the pursuit of truth, the social obligation of the godlike individual. Under the influence of these conceptions is emerging a new tolerance toward variant opinion within the Christian society, a new respect for religious experience outside of Christianity. Some, still clinging to the old order, dread the new as a perilous liberty that dethrones Christ and substitutes fickle individualism. Others hail this change in the accent of religious thinking, as the way of the Spirit of God to establish the reality of experience in the most intelligent lives; to reconduct the power of the living Christ past the benumbing medium, of dogmatic ecclesiasticism straight to the reason, the conscience, the affection of educated men. It is difficult to find a portion of the civilized world in which are not proceeding movements analogous to the Protestant awakening of the religious sense. The Roman church, through her best representatives, is showing her sympathy with it. The Holy Orthodox Church of Russia is recognizing the irresistable right of direct access to God long demanded in vain, by other sects within the Empire. The Hinduism of India is everywhere disclosing groups of educated men to whom the idol has become intolerable; who have assimilated the conception of worship, the principles of love, the ideal of righteousness that are in Christ; who are developing a reformed Hinduism which is but an evolutionary step towards an Indianized Christianity, which says in all but the words "Come let us go up to the house of the Lord of Jacob and he will teach us his ways, and we will walk in his paths." The truest solution of the spirit of modern Japan is religions. In the heart of the nation lies latent but awake a vast religious potentiality, waiting for an adequate object on which to pour itself forth. The historic religions no longer supply that object. Their greatness is in the past. Knowledge, science, philosophy have outgrown them. They survive, in form rather than in power. The heart of Japan has experineced an unconscious impregnation with the spirit of Christ. Let the mind of the nation once apprehend the ground of His supremack, the intellectual validity of His appeal to human obedience, and the pent-up sense of religion will burst forth in homage and in service.

As we dedicate this noble house of worship at the head of the mountains and exalt it above the hills, we realize the enormous importance of religion, as a world factor the present time. Never before, since civilization began, was the conception of religion so vital, so broad, so Catholic, so inwrought with the philosophy of a true social order, as today. The richest, deepest thinking of the world, the maturest intelligence, is committed on the side of religion. Never before, it may be, since civilization began, was the awaking of the religious sense so general and so intelligent in the world as now. The warring of religions against each other has been an intense activity of the past. The Crusades, the Reformation struggle, the embittered contests of sectarianism are forms in which the religious sense has expressed itself in the past. But the spirit of the present is utterly different; it is the awakening of nations to the realization of one God, and of that One God as the Father of man, and to the spirit and mind of that one God as the spirit and mind of Christ, a spirit constructive, a spirit irenic, a spirit of power and of love and of reason. Who shall estimate the part that this new sense of religion may take in the readjustment of world polities! Through the long and tumultuous past there seemed to the nations one way only to order and adjust the world—the way of force, the awful hand of war. To the maturer thinking of modern culture and diplomacy, another way has opened, the way of arbitration. It is a way beset with difficulty, hedged with intricate possibilities, obscured by secret motives of national selfishness and racial jealousy. Who shall say that it is final. As one studies the possibitities of the world in the light of the purpose of Christ draw all men unto Himself there dawns upon one a vision of the future influence of religion upon the peace of the world. Here is a force with which we have not reckoned, a possibility we have not measured, the influence upon the thought of nations of the clearer knowledge of the heart of God, the sway of a common religious consciousness over international destiny. It is a vision long forseen, long waited for by those whose eyes have been purged of the blindness of race prejudice and whose hearts have been warmed with the grace of human brotherhood. It is the vision of God taking charge of his own world and by His spirit controling and coordinating national interests for the common peace. "And he shall judge among the nations and shall decide concerning many people; and they shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation; neither shall they learn war any more.

Of these things, the exaltation of religion, the awaking of the religious sense throughout the world, the future influence of religion upon the peace of the world—this church, set in a Christian college, at the head of the mountains and exalted above the hills, is a perpetual symbol in stone. Its purpose is not only to commemorate a noble and beloved name, but to bring home to every mind every day, the vast conceptions of the vision if Isaiah, to make them a part of the common thinking of youth, until the life of each generation shall assimilate them and men go forth from here, to extend these prophetic ideas throughout the world for the hastening of the kingdom of God.



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WILLIAMS 111th COMMENCEMENT

Degrees Conferred upon Distinguished Men. Degree of L. H. D. Given to the President of the United States.

Ex-Secretary Root and Ex-Ambassador Joseph H. Choate Receive Degree of L. L. D.—Addresses of President Hopkins in Presentation—Account of the Exercises in Full—Speech of President Roosevelt in the Church.

The one hundred and eleventh commencement of Williams college took place in the Congregational church at eleven o'clock this morning. Dignified by the presence of the nation's chief executive and many other men of note, made memorable by one of the largest gatherings of Williams men ever held, and distinguished by the dedication of the most beautiful college chapel in the country, the commencement season of 1905 has passed into history as an event brilliant in the history of Williams.

At the Commencement of 1905, the degree of Bachelor of Arts was conferred upon seventy-one in course, and upon three in nunc pro tunc. The degree of Master of Arts was conferred upon three in course and honorarily upon two. Following, two degrees of Doctor of Divinity, four of Doctor of Letters and one of Doctor of Humane Letters were conferred.

Shortly before eleven o'clock the procession started from Lawrence Hall library. High Sheriff Nicholson of Berkshire led the way, followed by Gioscia's band of Albany. Following, came Dr. Frederick C. Ferry, Dean of the college, as Marshal of the day; and the graduating class in caps and gowns, led by Class Marshals John Joseph McCarty and James William Wadsworth. Proceeding to Hopkins Hall, the members of the faculty, led by Henry D. Wild, Marshal of the faculty for the day, joined in the line. From there the procession crossed Main street and marched to Jesup Hall, where the alumni, by classes led by the alumni marshals, Felton Bent '95, of Chester, Pa., and Robert T. Furman '95 of New York city, joined after the faculty. Stopping at the president's house, the President of the United States and his party, the president and trustees of Williams college, in academic dress, the invited guests of the college, and the candidates for honorary degrees clad in the gowns of their degrees, completed the make-up of the procession. Upon reaching the Congregational church, the procession entered slowly, taking their assigned seats while the organ played a voluntary.

President Hopkins escorted President Roosevelt to the platform, and in addition, the trustees, invited guests, candidates for degrees, and Dr. Frederick Carlos Ferry and Prof. Richard Austin Rice, presentors of candidates for degrees, were seated upon the platform. The members of the faculty occupied the choir seats, the graduating class the front center seats, the alumni, families of members of the faculty and others the main body of the church. The friends and families of the members of the class of 1905 occupied the gallery seats. President Hopkins opened the exercises with a prayer, following which all present sang Luther's familiar hymn, "Ein fester Burg ist unser Gott."

The Commencement speakers, from the graduating class, spoke in the following order: Philosophical oration, "Idealism in Political Life," Roy Kenneth Hack, of South Waterboro, Me., next year Williams Rhodes Scholar at Oxford; Dissertation, "The Academic Temper," William Smith Pettit, class president; Philosophical Oration, "The Scientific Spirit," with valedictory, Benjamin Franklin Mills.

As the announcement of prizes was postponed until the alumni

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THE PRESIDENT IN WILLIAMSTOWN

Complete Itinerary of the President's Visit from 6.28 Last Night Until 1.30 This Afternoon.

Arrival at Station—Reception to Faculty, Trustees, and Invited Guests from 9.00 till 10.00—Official business in the Late Evening—Views Thompson Memorial Chapel—Speech Outside of Church—Departure at 1.30 this Afternoon.

Theodore Rooosevelt, President of the United States, arrived in Williamstown at 6:28 last evening. Elaborate plans had been laid for his arrival and these were carried out exactly, although the drizzling rain which had been falling all day to some extent hampered the proceedings.

Arrival

The special train, composed of three cars, a baggage car, the combination baggage and cafe car "George Hopkins" of the Pennsylvania Colonial Express and the Pullman Observation car "Courier," reached the Williamstown station of the Boston and Maine railway two minutes ahead of schedule time. Awaiting the arrival of the President were the reception committees, from Berkshire county; United States Senator Winthrop Murray Crane, of Dalton, ex-Governor of Massachusetts, chairman; Hon. George P. Lawrence, of North Adams, Representative in Congress of the First Berkshire District, Hon. William B. Plunkett, of Adams; Hon. Walter F. Hawkins, of Pittsfield and Hon. James Rudolph Garfield, commissioner of corporations in the newly formed Department of Commerce and Labor, of the class of 1885: the committee representing Williamstown, N. Henry Sabin, chairman, ex-Representative Almon E. Hall, John B. Locke, chairman of the Williamstown Board of Selectmen, Samuel Starkweather, Warren Montgomery, members of the Board of Selectmen, Daniel T. Neyland.

Williams Cheers For the President

Surrounding the reception committee was the student escort, in double lines, under the leadership of Mr. John A. DeCamp 1900 and Morton D. Griswold 1906. As the train drew into the station, Griswold led Williams cheers for the President, and continued until he appeared upon the observation platform. Senator Crane entered the train and welcomed the President to Berkshire county. Applause greeted the appearance of the President, who responded to the welcome with the simple words, "I am *so* glad to be here."

President Roosevelt stepped from the train and was greeted by the committees. He then entered a carriage with his secretary William Loeb, jr., Senator Crane and Representative Lawrence. The line then started up Cole avenue, headed by the carriage of John Nicholson, High Sheriff of Berkshire, followed by Judson '05, Lapham '07 and M. Brown '07 on horseback and then the President's carriage. Behind riding abreast were Sheriff Claude L. Frink, of North Adams and Deputy Sheriff O'Brien of Adams. Behind them were Wellington '05, Buchanan and Fleischmann '06 on horseback, and then the carriage carrying the remainder of the Presidential party and the reception committees. The student escort followed closely beside the President's carriage as far as the French Catholic church, where a special car on the Hoosac Valley was in waiting.

The escort boarded the car and were conveyed to the end of the car line while the carriages came up Cole avenue and Main street. The line of students formed again after leaving the car and marched up Main street and in double line awaited the coming of the President. As the party entered Main street in front of Professor Morton's house, the bells in the tower of the new Chapel were played, continuing until the carriages reached West College.

At President Hopkins' Home

As the President's carriage drew up in front of the residence of Dr. Hopkins, a long Williams cheer greeted him. As he stepepd from the carriage Dr. Hopkins advanced from the house and welcomed him, and escorted him to the door, where Mrs. Hopkins greeted him. The occupants of the other carriages entered the president's house.

Last evening, after the reception at President Hopkins' residence, President Roosevelt drove in a closed carriage to the Alpha Delta Phi House. He was greeted by the Alpha Delta Phis with fraternity songs, passed through their doors and remained there twenty minutes.

The President was also invited to the Delta Kappa Epsilon house,

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PRIZES

The following prizes were announced at the alumni dinner:

BENEDICT PRIZES.

From the fund of the late Hon. Erastus C. Benedict, of the class of 1821; the first prize $25 and the second $15.

Latin—First prize. Carroll Atwood Wilson, 1907, of Westfield; second prize, equally divided between Harry Cleveland Blagbrough, 1907, of Orange, and Otis Chamberlain Morrill, 1907, of Portland, Ore. Honorable mention, Stephen Treat Stanley, 1907, of Norwalk, Conn.

Greek—First prize, equally divided between Arthur Howland Buffinton, 1907, of Pottsville, Otis Chamberlain Morrill, 1907, of Portland, Ore.; second prize, Stephen Treat Stanley, 1907, of Norwalk, Conn. Honorable mention, John Barton Loughborough, 1907, of Auburn, N. Y., and Clarence Bennett Stewart, 1907, of Troy.

French—First prize, Francis Brown Barton, 1907, of Palmer; second prize, Frederic Daniel Cheydleur, 1905, of Ballston Springs, N. Y.

German—First prize, Charles Harrison Demond, 1906, of Stafford Springs, Conn.; second prize, Percy Llewellyn Boutelle, 1905, of Turnerville, Conn.

Mathematics—First prize, Otis Chamberlain Morrill, 1907, of Portland, Ore.; second prize, Caroll Atwood Wilson, 1907, of Westfield. Honorable mention, Archibald Douglas Kincaid, 1907, of Honolulu, H. I.

Natural History—First prize, equally divided between David Lawrence Belding, 1905, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and William Clinton Johnson, 1905, of Summit, N. J.; second prize, James Roe Stevenson, 1905, of Auburn, N. Y.

History—First prize, Raymond Eugene Cook, 1905, of Troy, N. Y.; second prize, Bernard Copping, Jr., 1905, of Bridgewater. Honorable mention, Albert Priest Newell, 1905, of Ogdensburg.

Prize for Prizes, $25.00—Roy Kenneth Hack, 1905, of South Waterboro, Me.

THE GRAVES PRIZES.

These prizes, $20 each, given by the late Arthur B. Graves, of the class of 1858, for the six best essays prepared by members of the senior class, and one prize of $80 to the student who delivered his essay most effectively at the contest, held in the Congregational Church Saturday evening, were awarded as follows:—

Frederic Daniel Cheydleur, 1905, of Ballston Springs, N. Y.

Raymond Eugene Cook, 1905, of Troy, N. Y.

Max Forrester Eastman, 1905, of Elmira, N. Y.

Roy Boardman Smith, 1905, of Columbia, Conn.

Clarence Elmore Wells, 17905, of Riverhead, N. Y.

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RHETORICAL PRIZES.

For the competitors in thee "Moonlights" contest, from the sophomore and junior classes:

GENERAL PRIZE.

William Mansfield Clark, 1907, of Salisbury, Conn.

Junior Prizes—First, Gordon Hill Kellogg, 1906, of Fairport, N. Y.; second, Frances Berry Cantwell, 1906, of Malone, N. Y.

Sophomore Prizes—First, Ernest Belden Hart, 1907, of Bristol, Conn.; second Tracey Allen Rudd, 1907, of Albany, N. Y.

THE VAN VECHTEN PRIZE.

Given by A. V. W. Van Vechten, of the class of 1845, for excellence in extemporaneous speaking in the contest held on May 24, in Jesup Hall—Harry Lewis Everett, 1905, of Watervliet, N. Y.

THE DEBATING PRIZES.

The first, of $25 to the contestant who, in the Dartmouth preliminary debate, excelled all other contestants, to Russell Stanley Gregory, 1905, of Salem, N. Y.; second, to the contestant in the same debate who ranked second in excellence, to Joseph Earl Perry, 1906, of Shelburne Falls, Mass.; third to the contestant who did the best work of those that did not secure appointments to the college debating team Bernard Westermann, 1908, of Overbrook, Pa.

IN WESLEYAN PRELIMINARIES.

First prize, Russell Stanley Gregory, 1905, of Salem, N. Y.; second prize, Joseph Earl Perry, 1906, of Shelburne Falls; third prize, James Roe Stevenson, 1905, of Auburn, N. Y.

THE DEWEY PRIZE.

Of $50, given by the late Hon. Francis Henshaw Dewey, to the member of the graduating class who presents the most creditable oration at Commencement, to (announced at Alumni dinner.)

THE RICE PRIZES.

Given by the late James Lathrop Rice, for excellence in the classics, first prize of $60 and second of $40, in Latin.

First prize, equally divided between Percy Llewellyn Boutelle, 1905, of Turnerville, Conn., and Roy Kenneth Hack, 1905, of South Waterboro, Me.; second prize, Raymond Eugene Cook, 1905, of Troy, N. Y.

In Greek—First prize, Roy Kenneth Hack, 1905, of South Waterboro, Me.; second prize, equally divided between Lindsay Stillwell Hadley, 1905, of Newark, N. Y., and James Roe Stevenson, 1905, of Auburn, N. Y.

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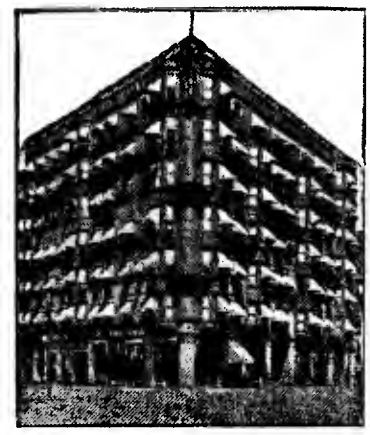
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At 4:30 p. m. yesterday in the new chapel an organ recital was given by Gaston M. Dethier, organist and choirmaster of St. Francis Xavier's church, New York city, assisted by Leland J. Moore, of New York city, tenor soloist. Mr. Dathier and Mr. Moore gave a varied program of classic and original compositions, as follows:

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Toccata, Faulkes
Solo—Aria from the Manzoni Requiem Verdi
- Ingemisco Tamquam resu

Variations on a Carol, Dethier
Barcarolle, Dethier
Scherzo, Dethier
March, Svendsen

Mr. Moore's voice appeared to good advantage in the two selections rendered, the high notes in the Manzoni Aria being particularly clear and well sustained, while the tone quality of the Handel Recitative possessed the firmness and surety of attack of a master of song.

Mr. Dethier's recital was unusurlly satisfactory, especially to a musical critic. He brought out the qualities of the organ to perfection, its full, deep tones reverberating through the chapel to the complete extent of their richness and grandeur. The "Toreata," by Faulkes, was a revelation of clean execution. The Thiele selection contained some passages for the pedals, which, when taken up in the allegro tempo, presented many difficulties. Mr. Dethier, however, rendered them with as much apparent ease as a largo movement, and from beginning to end the rapid succession of pedal notes could be followed easily.

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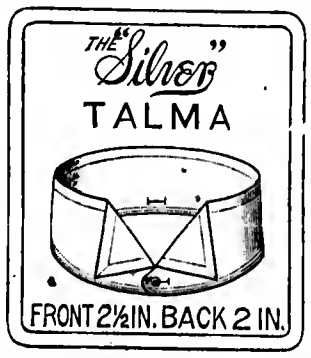
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Commencement

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dinner, after the commencement speakers came the conferring of degrees. The names of the members of the graduating class were called by roll by Dr. Ferry and each man rose from his seat as his name was called. The degree of Bachelor of Arts was conferred upon the following members of the class of 1905:

George Charles Appell, jr., William Gage Austin, David Lawrence Belding, William Leroy Belknap, jr., Joseph Francis Boland, Percy Llewellyn Boutelle, Harold Gibson Brown, Roy Lunan Buffum, Edward Gould Chace, Frederic Daniel Cheydleur, Ralph Mather Cole, Raymond Eugene Cook, Bernard Copping, jr., George Bliss Davenport, William Adams Dayton, jr., James Watson Williams Dimon, Max Forrester Eastman, Walter Morton Edwards, Wakeman Clark Egerton, Arvie Eldred, Harry Lewis Everitt, Ezra Fisk, Clifford Harry Fulton, Clarence James Goodwillie, Russell Stanley Gregory, Roy Kenneth Hack, Lindsay Stillwell Hadley, John Munn Hanford, Herbert Barber Howe, Frederick Raymond Hunt, William Clinton Johnson, Frederick Allen Judson, Ralph Miller Ketcham, Eugene Hooker Leaning, Arthur Ward Lincoln, Herman Livingston, jr., John Bright Lord, John Joseph McCarty, Baldwin Mann, Charles Arthur Marvin, Henry Wicker Mellen, Ray March Merrill, Philip Northrop Miller, Benjamin Franklin Mills, William Hilary Murray, Harold Everett Nesbitt, Albert Priest Newell, William Allan Newell, Louis Harold Northrop, David Henry Osborne, 2d, Bert Fletcher Parsons, William Smith Pettit, John Bayard Pruyn, Charles Runyon, jr., John Shepard Shedden, Joseph Edwin Shoudy, Roy Boardman Smith, Nathan Jacob Stern, James Roe Stevenson, William Redfield Stocking, jr., Walter Albert Swan, Charles Franklin Taber, Wilbur Thing, Henry Bernon Tourtellot, James William Wadsworth, Harry Towle Watson, Robert Epenetus Webster, Barrett Rich Wellington, Clarence Elmore Wells, Charles White Whittlesey, William Theron Wright.

After the conferring of the degrees upon the members of the graduationg class, Dr. Ferry then announced the candidates for Bachelor of Arts in nunc pro tunc, who were as follows:

Arthur Day Hawley, as of the class of 1855; Captain Frederick William Mitchell, as of the class of 1862, of Washington, D. C., and John I. Zoller, as of the class of 1895, of Little Falls, N. Y.

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Williamstown, subject of thesis, "The humor of Jane Austen," Brainerd Mears 1903, of Williamstown, subject of thesis, "A comparison of the quantitative determination of sulphur in iron and steel"; Madison Clair Bates 1904, of Galesburg, Ill., subject of thesis, "The Greek element in the life and poetry of Keats."

Honorary Degrees

Next came the conferring of honorary degrees, the candidates being presented by Professor Richard Austin Rice.

The degree of Magister Artium, was conferred upon Francis Richmond Allen, of Boston, architect of the new Thompson Memorial Chapel, and Wallace Clyde Johnson, of Boston, a prominent civil engineer.

The degree of Doctor Divinitatia was conferred upon Prof Stephen Beasley Linnard Penrose, of the class of 1885, president of Whitman college, at Walla Walla Wash., and upon Rev. William Mercer Grosvenor, of the class of 1885, of New York city.

The degree of Legium Doctor, upon Hon. Joseph Hodges Choate, Ex-Ambassador at the Court of St. James; upon Hon. Elihu Root, of New York city, Ex-Secretary of War; upon Col. William Packer Prentiss, Ph. D., of the class of 1855, of New York city, and upon Prof. Edward Herrick Griffin, of the class of 1862, of Baltimore, Dean of Johns Hopkins University.

The last degree conferred was the degree Litterarum Humaniorum Magister, upon Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States. In conferring the honorary degree upon the President, Dr. Hopkins said:

President of the United States, Williams College does not attempt to recognize or reward your services on the great field of national and international political action. That has been done by the voice of the whole people with an authority which far transcends that of all colleges and universities, and in a manner immeasurably more impressive than any academic ceremony. And now, Mr. President, there has come to you a unique honor. With the approval and applause of European governments, the sovereigns of far-off warring nations beyond the seas accept gratefully the counsels of the accredited but uncrowned citizen of a free Republic in the interests of justice and peace. We are, however, permitted to write your name on the list of our honorary alumni, and to confer the token of high distinction upon you as an eminent citizen of the republic of letters, as a students of literature and a lover of the best books, as an author read and honored on both sides of the sea, as a friend of the education of the whole people for intelligent citizenship, and a friend also of the higher liberal education. You have more than once received the degree of doctor of laws; we ask you to accept today another but not les distinguished title:—

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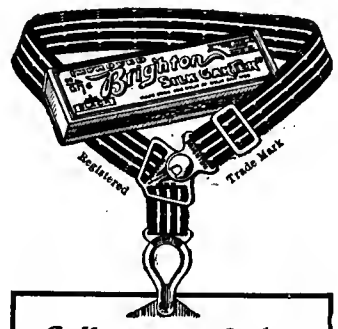


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President Roosevelt then faced the audience and said in part:

Mr. President, and you of Williams College, I have received a high honor at your hands today and I want to say to you how very deeply I appreciate it. I appreciate it especially because I am here with so many men I know. I have listened with world wide pleasure to the three philosophical discourses of the program: I was very much interested in them all, but I was especially so in the first one—it was just in my line of business. I wish to say just a word suggested by this discourse, regarding Idealism in Williams College. I wish to see all the graduates of this college do everything that lies in their power to uphold a standard of practical idealism. The reference to political ideals in Troy brings to my mind the fact that there are two sorts of ideals in human life—the ideal that is high and fantastical an dthe ideal that is low and practical. Judgment of which sort of ideal to pursue becomes a question of the choice of being what is merely harmless to what is being detrimental. You can secure no possible gratitude if you choose the mree harmlessness of these high ideals. Fantasic ideals show you more foolish than they show anything else about your character. Be practical in your ideal. Don't leave Williams with an unpractical ideal in your heads—one that can never materialize and that you know soon after you form it can never materialize. But on the other hand, you must never fail to apply your ideal, however high it be.

On this platform with me are men with whom I have had more or less dealings in the affairs of public life. Here is Mr. Choate, Mr. Garfield, Mr. Root and Bishop Laurence. In my dealings with these men I confess that I have oftentimes held views radically different from theirs, but we have always managed to adjust our disagreements in a broad-minded way. By each of us agreeing to subordinate our main points of difference, a compromise has been effected. A man should not only work for himself, but for the best expression possible for the reward of his work well done.

We want the help ofevery institution for the success of the immediate governmental problems before us. We expect leadership from Williams as from the other colleges. Abroad I wish that it might be said that this nation does not not merely talk but acts for righteousness and peace. This peace must stand for justice, but at the same time that justice is necessary, whether obtainable by war o ra natural result. We are now enjoying righteousness and peace because the soldiers of our country dared draw their swords for the maintenance of it.

Take a glance at the situation at San Domingo. The situation there was serious; society was in a bad state of dissolution. But the mater proved merely a case of the strong helping the weaker and the desired effect was secured, the practice of justice between San Domingo and her creditors and a general readjustment of the finance of the country. I demand that in all cases, as in this instance, the nation do its duty, accepting the responsibilities that go with greatness and daring to be great. Do not, however, let this nation gain the reputation of doing justice to the weak rather than that of exacting justice from the strong.

Right here I will say that it is to the interest of the nation to see that the navy is built up and kept built up to the highest standard. A large navy should not be keep in readiness in the interests of war but as a guarantee for peace. We must keep up the United States navy or we must quit trying to be a nation.

There are a class of citizens who are much wrought up all the time about the social question. Remember that there must never be bribery of any sort, it must be ever fearlessly put down, this lawlessness in our land. Just as our country must never become a government by a monarch, so, on the other hand, it must never become a government by a plutocracy.

Regarding this question of the great combinations of the country. They undoubtedly need a more closer and a more efficient form of government. They should be employed in the interests of the nation and not against its interests. I believe that the National government, not the state government is responsible for the uprooting of this corruption. The control of all the business companies—from the insurance companies up and down, should be in the hands of the national government. There should be national supervision over all interstate railroads, securing a much-needed readjustment of rates. Should these ideas of mine be carried out, a measurable benefit would be workd to th Republic—I do not say that we would secure the millenium, or anything like it, and it must be remembered that in a consideration of such a question, there must be protection of the railroad from the public as well as the desired protection of the public from the injustices of the railroads.

Now regarding the investigations of corruptions in the Beef Trust and in the Standard Oil Company. A board of commisisoners is at work upon the matter, and if the companies are found guilty, an indictment will be pronounced you may be sure. But there will be no personal element at all in the decision of the judges of the matter. I have placed it in the hands of Mr. Garfield, being acquainted with his sense of justice and knowing that with him no suggestion of personal influence can have any effect upon the impartial discharge of his duty.

I see that I have overrun my time talking fo you here this morning. It is time for me to stop; and in conclusion I can only say that I would like to talk about an hour longer. I wish it were posible for me to make you understand how deeply I appreciate the privilege and the honors conferred upon me today.

The following addresses of presentation are printed in the order of their delivery by President Hopkins. The formula at the end of the address to President Roosevelt was repeated in each instance:

WALLACE CLYDE JOHNSON

Civil engineer, distingnished by your work in the application of water-power and electricity to the uses of man. I admit yon to the honorary degree of Master of Arts.

FRANCIS RICHMOND ALLEN

For the achievement of the Memorial Library at Vassar and the Memorial Chapel at Williams, I admit yon to the honorary degree of Master of Arts.

WILLIAM MERCER GROSVENOR.

In the great metropolis of the nation you stand as a representative Christian minister, an eloquent advocate of the highest truth, and a successful organizer and administrator of the interests of the Kingdom of God.

STEPHEN BEASLEY LINNARD PENROSE.

On the Pacific slope, fronting the vast populations and problems of the Far East, you are in a great Commonwealth a founder of Christian institutions and a teacher of righteousness.

EDWARD HERRICK GRIFFIN.

Distinquished expositor of philosophy, successful administrator of great university interests, beloved teacher of youth in Williams College, we welcome you today with our choicest honors.

WILLIAM PACKER PRENTISS.

Your notable classical scholarship, together with your high standing in your chosen profession of the law, make it a privilege for your Alma Mater, in this, the fiftieth year since your graduation, to bestow upon you the mark of her high honor.

ELIHU ROOT.

Jurist, cabinet officer, advocate, the United States army, and through them the whole people, are your debtor for the new and better army organization. This company of scholors honors you for having put your distinguished legal attainments and executive ability at the service of the state.

JOSEPH HODGES CHOATE.

Orator, advocate, diplomatist, ambassador; your name is a household word in the two great English speaking nations. Williams College can bring you no further honor, but gladly joins the acclaim of the whole people who welcome you home, by bestowing upon you her decoration.

On the Chapel Chimes

Mr. Chester Meneely of the Meneely Bell Co., of Troy, which cast the bells forming the set of chimes in the Thompson Memorial Chapel, was in town yesterday and played selections on the bells three times, after the dedication of the Chapel, when President Roosevelt was driving up from the station, and in the evening.

As President Roosevelt rounded the corner of Cole avenue and Main street, the chimes sounded "Hail Columbia." As he passed the Chapel, "America" rang out, and later "Maryland" was played.

Mr. Meneely played several Williams songs, as well as Scotch and Irish airs, and some popular melodies during the early evening, first playing all the different variations that could be given on the chimes. Among these airs were "The Last Rose of Summer," "Old Black Joe," "Marching Through Georgia," "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Hall," "America," "The Mountains," "Auld Lang Syne," "Old Dog Tray," "Robin Adair," "Dying Echoes Fill the Valley," and "Goodby, my Bluebell."

In Honor of Mrs. Thomspon

At the conclusion of the dedication exercises at the Thompson Memorial Chapel yesterday morning, Mrs. F. F. Thompson and the party of her visiting friends, adjourned, with the president, the trustees and their wives, to Jesup Hall, where luncheon was served in the reading room. The building was decorated for the affair with potted plants. Lucas, of Troy, was caterer, and covers were laid for fifty. Gioscia's orchestra furnished the music.

Rev. Dr. William M. Grosvenor, '85, gave an address on the significance of the chapel to the college and students, and Rev. James L. Taylor, D. D., LL. D., president of Vassar College, of which institution the late Mr. Thompson was a trustee and of which his wife is now a trustee, spoke on the life and work of Mr. Thompson.

The President in Williamstown

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but was unable to accept, since no secret service arrangements had been made for his protection.

On International Business

The President went to his apartments almost immediately, where he spent two hours' work on international business with Secretary Loeb, and Mr. Latin, his stenographers. He retired at 1:30 this morning, occupying the bed-room on the south-east Main street, corner of the building.

Before Breakfast

Though he did not go to bed until late, he was up at five minutes of eight this morning. Stepping to the window, he raised it and opening the blinds, looked out at the gray, gloomy day for several minutes. He then left the window, dressed, and joined Secretary Loeb, Mr. Rixey and Dr. and Mrs. Hopkins downstairs. Breakfast was served at 8:20.

At '85 Headquarters

Immediately after breakfast, the President received a call from James R. Garfield, and, accompanied only by him, left the house and walked briskly to the Woodbridge House, the headquarters of the class of 1885. Here he met, greeted, and shook hands with 41 members of the class in exactly two minutes, and returned to Dr. Hopkin's residence with Mr. Garfield five minutes after he left.

At Memorial Chapel

He next emerged from the doorway within ten minutes, this time accompanied by Mrs. F. F. Thompson, Mrs. Hopkins and Mr. Garfield, with a secret service detective. The party went towards the Thompson Memorial Chapel and was followed by five policeman. The President walked fast, bowing and smiling to all he met, and halting now and then to shake hands. He remained inside the chapel for 15 minutes and then returned to the president's house.

Outside the Church

Immediately after the conclusion of the Comencement exercises, the audience left the church by the rear side doors and the commencement procession, including the faculty, the graduating class, and those who had received degrees, marched out of the East front door and lined up in front of the crowd, facing the church, waiting for the President's appearance. At 1:06 he passed through the door and stepped quickly to the platform erected in front of the church for that purpose, facing the people who had been waiting to hear him, in spite of the heavy rain, for two hours.

The President was briefly introduced by Winthrop Murray Crane, junior senator from Massachusetts. The chief executive was given an ovation, and, bare head-

ed, with no overcoat to proteet him, spoke for a few minutes, opening:

"My friends and fellow citizens, men and women of Western Massachusetts, I need not say what a great pleasure it is to me to be here in your community. I am not a New Englander by birth, but I am happy to say I am by education, and I hope in spirit." Of the many hundred audiences which the President had met, in his recent journey throughout the country, he had always been greatly impressed with "the unity of this people." He had often felt keenly how the men who had once worn the blue and those who had also worn the gray, were now shoulder to shoulder. He held that "the average American was a pretty good fellow" and "in the future of this country the time is past when there is danger of conflict between localities. I want to see arise between them the same spirit as exists between man and man. Good luck!"

President Roosevelt left the platform and re-entered the church. A few minutes later he was driven to the station and had about five minutes to spare before his train was scheduled to leave, arriving at the station at 1:25. Lunch was served on the train.

INFORMAL RECEPTION

A Few Invited to Meet President Roosevelt

Last evening from 9:15 to 10:15 the members of the faculty and a few invited guests were given an opportunity to meet President Roosevelt at President Hopkins' residence. The reception was held in the parlors at the right of the main hall. President Roosevelt stood in the south (front) parlor, beside President Hopkins. Among the ladies receiving were Mrs. Hopkins, Mrs. Frederick Ferris Thompson, and Mrs. William H. Seward of Auburn, N. Y. In accordance with the President's wishes, the reception was entirely informal.

The guests were introduced to the President as they arrived by Dr. Frederick C. Ferry. The guests were also introduced to Hon. Joseph H. Choate, late ambassador to the Court of St. James; Hon. Elihu Root, whose services in connection with the Fayerweather will ease entitle him to the highest consideration of the college, and Morris K. Jesup, Esq., of New York city, donor of Jesup Hall.

Among the invited guests were the following members of the President's party, Mr. William Loeb, jr., secretary to the President, and P. M. Rixey, Esq., surgeon-general of the United States navy: The following members of the committee who assisted President Hopkins at the reception to the alumni and friends of the college Tuesday; Hon. Winthrop Murray Crane, of Dalton, junior United States senator from Mass., and governor of Massachusetts for three years; Hon. George P. Lawrence, ex-'80, of North Adams, United States representative from the first Massachusetts district, James R. Garfield '85, of Washington, D. C., commissioner of corporations in the department of commerce and labor, W. B. Plunkett, Esq., of Adams, and Walter F. Hawkins '84, of Pittsfield: The following members of the Board of Trustees: Rev. William Wisner Adams, D. D., '55, of Fall River, Rev. Charles Cuthbert Hall, D. D., LL. D., '72, of New York city, Francis Lynde Stetson, Esq., '67, of New York city, Hon. Albert Charles Houghton, of North Adams, Hamilton Wright Mabie, L. H. D., LL. D., '67, of New York city, Rev. Daniel Merriman, D. D., '63, of Worcester, Eugene Delano, Esq., '66, of New York city, William Henry Hollister, jr., Esq., '70, of Troy, Hon. Bentley Writ Warren, '85, of Boston, Rev. Harry Pinneo Dewey, D. D., '84, of Brooklyn, and President Henry Lefavour, Ph. D., LL. D., '83, of Boston; The faculty and officers of administration with their wives: General William H. Seward, of Auburn, N. Y., son of the late William H. Seward, secretary of state in Lincoln's first cabinet; the Right Reverend William Lawrence, Mr. Clark Williams '92, and Mrs. Williams, of New York city: Hon. Alfred C. Chapin '69, ex-mayor of Brooklyn. L. E. Clark, Esq., of Detroit: Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Crane, of Dalton.

GIFTS ANNOUNCED

By President Hopkins at Annual Alumni Dinner

The annual alumni dinner was held this afternoon immediately at the close of the Commencement exercises in Lasell gymnasium. The decorations used at the Senior Prom. Tuesday night were retained. Halla, of Troy, catered.

At a raised table in the center of the south side of the gymnasium, parallel to the length of the gymnasium were seated the speakers. The remainder of the gymnasium was filled with smaller tables, the classes sitting by tables.

Dr. Hopkins acted as toastmaster, introducing as speakers Hon. Joseph H. Choate, LL. D., Hon. Elihu Root, LL. D., Francis Lynde Stetson, Esq., '67, President Charles Cuthbert Hall. D.D., LL. D., '72, Rev. William Mercer Grosvenor, D. D '85, Rev. Edward Herrick Griffin, LL. D., '62, Rev. Daniel Merriman, D. D., '63, William Packer Prentiss, LL. D., Rev. Stephen Beasley Linnard Penrose, D. D., '85, and Hamilton Wright Mabie, LL. D., L. H. D., '67.

Dr. Hopkins announced the prizes for the year, which were not read at commencement exercises.

William Smith Pettit is the winner of the Dewey prize.

Dr. Hopkins announced several important benefactions of the year:

$2600 from anonymous donors for continuing various prizes.

Francis Lynde Stetson reimbursed the college for painting East and South Colleges and the Library,

The class of 1857 has added $75 to its class fund making a total of $500 in the fund.

The class of 1850 has added $100 to its class fund.

Mrs. Frederick Ferris Thompson will continue the Thompson entertainment course for the ensuing year.

Hon. Elihu Root, attorney in the Fayerweather will esse, announced that the college has received $5,000 more from the will, and there are prospects of from $10,000 to $15,000 in addition.

Eugene Delano, Esq., '66, and Francis Lynde Stetson, Esq., '67, have given the requisite for providing the college with a swimming pool, and enlarging the baseball cage.

Morris K. Jesup has given $1,000 for current expenses and $5,000 for repairs and general fund for Jesup Hall.

Francis Lynde Stetson has given $15,000 towards the purchase of the Mather place on Main street, and $10,000 towards deficiency in running expenses for the college year.

Hon. Francis Lynde Stetson '67, Wilhelmus Mynderse '71 and Frederick Beach Jennings '72 have each given $1,000 towards the art department.

A friend of the college whose name is withheld, has given $25,000, its use to be determined later.

For the new dormitory, Hon. Winthrop Murray Crane, of Dalton, Hon. Albert Charles Houghton, of North Adams, and a third benefactor whose name for the present is withheld, have contributed each $25,000. Interest on the first two of these gifts has now been drawing for three years. Thus the college, instead of having a single Berkshire dormitory, will have at the top of Consumption Hill, east of East college, a Berkshire Quadrangle, necessitating the extension and complete rebuilding of South College.

Hon. F. L. Stetson '67, has supplemented the gift of $5000 made several years ago for the increase of professors' salaries, by giving a fund the income of which will be $6,600 ia year, payable for the increase of the salaries.

This announcement was greeted with great applause. A long Williams cheer was given by the alumni and class cheers by each of the different classes assembled.

The committee to nominate candidates for alumni trustees announced the following candidates:

Wilhelmus Mynderse '71, Frederick B. Jennings '72, Charles S. Holt '74, Daforth Geer '79 and Bliss Perry '81.

PHI BETTA KAPPA

Annual Business Meeting and Election of Officers

The annual meeting of the Williams chapter(Massachusetts Gamma) of Phi Beta Kappa was held in the auditorium of Jesup Hall this forenoon at 9:30. Judge William H. Swift '63 ofChicago, president of the society, presided. Several of the older Phi Beta Kappa alumni as well as the five 1905 men elected, in February and the five men elected at the meeting of the immediate members of the society Tuesday were present. The latter five were Max Forrester Eastman, Lindsay Stillwell Hadley, Albert Priest Newell, James Roe Stevenson and Avie Eldred. The retiring vice-president of the association is Prof. W. P. Bradley, Ph. D., '84.

William H. Hollister, jr., '70, made a report as delegate of the national council of Phi Beta Kappa which was held at Saratoga last September.

The following officers were elected: President, Rev. Dr. S. W. Dana '61; vice-president, C. B. Roote '76; secretary, Rev. Dr. E. B. Parsons '59; treasurer, Prof. H. D. Wild '88. The last two were re-elections. Executive committee, Prof. F. C. Ferry '91, H. D Matz '85, G. C. Leonard '87. About forty members were present.

The officers newly elected were appointed a committee on a banquet or celebration to be held each year after the annual meeting.





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ummer just past s seen an improve- property unequal- ny previous sum- nstruction of Mor- e spring, has been pletion; work on ng pool, presented y Eugene Delano, rancis Lynde Stet- s been begun, and ball cage included ill be started by ld chapel will be on purposes, and he reconstruction going on all sum- shed before snow rease above the f six feet in the imming pool has complete change m basement. The has also received repairs. The in- n improved both six of the college een repointed, the is been moved to d the houses pur- ng on the north reet have been in over.

s been used dur- ing the summer in securing the best possible plans for Berkshire Hall, the new dormitory for scholarship men. The dormitory will be parallel to South College, east of the old observatory, at the same distance from the observatory as South College. Its north end will be on the same level as South College and its south end, on the brow of the hill, will correspond with the end of South College when the South College extension is built, as at present planned. The general plan of the Hall will be the same as announced in The Record May 18, but the minor details will not be settled for a week or two. The contracts will be let soon and work will begin on the foundations immediately after.

Morgan Hall

The alterations in Morgan Hall have now been completed at a total expense of $32,000, over 60 per cent of the original cost of the building, the only work left being the finishing of the lower corridor. The alterations are precisely as described in these columns on April 6, and are characterized by complete rearrangement of the partitions, thorough protection

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THE FOOTBALL OUTLOOK

Some Difficulties—About Thirty Candidates

As in the past two years the football season has been inaugurated under conditions somewhat discouraging, but with prospects of soon bettering. The loss by graduation of four strong men of last year's team, Watson, Murray, Eldred and Stocking, leaves four difficult positions to be filled, while two more men who are badly needed may be kept from the game, one by faculty and one by parental objection. Another feature calculated to discourage a coach is the lack of suitable training quarters. The reconstruction work under way in the gymnasium has made it necessary to use the baths and cramped space in South College, limiting the rubbing list to fifteen men.

Last week's squad numbered about thirty. The examinations have kept several men from donning their suits and a few more have not been in shape to begin early practice, so that with the opening of this week it is expected to have a working squad of forty candidates.

On the other hand, the season opens with the introduction of a method of coaching by a graduate coach. Hatch '03, with Morris Ely of Yale, is in charge of the men and has brought with him a spirit of vim which is most encouraging.

Hatch has been here ten days getting preliminary practice started and has been aided for the past few days by two more alumni, Potter '01 and Gutterson '04. Mr. Ely arrived today for a week with the team and will spend in all four weeks in coaching, two of them in October, and one before either the Wesleyan or Amherst game. It is hoped and believed that with the establishing of a graduate system of coaching more of the old Williams players will return to assist the regular coach. Phil Draper has already volunteered to help in this way and will be here in October to work with the team.

The freshman class contains some very good material and there are at least four men who bid fair to clinch regular positions, if their work on the field continues good. Marshall has been unable to get into the scrimmages owing to temporary injuries to his legs and Waters is somewhat handicapped by a broken finger received in baseball. Both men should be in shape before the important games are played.

Kersey,		r t	Marshall.
Davenport.			Alexander
Weston.		r e	Curtis, Blaisdell
Keogh.		q b	Waters
Donovan,		l h b	D. Brown.
Camp.			Bradley
Knight,		r h b	A. Brown, C. Brown
Kieber,		f b	Bates, Robb

Score:—Williams, 26; Williston, 0. Time of halves, 15 and 10 minutes. Touchdowns—D. Brown, 5. Goals—Waters, 1. Referee, Easton of Yale Umpire, Stocking, Williams, '05.

Football Schedule

Sept. 30—Harvard at Cambridge
Oct. 7—Union at Schenectady.
Oct. 11—Mass. Agricultural College at Williamstown.
Oct. 14—Columbia at New York.
Oct. 21—Dartmouth at Hanover.
Oct. 25—Worcester "Tech" at Williamstown.
Oct. 28—R. P. I. at Williamstown.
Nov. 4—Colgate at Albany.
Nov. 11—Wesleyan at Middletown.
Nov. 18—Amherst at Williamstown.

Griswold Captain

Morton Daniel Griswold, 1906, of Wallingford, Conn., has been elected captain of the 'varsity track team for the season of 1906, in place of Robert G. Leavitt 1907 who did not return to college.

three weeks before, to earn money with which to continue his college course, and with a high school classmate, C. Verne Haworth, was engaged in setting up new looms

On the morning of the accident the two were working near a rapidly revolving shaft. Yurkee was wearing a loose jumper which caught in the shafting. Before his friend could reach the engine room the young man was whirled to his death, his body being badly crushed by striking against the ceiling. His clothing and shoes were torn from his body and death was almost instantaneous.

Mt. Anthony Defeated

The golf team played its first match on the fall schedule Saturday afternoon, defeating the Mt. Anthony team at Bennington by a score of 6 to 1, old style scoring. The score:

Williams		Mt. Anthony	
A. Mitchell	2	G. Wellington	0
E. A. Clapp	0	McLeod	1
L. Mitchell	3	Colgate	0
A. Gregory	0	Dr. Chisholm	0
G. Lynde	1	B. Wellington	0
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The last few years have seen large additions to the equipment. West College and Morgan Hall have been rebuilt and improved, South and East Colleges have been made more habitable, Griffin Hall has been converted into a beautiful and serviceable building through the generosity of Mr. Francis Lynde Stetson '67, a central heating plant has been installed, and lastly, a magnificent chapel has been given to the college by Mrs. F. F. Thompson, to be the centre of Williams' religious thought and worship. Both in the class-room and in entrance examinations the aim has been to maintain a high standard of scholarship. Everything seems to point to continued prosperity for Williams.

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Mr. Thompson was a discriminating but generous giver. Only the object that was worthy in his eyes and appealed to his sympathy, obtained his support. Other institutions than Williams were aided by him and his private benefactions were many. His feeling toward Williams can be best expressed in his own words, from a letter written to a classmate: "I made some money in my banking business and promptly gave it away to the college to which I owed the best years of my life." Between 1886 and the year of his death, Mr. Thompson's gifts to Williams averaged $20,000 a year. His first gift was the tower clock of the gymnasium. In 1887 he purchased the Talmadge farm and presented it to the college. The following year came a subscription of one-quarter of the total cost of Hopkins Hall. In 1891, at a cost of $175,000, were erected the three Thompson laboratories. The more important of his other gifts to the college were in the form of frequent subscriptions to



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June 17, 1895

"Dear Dr. Carter:

"I am very sorry to have to ask to be excused from attendance at the meeting of the Board on June 24. Please present my apologies to the members present. You ask my opinion about the compulsory or optional attendance at religious exercises of the college. If the pride and principles of the students were such as to insure their attendance at such times, I would not make it compulsory, but as the whole basis of Williams College has always been its Christian training and its atmosphere of New England religion, I would be decidedly averse to changing that tone.

"In a great populous university like Harvard or Yale, there are so many students that there are always some and enough anxious to go to chapel, without materially altering the tone of the student body, but at a small college like ours, the absence of half or three-quarters of the students, and the possible consequent amount of riding, ball playing and junketing on Sundays, would change the whole reputation of the college, andwe might as well shut up our chapel and join the Nineteenth Century Club.

"A small college like Williams is too much like a family gathering, to be compared with a large university in a great populous city.

"Our village life, and ways, are charms of Williamstown, and I, personally, would be grieved to see a change, which I believe would be for the worse.

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Graves Prize Speaking; Congregational Church at eight p. m.

Sunday, June 18

Baccalaureate Sermon to the graduating class in the Congregational Church, at half-past ten a. m., by President Hopkins.
Prayer Meeting in Mission Park at half-past four p. m., conducted by the Rev. Robert Russell Booth, D. D., LL. D.
Address in the Congregational Church at eight p. m. by the Rev. Washington Gladden, D. D., LL. D.

Monday, June 19

Examinations for admission to college in 10 Hopkins Hall. English, nine a. m.; History, eleven a. m.; Greek, two p. m.
Dramatic Entertainment; Opera House at half-past ten a. m.
Prize Rhetorical Exhibition by members of Junior and Sophomore classes; Congregational Church at half-past seven p. m.
Musical Clubs' concert on the Library Campus at nine p. m.

Tuesday, June 20

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Meeting of the Society of Alumni in the Chapel at ten a. m.
Class Day Exercises at two p. m.
Promenade Concert in Lasell Gymnasium at nine p. m.

Wednesday, June 21

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Dedication of the Thompson Memorial Chapel at half-past ten a. m. Procession will be formed at Griffin Hall.
Presentation of the Gargoyle Gate at Weston Field at two p. m.
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Thursday, June 22

Annual business meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa society in Jesup Hall at half-past nine a. m.

Commencement Exercises in the Congregational Church at eleven a. m. The alumni will join the procession at Jesup Hall at a quarter before eleven.

The Alumni Dinner, for trustees, graduates and invited guests, in Lasell Gymnasium after the exercises in the church.

Inscription on the Wall of the Tower of the Thompson Memorial Chapel

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IT IS TO BE REARED AND IS TO STAND AS A MAJESTIC
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"The Literary Monthly's" year has not been equally successful. Although the chairman was unexceptionable, he was not able to redeem a mediocre board and poor contributions. However, one qualified attainment should be noted; a more satisfactory relation between the board and the manager has been insured for the future, whereby the magazine may appear in better paper, size, etc. It is greatly to be regretted that so little interest has been taken by contributors. That the Lit. has maintained its standard during the year has been due to the unaided efforts of the chairman.

"The Gul.," if it appears on time, will have adhered to the tradition of former years. Its features of special interest are the two alumni contributions which possess literary as well as local value.

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CHARLES W. WHITTLESEY

Religious Interests

THE religious interests of Williams College need vitally the active sympathy of the faculty. The religious culture of the college, the awakening and cultivating of students' religious life, is now left largely in the hands of the Y. M. C. A. From the faculty side there are only two influences at all designed directly to affect the religious spirit of the undergraduates; in the first place there is compulsory chapel, in the second place we have the philosophy courses, the Theism course, and the lectures on the Old Testament. The value of these is not to be disparaged; many a man's heart surely has been uplifted in the chapel worship and many of us have felt the inspiration of the courses I have mentioned. But after all these efforts are insufficient. Human nature, we may well assume, is of the same fibre which made it fifty years ago, and religious interest will never greatly deepen here without the animating co-operation of the faculty.

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In the first game Williams lost to Harvard by four touchdowns, and three days later lost to Massachusetts Agricultural College by two touchdowns in the most poorly contested game of the year. The following Saturday Williams met Columbia and although defeated by sheer weight, the eleven played a fast plucky game.

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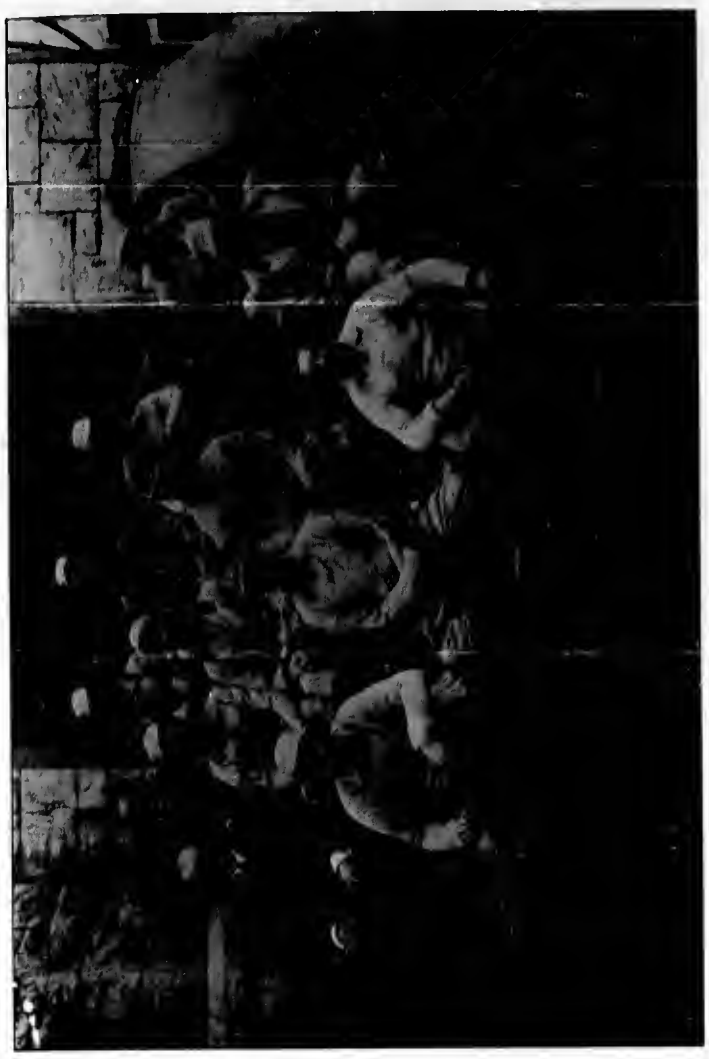
ARTHUR WARD LINCOLN

Baseball

LAST season's baseball schedule was closed under most auspicious circumstances. The 'varsity of 1904 won ten straight victories; among them were both Amherst games, as many from Wesleyan, and one each from Brown, Holy Cross, and Trinity. Only two members of this nine were not back in college this fall, Durfee having graduated and Holmes having left college.

The 1904 schedule had brought the nine against some of the strongest teams of the section, but unfavorable weather prevented games at Providence, New Haven, and Princeton. The team was also hampered in its development by a late spring and the inferior cage at college.

This year a new plan was tried—a southern trip, for the purpose of taking the team where it might have plenty of outdoor work and thus get into condition for the regular season. Two weeks before the squad left, Dowd, the former Boston American player, took the men in hand. Union was easily defeated on the 15th of April and on the 17th the team left for Philadelphia. Pennsylvania and Harvard won in extra innings and Villanova took the game at Atlantic City by a score of 9 to 8. Another eleven inning game, with George Washington University, was called off on account of darkness, with the score 7 to 7, Georgetown won 8 to 5 and Dickinson at Carlisle was lost 8 to 2 on a wet field. The last two games were victories, Lawrenceville 7 to 6 and Brown at Providence 5 to 2.



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Since the southern trip the nine has defeated Dartmouth and Wesleyan, but lost to Amherst. The average of victories and defeats in the other games is about even. The team has been unsteady at times, but has been handicapped in having only one available pitcher. Again rain interfered with the Yale game, scheduled this year at Williamstown.

An attempt has been made to maintain a second diamond on the old campus and to play a 'varsity second team. The schedule for this team is far from an adequate one, but it is hoped that it may be a beginning for a wider development of baseball in the college.

HERBERT BARBER HOWE

Track

IN ATTEMPTING to review the work of the track team for the past season we must admit that it was handicapped seriously. With 1904, graduated some strong track men whose places it was impossible to fill. The team was also extremely unfortunate in the matter of injuries. Furthermore, the freshman class furnished little material with which to build up a new team.

The relay team, weakened by the absence of Griswold, lost to Dartmouth at the B. A. A. games in February, but the New Hampshire college had to make the fastest time of the evening to win by a scant three yards.

The next week the team took part in the Central Y. M. C. A. meet in Troy and won the cup for the greatest number of points secured by any organization. At the same meet it won another cup in the relay race, which was defaulted by Yale.

When outdoor training began, a squad of sixty-five men reported. In the meet which came on May 13th Dartmouth was the winner by a score of 77 to 49 and on the following Saturday at Worcester the best that Williams could get was a tie for fourth place with M. I. T.

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CLARENCE J. GOODWILLIE

Basketball

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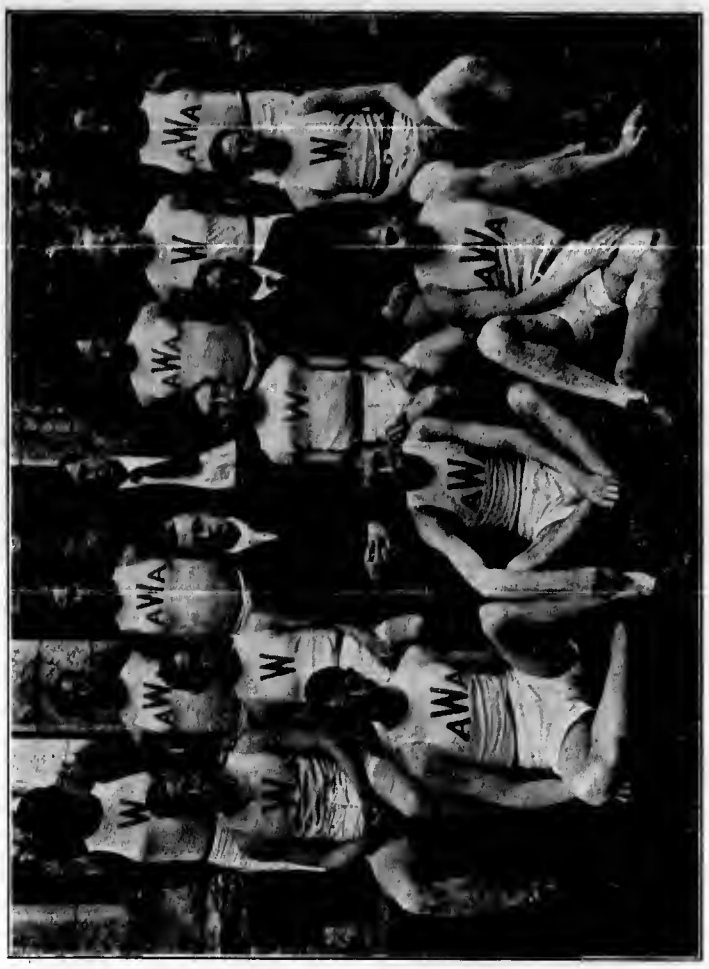
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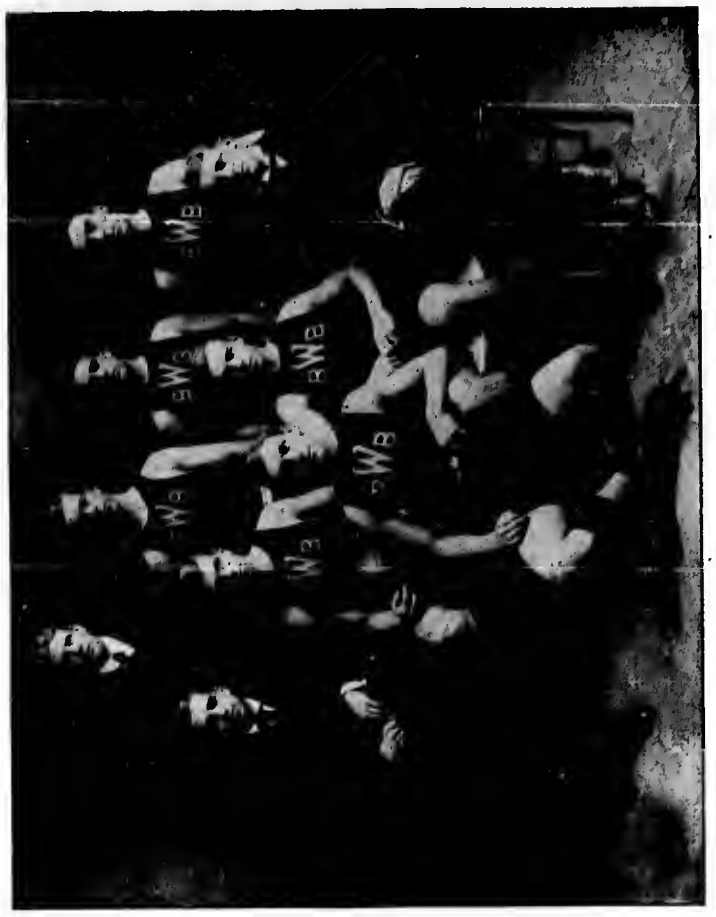
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GEORGE C. APPELL, JR.

Dramatics

THE season of 1904-5 began with a membership of only thirteen, eleven having graduated with 1904. Of this number only four had been cast in previous years. Of the sixty men who tried for the club last fall, nine were chosen, bringing the total membership to twenty-two.

The officers of "Cap and Bells" for the past year were: President, H. L. Everitt 1905; business manager, J. S. Shedden 1905; stage manager, G. B. Davenport 1905; assistant business manager, C. Hills 1906; assistant stage manager, S. C. Wooster, Jr., 1906; executive committee, H. L. Everitt, R. F. Day, B. R. Wellington, J. S. Shedden.

The play chosen for presentation this year was "Capt. Racket," a comedy in three acts by Charles Townsend.

The cast of characters was as follows:

CAPT. ROBERT RACKET—of the National Guards. A lawyer when he has nothing else to do and a liar all the time.....Robert F. Day
OBADIAH DAWSON—His uncle from Japan, "where they make tea".....A. M. Botsford
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HOBSON—A waiter from the "Cafe Gloriana," who adds to the confusion.....Bert F. Parsons
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KATY—A mischievous maid.....Francis R. Bellamy
TOOTSY—The "kid," Tim's olive branch

This is the third season that the club has been under the direction of W. P. Macfarlane, Professor of Elocution, Adelphi College, Brooklyn, N. Y. He has been a most efficient coach. This year a new policy was adopted whereby Mr. Macfarlane remained in Williamstown an entire week giving each man on

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Musical Clubs

THE season of 1904-1905 has been an especially successful one for the musical clubs. At the beginning of the year a constitution and by-laws were drawn up by the association, thus making the clubs for the first time, a definite organization. Mrs. Charles F. Seeley again consented to act as coach for the glee club and whatever success has been gained is due in large measure to her untiring efforts. Although the club felt keenly the loss of J. B. Lord 1905 as soloist, S. R. Pevear 1907 has ably taken his place, and his consistent work has been one of the best features of the concerts.

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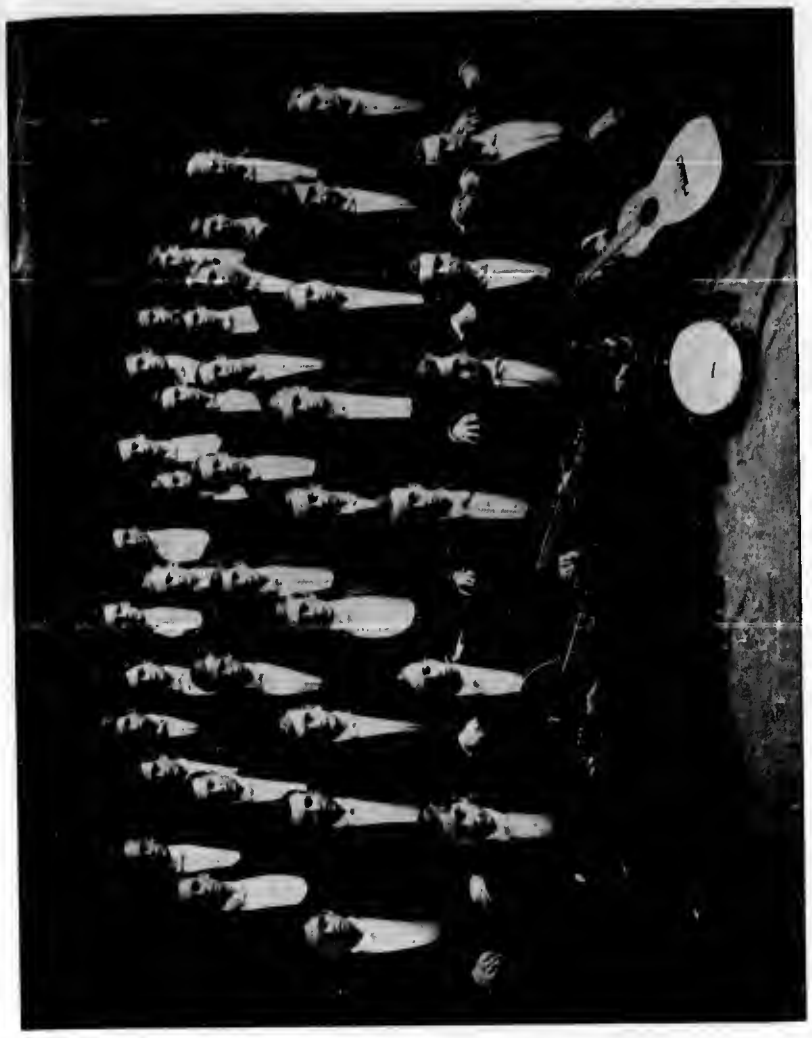
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MORTON D. GRISWOLD.

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Golf is still young at Williams, but everything seems to point to its growth and permanence. The team does not lose a man by graduation this spring and the outlook for next year is exceedingly bright. If a larger association could be formed and only a little more enthusiasm shown, Williams might have a team which would be equal to that of any eastern college.

JOHN BRIGHT LORD

Hockey

THE past hockey season has shown clearly that more men are becoming interested in this branch of college sport every year. Hockey is a game which offers out-of-door exercise to a large number of men, and with proper facilities the game could be played from two to three months in the Williamstown climate. The hockey association has had serious difficulties to meet hitherto in building a rink. No water was available from the town company last winter until after the Christmas vacation, and the method of pumping from the bleachery pond under high pressure, through about eight hundred feet of hose, proved



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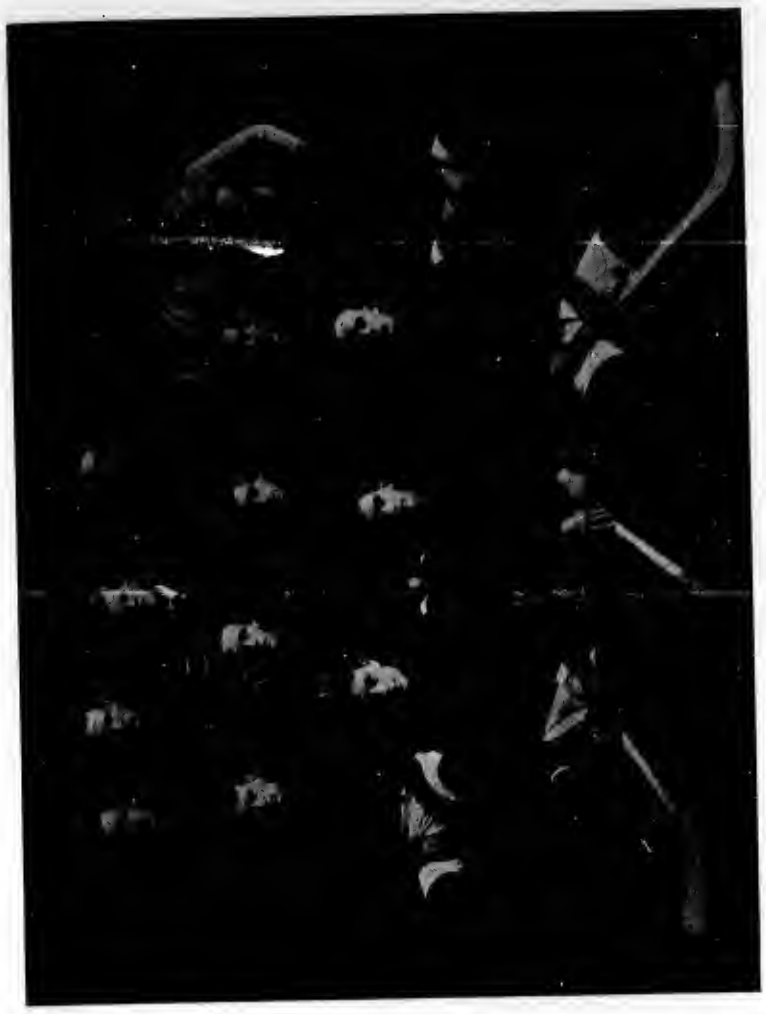
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Williston kicked off and Bixby gained 15 yards. After a succession of rushes, D. Brown carried the ball over for the first score. A repetition of nearly the same tactics again pushed him over for the second, and third touchdowns. Bates failed at the attempts at goal. Again A. M. Brown carried the ball up the field, and D. Brown made the fourth touchdown. Waters kicked goal.

In the second half, Williams scored early in the game and played a punting game until the whistle sounded. D. Brown, Elder and Eldridge were among the best ground-gainers and the new men showed up well. Williams did not lose the ball on downs throughout the game nor did Williston make her distance once.

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At present the society includes the following:

1906—Gale, Little, Lowe, Wilbur.

1907—A. M. Brown, Case, Blagbrough, Stocking, Osborne, McCleary.

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Hatch has been here ten days getting preliminary practice started and has been aided for the past few days by two more alumni, Potter '01 and Gutterson '04. Mr. Ely arrived today for a week with the team and will spend in all four weeks in coaching, two of them in October, and one before either the Wesleyan or Amherst game. It is hoped and believed that with the establishing of a graduate system of coaching more of the old Williams players will return to assist the regular coach. Phil Draper has already volunteered to help in this way and will be here in October to work with the team.

The freshman class contains some very good material and there are at least four men who bid fair to clinch regular positions, if their work on the field continues good. Marshall has been unable to get into the scrimmages owing to temporary injuries to his legs and Waters is somewhat handicapped by a broken finger received in baseball. Both men should be in shape before the important games are played.

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To the Class of 1909

On behalf of the undergraduates, The Record extends a welcome to you and asks you to step in and take a share in the pleasures, responsibilities and work of student life at Williams. It is with more than a natural curiosity that the question is asked this year, "What stuff is the freshman class made of?" The reply for the class of 1909 will be made at the close of your senior year. It will depend upon just one thing: whether or not you have put your shoulder to the wheel for the best good of Williams—in athletics, the superiority of our teams through clean sport and fair play to our opponents, and in other branches purposeful organization, that sets out to accomplish something for the college, and does it.

The four years you will have spent at Williams will be, perhaps, the happiest of your lives. It rests with yourselves whether or not they will be anything more. When Elihu Root left Hamilton to become a lawyer in New York city he refused to be helped by influence, because he "wanted to find out whether he was a man or a worm." The freshman can well bear these words in mind, for he, too, is placed in a position where reliance on himself will bring out the best that is in him. Believing this, if any of you of the class of 1909 are looking for preferment here at Williams, demand your full share in the life of the college and the college honors will take care of themselves.

Yet a word of caution seems necessary. If failures have occurred through disregard of the maxim, "Do it now," and too careful adherence to the shiftless laborer's plan, "not to work any harder than the next man," we believe that in many cases the same result can be accounted for in the attempt to carry too heavy a load. In your relation to undergraduate activities be guided by natural inclination, and above all, decide for yourselves. Don't be led into a schedule of work that cannot be systematized and which will make your existence here a burden rather than a pleasure. Finally, and most important, in giving to your chosen fields of work part of your time and thought, be just to the curriculum. To accept the best and make the most of the courses offered to you is your vocation as a student of the college.

Herbert Paul Yurkee

Again death has come into the ranks of the college and with terrible swiftness taken away one who had much to live for in college and home Herbert Paul Yurkee, of the sophomore class, killed in a mill accident at Adams during the summer, was little known in college, but in the class of 1908 his friends were many and they will remember him as a man whose good will they valued highly. Determined and persevering, a student and a worker, sincere and honorable, Williams could ill afford to lose him.

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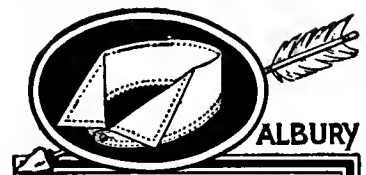
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President Hopkins has stated that the concern is not connected with the college.

Dr. Arthur Latham Perry

Dr. Arthur Latham Perry, one of the foremost authorities of his time on the subject of political economy, and one of the best known of Williams alumni, died at his home in Grace Court on July 9. He was for thirty-nine years a member of the Williams faculty, and was famous throughout the land for his zealous championship of free trade and his clear, logical writings on the science of political economy.

Prof. Perry wss born in Lyme, N. H., February 27, 1830; he prepared for college at Thetford academy, Vermont, and graduated from Williams in the class of 1852. He was called to a tutorship a year after his graduation, and remained on the Williams faculty until his retirement in 1891. After being a tutor for a year he was chosen professor of history and political economy, and to these lines of work he devoted his life. Dr. Perry was the author of several works on political economy, some of them passing through many editions. In 1894 he published "Origins in Williamstown," and a few years later "Williamstown and Williams College." After his retirement from active work Dr. Perry lived at his home in Williamstown. His last publication, "Miscellanies," appeared in 1902 and was dedicated to the members of his class at its semi-centennial reunion.

Tennis Prospects

With two men of last year's tennis team, Smith 1906 and Westcott 1908 still in college, and with added material from the entering class, there is every prospect for a strong team and a successful season.

The championship in singles, open to the college, will begin in about a week. On Monday, October 2, two players will be sent to Philadelphia to represent Williams, in singles and doubles, in the national intercollegiate tournament at the Merion cricket club.

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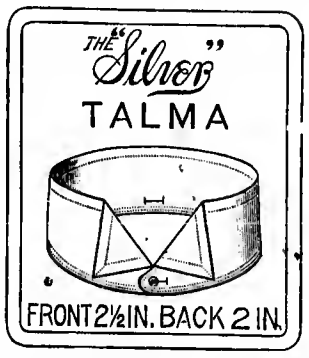
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It is planned to reorganize the associnion Bible study, making a number of classes of about a dozen men each, instead of the class Bible study arrangement which has existed heretofore. In connection with the association work there will be a course of lectures, to begin early in the winter, upon religious topics and subjects of general interest to college men.

The salary of the secretary will be paid by alumni who are at the head of the movement.

COLLEGE NOTES

The following members of the faculty will serve as class officers during the year: 1906—Prof. Rice; 1907—Prof. Spring; 1908—Prof. Goodrich; 1909—Prof. Hewitt.

At the freshman class meeting Thursday evening, C. F. Brown of Montclair, N. J., was elected temporary president to serve for two weeks.

The annual reception tendered by the Y. M. C. A. to the freshman class was held Saturday evening in Jesup Hall. Among the speakers were President Hopkins, Morgan '06, Nomer '06, Curtis '06, Bixby '06 and Pettit '05.

The trials for the chapel choir will be conducted by Mr. Salter this evening and to-morrow evening at 7:30 in the choir room of the new chapel. In order to retain their places, all men who were on the choir last year must be heard.

A change will be instituted this year in the regular gymnasium work required of the freshman class. As long as the weather permits, outdoor track work on Weston field will take the place of the former exercise in the gymnasium. If the experiment proves successful, the outdoor work will be made a regular feature of the coruse..

Among the alumni in town recently were Bacon '98; Potter, Leggett, 1901; Palmer, ex-'02; Houston, Cox, Brown, 1903; Bridgewater, Mitchell, Lamb, Gutterson, Erskine, Hun, 1904; Lincoln, Shedden, Pruyn, Judson, Tourtellot, Appell, McCarty, Leaning, Brown, Miller, Livingston, Mills, Eldred, Whittlesey, Dimon 1905.

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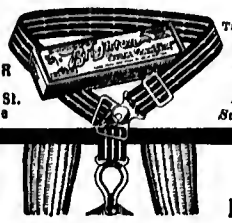


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Directly back of the swimming pool in the space occupied by the old boiler room will be located the shower room, also constructed entirely of white tile. The shower room will have two doors, one from the diving platform, and one from the locker room. The room will contain eight large showers and three private showers.

The main locker room of the basement will be enlarged and re-equipped. Nine feet of the old bowling alley will be used for locker space as well as some of the space formerly occupied by the shower and bath room. 400 new lockers will be provided, of the same size as the 40 steel lockers bought last fall, but of improved style. The lockers will be made of expanded metal, withwire network, and will be fastened with two-number combination locks.

At the back end of the locker room will be placed bath and toilet rooms, with a special rubbing room and appliances for Trainer Barrett. A tile-lined corridor will lead from the locker room to the rear entrance.

Work on the gymnasium was not begun till September 1, owing to the absence of President Henry Lefavour '83, a member of the committee on grounds, buildings and improvements, in Europe. Work is being pushed on the shower room and that will probably be finished by October 1. It is hoped to complete the other improvements including the swimming pool by December 1. The swimming pool and new baseball cage together are the gift of Hon. Eugene Delano '66, and Hon. Francis Lynde Stetson '67 and will cost about $17,000. The other work will be paid for from the regular college funds, and will cost about $6,500. The contract work on this building, as well as on all the other college buildings now being repaired, is in the hands of contractor Perry A. Smedley.

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Each of the doors in the large vestibule opens into a small recitation room, to be used by Prof. Wahl in the German department. The vestibule in the west side of the chapel opens into a somewhat larger room which will be used by Prof. Maxey of the English department. Back of this room is an instructors' office. The lower door opens into a large recitation room, taking up half the length and about two-thirds of the breadth of the building, also to be used by the English department.

Alumni Hall will be made over into a library and reading room for the use of the departments of English and modern languages, similar to the Griffin Hall seminar. The old bell still remains in the tower. The improvements will cost $5,000, and the recitation rooms will be ready for use about November 1.

The Baseball Cage

By October 1 work will begin on the new baseball cage, to be located near the pines by the steam heating plant on the old campus. The cage will be built of brick throughout, with metal skylights, and will be lighted entirely from the roof. The floor space will be 152 feet by 42 feet, and the side walls 20 feet high with a clear height of about 27 feet in the center. The side walls will be hung with nets and the cage will be so arranged that it can be subdivided by nets into four sections 60 feet by 20 feet.

The Infirmary

Upon examining the infirmary in the early summer it was discovered that the building had settled in the center, necessitating the resetting of the fire-places. In addition the walls have been retinted, the floors re-dressed, and the exterior repainted. The repairs will be completed about the first of October.

Other Improvements

Morgan Hall, the old chapel, the gymnasium and the three laboratories have been repointed. Portland cement being used to fill interstices in place of the old mortar. In addition, all chimney caps have been reset. These repairs have cost the college, in all, about $1500.

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Further improvements to the college property have been made on the different houses occupied by the faculty. The Sewall house, formerly occupied by Mr. Lewis, has been moved from its location back of Clark Hall to a position below Mr. Seeley's house, on the road leading to the Netherleigh. The house will be placed on its new foundation this week and will be made ready as soon as possible for the use of Prof. Howes.

The houses on the north side of Main street have nearly all been improved during the summer. The Woodbridge house, on the corner of Main and Park streets, has been remodelled into a two-apartment house, and will be occupied by Asst. Prof. Webster and Mr. Lewis. The Mather homestead, just west, has been entirely changed. The old ell of the house has been taken off and a new ell put on, while the interior is much altered. This house will be occupied about November 1 by Prof. Ferry.

NOTICES

—Candidates for the Banjo Club are asked to report at Jesup Hall at 7:30 to-morrow evening.

—President Hopkins will be in his office, 1 Hopkins Hall, daily from 11 to 12 o'clock.

—All property left in gymnasium lockers at the close of last year can be obtained from Mr. Seeley.

—Until further notice the Dean's office hours will be daily from 11:00 to 12:00 o'clock and on Monday and Thursday from 3:45 to 4:15.

—All members of the President's escort who have not received copies of President Roosevelt's letter can obtain same by applying to the librarian.

—Candidates for the assistant managership of The Record from the class of 1907 will meet in the press room, Jesup Hall, to-morrow evening at 7.30.

—All who wish to enter in the annual Fall Golf Tournament are requested to sign on Board 9, Hopkins Hall. This tournament will be the beginning of the competition for the college team.

—On Wednesday evening at 7:15 there will be a meeting of the Adelphic Union, at which Professor Maxcy will speak, in the auditorium of Jesup Hall. All who are interested in debating are invited to attend. The first regular meetings of the two societies will be held on the following Wednesday.

—The trials for the mandolin club will be held in Jesup Hall at 7:15 on Monday and Tuesday evening Sept. 25th and 26th. The mandolin players will be tried on the first evening. On Tuesday evening trials will be given for the mandola, guitar, violin, and 'cello.

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HUGH BLACK TO PREACH

Famous Scotch Author-Minister will Occupy College Pulpit Sunday

The Rev. Hugh Black, M. A., of Edinburgh, will address the college next Sunday morning. Mr. Black is one of the most distinguished preachers in the united kingdom. He belongs to the United Free Church and is a co-pastor of the great church in Edinburgh known as Free St. George's.

Mr. Black comes to this country as a member of the faculty of the Union theological seminary of New York, to be for three months lecturer in a professorship of Practical Theology, endowed recently by Morris K. Jesup of New York city, the donor of Jesup Hall. His Sundays will be spent in large part preaching in the principal colleges and universities of the east, Williams being the first institution to receive a visit from him.

Mr. Black has sprung into great prominence on both sides of the water in the last five years, not only as a master of pulpit eloquence, but in even larger measure through his sound, thoughtful, philosophical writings. His works are, "The Dream of Youth." "Culture and Restraint," and, most popular of all, the famous essays in his book entitled, "Friendship."

Death of Aged Alumnus

Hon. George Parker Nelson '36, the third oldest alumnus of Williams college, died at his home in New York city, yesterday. Mr. Nelson was born in Peekskill, N. Y. After graduating from Williams, he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1839. From that time until recently he practiced law in New York city, having his office in the old Evening Post building. In 1856 he was appointed Commissioner of Records, to index the indices of all conveyances recorded in the register of New York county, and for some time was a National representative. His brother, Hon. Thomas Nelson '36, survives him.

The Harvard Trip

The football team will leave for the first out-of-town game of the season with Harvard at Cambridge Saturday, on the 11.58 train Friday noon. About 20 men will be taken, with coaches, managers and trainer. The team will stay at the Copley Square in Boston. A notice from the Harvard Union will be found on the editorial page.

INTEREST AROUSED

Succesful Meeting of Adelphic Union—The Speakers

If the success of any meeting is to be mensured by its results, then that of the Adelphic Union meeting held in Jesup Hall last evening was remarkable, for at its close about thirty men signified their intention of joining one or the other of the two debating societies.

Professor Maxey was the first speaker of the evening. Prefacing his remarks by a few words to the entering class, telling them to take up debating either with a determination to persevere, or not at all, he went on to give sound advice to all present on some of the practical sides of a debate. He emphasized the importance of discussing live subjects of local interest, and urged a large regular attendance at meetings in order to enable the speakers to infuse life into their arguments. In closing, he referred to the present crisis in Williams debating and the consequent responsibility which the coming year brings.

H. B. Clark '03 followed with a brilliant extemporaneous speech, recalling his own pleasure secured from debate, and urging all present to support debating here loyally and consistently. Nomer '06, closed the speaking, by referring to the pleasure and profit that can be obtained from debating, and the stimulus afforded by the new league.

1906 CLASS MEETING

Election of Officers — 1908-1909 Ball Game Committee Appointed

At a meeting of the senior class last Monday night the following officers were elected: President, Joseph Earl Perry, Shelburne Falls; vice-president, Henry Dike Bixby, Salem; secretary, Albert Victor Osterhout, Auburn, N. Y.; treasurer, Daniel Francis Gardner, Pownal, Vt. Leslie George Loomis, jr., Victor, N. Y., was elected to the honor system committee.

The president appointed the following committee to take charge of the freshman-sophomore baseball game: Hulst, Wooster, Cowell, Schell, Case, Fitch, Hogan, Griswold, W. H. Curtiss, C. Hills, McAllister, Wakefield. Schell was subsequently elected chairman.

Mrs. Thompson in Williamstown

Mrs. Frederick Ferris Thompson is in town as a guest at the home of President Hopkins, and will probably remain for a few days. Mr. Augustus St. Gaudens was in Williamstown for an hour this forenoon.

CHANGES IN FACULTY

Eleven New Faces on the Teaching Force for 1905-1906

To meet the growing needs of the college, and to extend still further the application of the tutor system, the trustees have increased the number of the faculty for 1905-1906 by seven during the summer. Four men have been lost from last year's teaching force. Dr. George Dwight Kellogg, assistant professor of Latin and Greek, Mr. George T. Northup, instructor in French, and Dr. Charles E. Lyon, instructor in German, have been called to Princeton, and Dr. T H. Clark has completed his year as acting professor of Chemistry, while Prof. Mears was on leave of absence in Europe.

Eleven new names are enrolled this year on the list of the Williams faculty. Dr. George Edwin Howes will be professor in Latin and Greek. Dr. Howes graduated from Harvard in the class of '86, and received degrees of M. A. in 1890 and Ph. D. in 1895 from his alma mater. He comes to Williams from the Greek department of the University of Vermont.

Dr. James Temple Porter, who graduated from Randolph-Macon college in 1895, received the degree of M. A. in 1898 from the same college, and the degree of Ph. D. from Johns Hopkins in 1905. Dr. Porter comes to Williams as instructor in Physics.

Prof. Russell will be assisted in the department of Philosophy by Dr. James Bissett Pratt, a Williams man of the class of 1898. Dr. Pratt received his master's degree from Harvard in 1899, and the degree of Ph. D. from the same college last June.

Two new men have been added to the German department this fall: Dr. Thomas Howard Fowler, who graduated from Washington college (Md.) in '97, receiving his M. A. from the same college in '98, and doctor's degree from Johns Hopkins university: and Mr. Fred Bruns, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin in the class of 1904.

Two men have also been added to the French department: Dr. John Lawrence Gerig, who graduated from the University of Missouri in '98, received the master's degree from the same university in '99, and the degree of Ph. D. from the University of Nebraska in 1902; and Mr. John Arthur Ray, who graduated from Yale in '99 and received the degree of M.

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CALENDAR

THURSDAY, SEPT. 28

7.15 p. m.—1908 class meeting, J. H.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 29

7.15 p. m.—1907 class meeting, J. H.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 30

3.00 p. m.—Harvard-Williams football game, Cambridge.

SUNDAY, OCT. 1

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. The Reverend Hugh Black, M. A., will preach.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Curtiss '06 will lead.

FRATERNITY HOUSES

Many Improvements to Property—Phi Delta Theta

During the summer, the Phi Delta Theta house has been moved 400 feet back from the street, and the foundations of the new chapter house have been commenced. This will be constructed on the site of the old house from plans drawn by Squires & Wynkoop, of New York. The building will be three stories high, is to measure 95 by 40 feet, and will be constructed of brick and stone.

The old building, which is being entirely renovated within, will be ready for occupancy next week, and the work of constructing the new chapter house will be rushed so as to have it completed in May.

Alpha Delta Phi

At the Alpha Delta Phi house the work of reconstruction is not yet completed. The two upper floors have been remodelled, a large bay window has been put in the dining room, the hallway has been redecorated, and the house wired for electricity.

A one-and-a-half story addition of brick at the rear is now in process of construction. A new entrance of stone is also being constructed, with monolith columns of Indiana limestone. Jerome K. Allen, '95, is the architect, and the work will be entirely completed by the middle of November.

Delta Psi

The extensive improvements to St. Anthony Hall have been completed during the summer months and the entire house is now ready for occupancy. The addition at the south-west side of the hall is of stone and includes a large library, four studies, nine bedrooms and three bathrooms. The building has been wired for electricity.

The number of students registered in college, by information obtained this noon, totaled 440, distributed as follows: 1906, 77; 1907, 108; 1908, 104; 1909, 151.

A meeting of the Lit. board will be held Monday evening, Oct 2.

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The Record is in receipt of a letter from the secretary of the Harvard Union, extending its privileges to all Williams men on Saturday, September 30, the day of the Harvard-Williams football game.

The Financial End

The attention of the undergraduates should be called to the fact that the football association is in need this year of the strongest financial support they can give. Beginning the season with no prospect of a revenue from the Dartmouth game at Newton Center, the necessity of increased expenditures for athletic supplies, and a smaller college body than last year from which to draw subscriptions, it can readily be seen that a loyal response is needed from the man on the side-lines.

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Bible Study Announcement

The Bible study department of the college Christian association will this year be organized on a different basis from heretofore. Instead of a single Bible study class for each college class, it is purposed to form numerous small groups of about eight men each. Some of these groups will be led by undergraduates and some, it is expected, by members of the faculty; they will meet at the time most convenient for the men in each group. Each class will study that part of the Bible in which its members are most interested. A canvass of the entire college is to be made on this subject and it is hoped that the Bible study work of the Christian association may thus become wide-spread and useful.

The Baseball Report

The report of the baseball management appears in this issue and shows a balance of $414.10 paid to the graduate treasurer. It is said that the manager who makes money on his season too often does so at the expense of stinting the expenditures necessary for the maintenance of a successful team. We believe that it is not the duty, nor should it be the chief aim, of a college athletic management to report a large balance. The endeavor should be, rather, to expend the funds of the association in two ways. In the first place, the effort should be made to schedule a list of strong games, with a fair proportion of them at home. In the second place, the management should endeavor to stimulate interest in its particular branch of athletics, for the greater benefit of the student-body.

From this point of view, the baseball team of 1905 has been most satisfactorily managed, and its manager deserves the highest commendation. He has accomplished both objects. The schedule, including a trip of seven games with the strongest college teams of the south, requires no comment. The second team, while financially a loss, was both valuable for 'varsity substitutes and in training new men, and was the means of offering wider participation in baseball to the students of the college. The balance reported is therefore gratifying, because it is evidently incidental. As a comparison with previous reports will show, the season was conducted on a larger scale than ever before, and, everything considered, it was most admirably done.

There is no intention of overlooking the fact that the amount expended for coaching was about $350 less than in 1904. It is a circumstance which, we believe, had no connection with the loss of eleven games last spring. The real reason for this was evident from the beginning—only one available pitcher to meet a schedule of hard games.

At the trials held Tuesday night, the following men were given places in the provisional make-up of the mandolin club: First mandolins, Botsford, Cowperthwaite, Hoyt, Peters 1906, Cole 1907; second mandolins, Gregory, Keith 1907, Leland 1906, Kohn 1908, Noble, Johnston 1909; guitars, C. Hills, Robbins 1906, Sayre, Geer 1907; 'cello, Sternberger 1907; violin, Thompson 1908.

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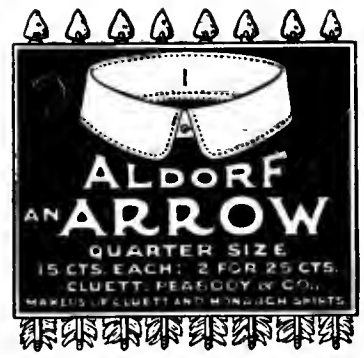
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COLLEGE NOTES

G. Horrax has been appointed captain of the freshman class team for the freshman-sophomore meet.

D. W. Phelps ex-1908, who is taking up a course of architecture at M. I. T., was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Paul Potter 1901, who has been assisting in the coaching of the football squad for the past two weeks, left town Tuesday.

The following men have been chosen to compose the banjo club: Gale '06, Smith '07, Mygatt '08, Swain '09, Fowler '09, Rogers '09.

The training table was started at the Cosmo Tuesday evening with Bixby 1906, D. Brown, Waters, Elder, Marshall, 1908.

Gates '06 is instructing in physics and Wakefield '06 in French at the Williamstown high school, and Stanley '07 is teaching Latin and Greek at the Hoosac school.

Mr. M. C. Bates 1904, who has been the college student librarian for the past year, left Tuesday for Cambridge, where he will take up advanced English work at Harvard.

The senior committee of arrangements for the sophomore-freshman baseball game has selected Wednesday, October 4, as the date for the game.

At a meeting of the freshman class held Wednesday evening in Jesup Hall, G. R. Jenkins, 2d, was elected manager of the class football team.

The first of a series of cross-country runs was held Tuesday afternoon, starting from the gymnasium. About ten men participated. A second run took place Wednesday.

Mr. C. K. B. Nevin, supervising architect of the Thompson Memorial Chapel, announces that the additional lights for the nave of the chapel will be installed early next week. Two hundred 16 candle-power frosted globes will be used in belt fixtures above the caps of the pillars.

Mathematicians Meet

The twelfth summer meeting of the American mathematical society was held at Williamstown from September 7 to 9. About thirty members of the society were present. On Thursday and Friday meetings were held in the lecture room of the Biological Laboratory. Professor Frank Morley of Johns Hopkins university presided at the two sessions Thursday, when eleven papers on mathematical subjects were read by college professors from various universities. Dr. Ferry presided at the sessions on Friday, when ten more papers were read. On Saturday the college entertained the mathematicians in an outing among the Berkshires, the party driving over Berlin pass, and walking back to Williamstown over Kidder pass to the southward.

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A., from the snme university in 1903.

Mr. Paul Capron comes from Dummer academy at South Byfield, where he taught the past year, to join the mathematics department. Mr. Capron is a graduate from Harvard of the class of '96, and has also received the degree of M. A. from the same college.

Dr. Theodore E. Collier, a graduate from Hamilton in the class of '94, received his M. A. in '97. Dr. Collier graduated from Union theological seminary in '02 and comes with the rank of instructor in history.

Mr. Summer Salter, Amherst '77, will be organist of the chapel, and director of music in the college.

John Bright Lord and Raymond Eugene Cook, Williams 1905, have been appointed as assistants in government and history respectively.

Death of John M. Harts, Ex-1905

John Manning Harts. for two years a member of the class of 1905, was instantly killed by a train about two miles north of Lincoln, Ill., on Friday, Sept. 22. Harts was doing surveying work on the Chicago and Alton railway, and at the time of the accident was riding on a small railroad-track motor bicycle.

NOTICES

—All contributions for the October Lit. must be handed to a member of the board before 6 p. m. next Monday.

—The regulations governing the competition for the business managership of the Literary Monthly have been posted on Board 9, Hopkins Hall.

—The first meetings of the regular class prayer meetings will be held in the class rooms in Jesup Hall on Friday evening, Oct. 6. Further announcement will be made of the leaders and of the topic.

—Cap and Bells trials will take place Wednesday, October 4, in the assembly room of Jesup Hall. Seniors, juniors and sophomores will be tried at that time. Trials for the freshman candidates will take place Oct. 6. Parts may be had from Botsford at the Delta Kappa Epsilon house.

Fleischmann '06 had his left arm broken by a fall on Weston Field yesterday afternoon, caused by tripping over a rope.

The following men are to compose the football squad: Bixby, Blaisdell, Campbell, Loomis 1906. Bates, A. M. Brown, Cramer, Hoyne, Jaeckel, Johnson, Russell 1907, Bradley, D. Brown, Curtis, Elder, Eldridge, Marshall, Waters 1908, Brady, C. Brown, Harter, Robb 1909.

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Athletic supplies,		32.56
Gate receipts,		1953.58
Loan from graduate treasurer, etc.,		325.00
Guarantees,		1242.50
Subscriptions,		
Class of 1905,	$191.75	
Class of 1906,	237.50	
Class of 1907,	407.25	
Class of 1908,	646.00	
Miscellaneous,	110.50	
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Trainer and care of field,		62.62
Training table,		416.51
Rebates,		61.59
Total,		$5886.29

EXPENDITURES.

Advertising,		76.14
Athletic supplies,		
'Varsity,	$355.20	
2d team,	98.16	
		453.36
Coaching,		292.25
Gate receipts pd. to Amherst, etc.,		168.50
Graduate treasurer, for salaries, etc.,		258.32
Guarantees,		
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2d team,	259.00	
		914.00
Travelling expenses, hotels, etc.,		1810.61
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Police,		28.50
Trainer and care of field,		230.86
Trainer's supplies,		59.33
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Miscellaneous loans, etc.,		333.72
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Subscriptions,	272.55
Sale of R. R. tickets,	.70
Total,	$281.25

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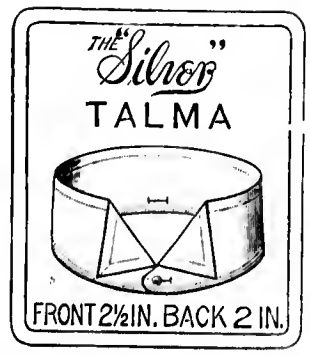
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At Amherst

Amherst started with a squad of fifteen men and has been adding to it since. The eleven will be strengthened by the return of two members of the 1903 team but will probably be inferior to the team which met Williams last year.

Wesleyan's Football Prospects

The prospects for a successful football season at Wesleyan are brighter this year than ever before in the history of the college.

All of last year's team are back except Capt. Eyster and among the new material may be mentioned Seeley, a 205 pound freshman, Hampson and Frank Reiter, formerly of Princeton, and West, who played last year on Exeter.

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A GOOD SHOWING

Harvard Scores Twice Against Williams at Cambridge

The football eleven more than fulfilled expectations at Cambridge Saturday by holding Harvard down to 12 points in 25 minutes of actual play, the smallest score since 1902. As usual at Cambridge, Williams' offense showed up relatively better than the defense. The backs showed speed and united action, making several first downs in each half, once getting within 19 yards of the Crimson's goal. A. Brown proved particularly effective in this department and Capt. Bixby also played his position well.

On the defense the centre of the line held well, and the 'varsity ends were not circled but once. Just outside tackle, however, proved the weak point, the heavy plunging backs of the Crimson making good gains there. The most encouraging feature was the alertness of the team to take advantage of Harvard's misplays, a touchdown being saved in each half by the Purple's quickness to secure the ball after Harvard fumbles. The best individual work on the Williams team was done by Waters, who used good judgment in selecting his plays and was strong on the defense.

Harvard kicked off to Bates, who ran the ball in 20 yards. Williams made two first downs, A. Brown carrying the ball, before surrendering it to Harvard by a fumble on the 38-yard line. From this point Harvard scored after nine rushes, Foster making the last seven yards outside left tackle. White kicked goal. Harvard's second touchdown was scored in much the same way on tackle plunges, Williams stiffening momentarily on the 3-yard line. Wendell made the touchdown and White again kicked goal.

After Harvard's next kick-off A. Brown made the most brilliant run of the day for Williams, 23 yards around the Crimson's right end. Waters was soon forced to punt but Harvard fumbled and Elder fell on the ball on Harvard's 33-yard line. A. Brown and D. Brown took the ball 14 yards further, only to lose it on downs again. The half ended soon after with the ball in Williams' possession in the center of the field.

In the second half Harvard, playing a kicking game, punted immediately after the kick-off, but Williams was penalized and forced to punt. Harvard

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GENERAL CATALOGUE

1905 Volume will Appear About Oct. 9—2340 Living Alumni

The General Catalogue of Williams College for 1905, the thirty-first of a series of general catalogues of the college, will appear about October 9. The Rev. Charles H. Burr, librarian of the college, editor of the last catalogue, published in 1900, is again the editor and has been at work on the 1905 volume since last January. The edition will be limited to 1500, 100 of which will be bound in purple cloth.

The first catalogue, in Latin, appeared in 1799 and was followed by Latin editions at periods of three years, until 1874. Since that date it has appeared every five years. The 1905 volume contains 231 pages, against 171 in 1900, and comes from the press of T. R. Marvin and Son, printers, of Boston, who have had charge of the catalogue since 1847. The printing was done under the supervision of William T. Marvin, '54.

The information in this article was obtained from advance sheets, through the courtesy of Mr. Burr. An appreciative criticism of his work will appear in Thursday's issue of The Record.

Including 1905 the total number of alumni is 4240; reported as deceased, an even 1900; supposed to be living 2340; clergymen 941, reported as deceased 564, supposed to be living 377; lawyers 789, reported as deceased 329, supposed to be living 460; physicians 390, reported as deceased 195, supposed to be living 195; teachers 383, reported as deceased 251, supposed to be living 132; United States military service 226, reported as deceased 153, living 73; foreign missionaries 62, deceased 44, living 18.

The holders of honorary degrees, not otherwise graduates of Williams college, number 445, of whom 136 are reported living. This brings the total number, both alumni and honorary, to 4685.

"Phil" Draper to Coach

Mr. Ely has gone to New York city for a week, and Mr. Phillip Draper will arrive in Williamstown today or tomorrow to carry on his work during his absence. Mr. Ely will return after the Union game Oct. 7, and will remain all of the next week. After his departure Burr Chamberlain of Yale, All American tackle during '97 and '98 will coach the teamassisted by Lytle, Princeton's end during the middle nineties.

THE CLASS OF 1905

Whereabouts and Doings of Members of Last Year's Class

Appell is at his home in Mt. Vernon, N. Y. He has not as yet chosen his field of work.

Ayers is in the senior class at Williams.

Belding is biologist for the Massachusetts fish and game commission with headquarters at Boston, his work taking him to various points up and down the coast.

Belknap is attending Albany law school.

Boland is in the employ of the General Electric Co., at its offices in New York city.

Boutelle is teaching latin in the Williamstown high school.

Brown is taking a course in electro-chemical engineering at M. I. T.

Buffum is attending Rush medical college, Chicago.

Chace is in the bond business in Providence.

Cheydleur is in the French department at Peekskill Military academy, Peekskill, N. Y.

Cole is employed in the office of the general superintendent of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co., 15 Dey St., New York.

Cook is assistant in history at Williams.

Copping is instructor in mathematics at Mt. Hermon school, Mass.

Crooker is in the employ of Henry W. Peabody & Co., manufacturers, State St., New York city.

Davenport is with the Central Union Telephone Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

Day is studying at Williams.

Dayton is employed in the United States secret service at Washington.

Dimon is in the medical department of Johns Hopkins university.

Eastman is secretary for Dr. John H. Denison, '62, in Williamstown.

Edwards is employed by B. Marks, jeweler, Troy, N. Y.

Egerton is studying at the Albany medical college.

Eldred is principal of grammar school No. 5 in Troy.

Everitt is at Union Theological seminary, New York city.

Fulton is attending the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York city.

Goldin is foreman in his father's brick business at Catskill, N. Y.

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CALENDAR

TUESDAY, OCT. 3.

7.15 p. m.—Meeting of candidates for The Record Board, 15 J. H.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 4.

3.00 p. m.—Sophomore-Freshman base ball game, Weston Field.

7.15 p. m.—Meeting of the Adelphic Union, debating halls, S. C.

7.30 p. m.—Trials of all candidates, except freshmen, for Cap and Bells, J. H.

THURSDAY, OCT. 5.

7.30 p. m.—Meeting of the Lit Board.

AT HAVERFORD

Intercollegiate Tennis Contest—Linen of Williams Defeated

(Special to the Record)

Haverford, Pa., Oct. 2, 1905

The twenty-fourth annual tournament of the national intercollegiate tennis association began this morning in the courts of the Merion Cricket club at Haverford, Pa. Teams from eight colleges are entered: Columbia, Cornell, Harvard, Haverford, Pennsylvania, Princeton, Yale and Williams.

Among the strongest individual players entered are Robert Le Roy of Columbia, Karl Behr of Yale, and E. B. Dewhurst of Pennsylvania. Smith '06 and Linen '07 are representing Williams in singles and doubles.

In the opening play this morning Thompson of Princeton defeated Linen of Williams 6—1, 6—2.

Hockey Prospects

The hockey association has promises of a very successful season this year. With most of last year's team in college and much good material in the freshman class prospects are bright. Manager Schell has already arranged for a game with Brown. Work will be begun soon on the uncompleted hockey rink on Weston field.

Mr. Black at Y. M. C. A.

Rev. Hugh Black spoke to the Y. M. C. A. in Jesup Hall last evening on the subject of Decision of Character. His remarks were delivered in an unusually earnest and convincing manner. The meeting was well attended.

New Art Editor for Gul.

Harry Cleveland Blagbrough of Orange, Mass., has been elected an art editor of the 1907 Gul., to take the place of Hotaling who has not returned to college.

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Record candidates meet in 15 Jesup Hall at 7:15 p. m. tomorrow.

The Football Team

The work of the football team thus far should be a source of satisfaction to the college. A large squad, a hard-working captain and a splendid system of coaching intelligently and energetically directed—these are the factors that have given Williams so good a start.

The coaching of last year is evident in the games and in practice, and is producing its best results now. The defeat of an inexperienced team by a large score makes possible no judgment of the eleven's strength. In holding the Crimson to two touchdowns, however, with no score in the last half, Williams has given a sample of the football it can play against a real team. The horizon is clearer, and the well arranged schedule has possibilities.

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The Track Report

In the track report for 1905, published in these columns today, is revealed a wise and not too conservative disposal of the funds of the association. It is impossible to do justice to a management from its printed report. On the expenditure side for example, there may be figures which at first indicate extravagance, but are in reality unavoidable. Nevertheless, a careful comparison with recent reports is of some value.

The sum expended on athletic supplies last spring exceeds by a considerable amount that of any previous year. Such expenditure gives evidence that the manager fully realized that he, as well as the captain, could do his share in making the best team out of the material offered. While the subscription from the college was greater than in 1904 and in 1903, it only slightly exceeded that in 1902. On the other hand the expenditures evidently necessary were larger than ever before.

Track has never been a paying branch of athletics. Practically no money has been made in the four years prervious to 1905 The balance reported this year is $312.91. The management has taken care of the team in a most satisfactory manner, and is to be congratulated on closing the season with so large a surplus. In the last issue we commented on the baseball management, successful for two reasons. The same may be applied to the track association, but more particularly the latter.

There can be no question that the last management increased the interest in track athletics, and in fact gave to that branch a more prominent place at Williams than it has ever held.

Football finished the season with a balance of $800, baseball $400 and track $300. The questions which naturally arise are: what use does the athletic council intend to make of this money? What need is there of undergraduate subscription to the support of these three organizations when their funds are not expended? In the next issue we shall attempt to give an answer to both, and show that the surplus is being saved for a purpose that would in itself be sufficient to warrant additional subscription on the part of the undergraduates—certainly sufficient to demand an equal to that of last year.

Record Competition

Competition for The Record begins Thursday, when the candidates will receive their first assignments. To the sophomore or freshman who wishes to take a share in the life of the college, and do a part of the work, we offer something that is practical. The training received in covering an assignment is of no small value to the candidate. He learns how to write quickly and to describe an event in as few words as possible. Such ability to state the facts clearly and briefly is an asset worth having, in business or in journalism.

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Gate receipts,		165.25
Graduate treasurer,		48.78
Guarantees,		116.32
League charges,		45.57
Score cards,		31.60
Subscriptions,		
Class of 1905,	$140.90	
Class of 1906,	157.50	
Class of 1907,	331.25	
Class of 1908,	525.75	
Miscellaneous,	3.00	
		1158.40
Training table,		109.00
Traveling expenses,		34.77
W. C. I. A. A.,		59.75
Thompson course entertainments,		179.79
Total,		$2103.48

EXPENDITURES.

Advertising,	$10.00
Athletic supplies,	473.23
Graduate treasurer, salaries advanced,	233.34
Guarantees,	225.00
League charges,	31.25
Livery,	21.50
Stationery, postage, etc.,	19.78
Score cards,	25.00
Trainer and care of field,	123.13
Training table,	172.40
Traveling expenses,	399.36
Officials,	43.00
Express charges,	7.60
W. C. I. A. A.,	2.00
Miscellaneous,	4.00
Balance paid graduate treasurer,	312.91
Total,	$2103.48

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Sophomore Elections

At a meeting of the sophomore class held Thursday evening, the following officers were elected for the year: President, Downing Potter Brown of Portland, Me.; vice-president, Albert Clinton Griswold of Wethersfield, Conn.; secretary, James Henry Knight of Chicago, Ill.; treasurer, Clyde Merleton Waters of Oberlin, Ohio. A committee was appointed to draw up resolutions on the death of Herbert Paul Yurkee of Adams. B. P. Allen was elected captain of the track team for the sophomore-freshman meet. James Atkins Ballard of East Orange, N. J. was chosen a member of the honor system committee.

—Mr. Salter will meet the following men for second trials for the college choir in the chapel this evening at 7:30: L. H. Andrews, 1906; C. B. Stewart, Cole, Cramer, Brockway, 1907; Groben, Stower, Cole, Nelson, 1908; Strong, Atwater, Matz and E. F. Rogers, 1909.

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rushed the ball to Williams' 12-yard line, but lost on a fumble. Williams punted, but Harvard's return kick was cleverly blocked by Capt. Bixby. During the rest of the half the ball see-sawed up and down the field, a 35-yard run by Nesmith placing the pigskin dangerously near Williams' goal just before time was called.

The line-up and summary:

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Curtis, Blaisdell,	re	le, O'Brien, Graw
Marshall,	rt	lt, Brill
Eldridge,	rg	lg, McFadon
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Harter,	lg	rg, Peirce
Bixby,	lt	rt, Squires
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Waters,	fb	Newhall, Quigley
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Bates, Robb,	fb,	Hanley, Boyd

Score, Harvard 12, Williams 0. Touchdowns, Foster, Wendell. Goals from touchdowns, White 2. Referee, Mr. T. P. O'Connell. Umpire, Mr. R. Brown. Linesmen, Burr, Harvard; Lincoln '05, Williams. Timekeeper, S. A. Wood. Time, 15 and 10-minute halves.

OBITUARIES

'51—Dr. Thomas Gilfillan died at his home in Northampton, Mass., on Sept. 9, at the age of seventy-six. Dr. Gilfillan, after leaving Williams, graduated from the Berkshire medical school of Pittsfield in 1855; during the Civil war he was assistant surgeon of the 46th and 59th Massachusetts regiments. After his retirement from army service in 1864, Dr. Gilfillan practiced medicine in Northampton until his death.

Ex-'55—Solomon T. Buckley, for two years a member of the class of '55, died after a short illness at Gloucester on Sept. 11. Leaving college in 1853, he was engaged in business at Rock Island, Ill., until 1859. When the Civil war broke out, he became war correspondent for the New York Herald with which paper he continued until 1868. From then until his death he was engaged in business in New York.

'84—Charles Wells Wood, secretary of the Syracuse chamber of commerce, and for many years prominent in the mercantile life of that city, died of peritonitis on July 4. He was born in Syracuse on July 15, 1860, and entered Syracuse university in 1880, leaving there at the end of his sophomore year to enter Williams. After graduation he carried on his father's sporting goods business in Syracuse, retiring in 1898.

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COLLEGE NOTES

The first class prayer meetings which were to have been held last Friday have been postponed until Friday, Oct. 6.

Twelve men participated in a cross-country run held Saturday afternoon. The course covered about five miles.

A baseball team from 1907 defeated one from 1908 on Weston field Saturday afternoon, by the score of 1—0. Six innings were played.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Margaret Louise Mitchell of New York city to Dr. Lorande Loss Woodruff, instructor in biology.

Ayers and Day, 1905 have returned to college in the class of 1906. Linen and Jaeckel, 1906, Parsons, 1907, and Bargfrede, 1908 have entered college again after a year's absence.

The French department has introduced an innovation by securing a large graphophone and records to give an opportunity to hear the language as spoken by famous French actors and lecturers.

Communication with the registrar of Dartmouth college shows that the newspaper reports that Leavitt ex-1907, captain of the track team for 1906, had entered that institution, were absolutely without foundation.

Among the alumni in town recently were Richards '87, Sherry '98, Marvin '01, Rutter '01, Pumpelly '02, Callan '03, S. H. Cox '03, Goodbody '04, Johnson '04, Jayne '04, Hill '04, Hanford '05, Chace '05, Burdell ex-'06, Wells ex-'07, Smith ex-'07.

The following men composed the football squad for the Harvard game: Bates, Bixby, Blaisdell, Campbell, 1906; Bradley, A. M. Brown, Hill, Johnson, Jaeckel, Russell, 1907; D. Brown, Elder, Eldridge, Marshall, Curtis, Waters, 1908; C. Brown, Harter, Robb, 1909.

The following men from the classes of 1907 and 1908 are not registered in the college this year: 1907, Feeny, MacEwan, Moffett, Ronan, Temple, Welch, Westervelt, Williams, Leavitt, McLellan, A. C. Combes; 1908, Bellamy, Hotaling, Crombie, Holmes, Bonham, King, Knowles, Miner, Ogsbury, Phelps, Rockwell, Rogers, Waterworth, Stetson, Taube, Speyer, Wehle, T. D. Williams and Wood.

NOTICES

—The meeting of the Lit. Board which was to have been held this evening, has been postponed until Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

—Unless announced otherwise on the bulletin board in Hopkins hall, the sophomore-freshman baseball game will be held Wednesday afternoon. The parade will form at the gymnasium at 2:15. Freshmen will report there at 2:00.

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All men who think of the future are influenced by a desire to leave a good name behind them and this desire is a strong, legitimate motive. The only thing that really counts, when we view our memory in the light of eternity, is our character. The memory of a good man is blessed, the memory of a bad man infamous.

Poet, warrior, artist and statesman are all succeeded by others. There is no immortality of fame, for there are ever new brows for the laurel wreaths. The immortality of influence, however, is real, leading to the immortality of memory.

We cannot believe that all wealth of grace and character have passed from us. There are two societies, of the noble living, and of the noble dead; nay, one great society, one communion of the saints. We might well keep All Saints' day, when we gather to think of the memory of the just. It gives us an inspiration that we are not alone, are not exceptional in our struggle, our sorrow and joy, but come in a great succession. Amid all the ambitions of the world, what higher ambition can there be than to be a link in the golden chain of testimony which binds the ages together, than to secure the inheritance of the good part of the life of every man who came into the world? Truly those who partake of this very influence of Christ are blest with the memory of the just. Blessed are they who die as they live in the Lord, whose good works follow after them.

Junior Officers

At a meeting of the junior class held in Jesup hall Friday evening, the following class officers were elected for the coming year: President, Reginald Davis Johnson of Pasadena, Cal.; vice president, Kenneth Stackpole Domett of Boston; secretary, John Joseph Butler, jr., of Worcester; treasurer, Montague Brown of Portland, Me. William Mansfield Clark of Salisbury, Conn., was elected to the honor system committee. A gnl. tax of $2.00 was voted assessed upon each member of the class.

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'81—Rev. Austin B. Bassett has resigned the pastorate of the East Congregational church in Ware to become secretary and professor of Experimental Religion at Hartford Theological seminary.

'91—Dr. Frederick C. Ferry, dean of Williams college, was married on Aug. 2, at New Britain, Conn., to Miss Anna Chamberlain, daughter of the late Judge Valentine B. Chamberlain Rev. F. T. Clayton of Williamstown, Prof. Cleland, Prof. Hardy and Dr. Lyon were among the ushers, and the best man was the groom's brother, Perley G. Ferry.

'98—Wm. Howard Doughty, jr., of Williamstown was married Wednesday at the Rutgers Presbyterian church, New York city, to Miss Lydia Sanford Vail, the daughter of Rev. Dr. Richard Philip Hart Vail '64. The ceremony was performed by the father of the bride, assisted by Rev. Dr. Robert Mackenzie. The best man was E. Crosby Doughty '99, and the ushers were Lewis Perry '98, Robbins Gilman '99, Richard H. Doughty '03, and Ralston Doughty, of Williamstown.

1901—William Rooney, of Ballston, N. Y., the Williams sprinter of five years ago, was married on Wednesday evening, Sept. 6, to Miss Annabel Cole, of Ballston Spa. The ceremony took place in the First Baptist church of that town, and was well attended. Mr. and Mrs. Rooney will reside in Ballston, where Mr. Rooney practices law.

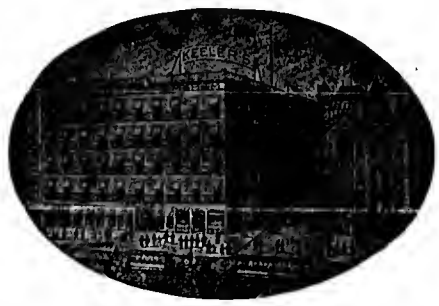
1901—William H. Timbie was married on August 23, to Miss Florence E. Hill, at the home of the bride in Pittsfield. Mr. Timbie is an instructor in Pratt institute, Brooklyn.

1902—Edward R. Clark and Miss Isabelle Frances Mott were married on June 27, at North Scituate.

Ex'04—The marriage of Miss Katherine Bond Sykes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Sykes, and Marcus Clinton Mason, a former member of the class of 1904, took place in the Congregational church at North Adams, Monday evening, Sept. 11. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Busfield, pastor of the church. Edward N. Chase 1904 was best man, and among the ushers were George L. Taylor 1903, Herbert B. Clark 1903, Alvin C. Bacon 1904, and Edwin F. Gibbs 1904. Mr. Mason is in the manufacturing business at Carthage N. Y.

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PRESIDENTS WILL MEET

Annual Conference of Colleges in Williamstown Nov. 2 and 3

The forty-ninth annual meeting of the New England college association will be held in Williamstown Thursday and Friday, November 2 and 3. The New England college association has for its purpose the discussion of college problems of all natures, each college being free to suggest any question for discussion. Some two weeks before the meeting the questions suggested will be mailed to the different colleges and at the conference any delegate can bring up any of these questions he chooses.

The association is composed wholly of men's colleges and has fourteen members, Harvard, Yale, Brown, Williams, Amherst, Trinity, Wesleyan, Dartmouth, Tufts, Boston university, Bowdoin, Clark university, the University of Vermont, and Middlebury college. Each college will be represented by its president and one other delegate appointed by its faculty. Thus President Eliot of Harvard, President Hadley of Yale, Presidents Tucker of Dartmouth, Faunce of Brown, and Hyde of Bowdoin will probably be in Williamstown on those dates. Last year's meeting, at which Williams was represented by President Hopkins and Prof. Morton, was held at Providence. Further definite information as to delegates, arrangements for meeting, subjects for discussion, etc., will be given out in about two weeks.

The Union Game

Williams will play its second out-of-town game with Union at Schenectady Saturday afternoon at 3.30. About eighteen men will be taken, exclusive of managers, coaches and trainer. The officials will be as follows: Referee, Easton of Yale; umpire, Van Fine of Trinity; head linesman, Dorticos of U. of M.

Seats will be reserved at Schenectady for all students who wish to attend the game. Tickets can be obtained on the field. By leaving Williamstown at 12.10, trolley connection can be made at Troy in time to reach Schenectady before the game. Returning, a train leaves Schenectady at 6.05, connecting at Troy at 7.15 with the train reaching Williamstown at 8.50.

1905—Henry W. Mellen and Miss Elise Downs of Boston were married at noon Tuesday, at Trinity church, Boston.

REVIEW OF CATALOGUE

Comparison with Previous Editions by Prof. Spring

The General Catalogue of the college for 1905—advance sheets of which have come to hand—is by far the fullest and most accurate edition of this important publication that has yet appeared. The Williams public is under great obligations to the editor, Mr. Burr, for the unstinted and successful labor which he has expended upon it. Few who have not attempted work of this sort realize the amount of research and enquiry which it involves. The material which must be obtained is widely dispersed. Class reports, newspaper files, catalogues, obituary records, public documents, biographical dictionaries, and the various student publications since the appearance of *The Adelphi* in 1831, have to be consulted. Not only is new information sought for, but the mistakes of earlier editions are, so far as possible, to be eliminated.

In the catalogue of 1905 there are sixty pages more than in that of 1900. Of these additional pages forty-three belong to the period before 1900—the graduates of 1900-1905, the index, the officers of government and instruction occupying seventeen pages. But, as showing the care with which the record has been revised, a comparison of the edition of 1905 for the period 1795—1845 with that of 1900 furnishes a more exacting test. The former devotes thirty-three pages to this period, the latter twenty-four. Only a cursory inspection is needed to make it clear that these nine supplementary pages represent a large amount of patient investigation. The class of 1795, all the members of which, with a single exception, came from Stockbridge, stands as in the edition of 1900. The record of the class of 1796 is amended by four new entries; that of 1797 by one new entry and the correction of the date of Senator Mills' death; that of 1798 by nine new entries; that of 1799 by five; that of 1824 by sixteen and that of 1845 by twenty-five. Or, to take a little wider range, there are three new entries under the name of Frederick Ferris Thompson; five new entries under that of Senator J. J. Ingalls and five under that of President Garfield. All this is simply an illustration of the changes to be found everywhere.

When we turn our attention to

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THE CLASS OF 1905

Whereabouts and Doings of Members of Last Year's Class

(Continued from last issue)

Goodwillie is at a lumber camp at Star Lake, Wis., in the employ of Goodwillie Bros. Lumber Co., of Wausau, Wis.

Gregory is at Union theological seminary, New York city.

Hack is Massachusetts' Rhodes scholar at Oxford university.

Hadley is at Auburn theological seminary, Auburn, N. Y.

Hanford is attending the medical school of New York university.

Howe is in the employ of Carter, Howe & Co., manufacturing jewellers, Newark, N. J.

Hunt is at Yale, studying for the degree of M. A. in Latin and Greek.

Johnson is taking a course in chemistry at Stevens institute of technology, Hoboken, N. J.

Judson is employed in the Eaton-Hurlbut paper Co., in Pittsfield, Mass.

Ketcham is in the employ of the Brown & Ketcham iron works, at Indianapolis, Ind.

Leaning is attending the Columbia school of mines, New York city.

Livingston is registered for an M. A. degree at Williams. In January he will enter business.

Lord is assistant in government at Williams.

Mann is at the medical school of Johns Hopkins university.

Marvin is in the insurance business in New York.

McCarty is working for the Pennsylvania Steel Co., at Lebanon, Pa.

Merrill is employed in his father's business at Kansas city, Mo.

Miller is in the employ of a dry-goods trade journal in New York.

Mills is taking an engineering course at M. I. T.

Murray has entered Albany law school.

Nesbitt is attending Harvard law school.

A. P. Newell is in the employ of the Ogdensburg brass Co., Ogdensburg, N. Y.

W. A. Newell is in one of the departments of his father's wholesale house, the Edgar A. Newell Co., Ogdensburg, N. Y.

Northrop has charge of a wheat elevator at Estevan, Saskatchewan, in the employ of the Saskatchewan grain Co.

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CALENDAR

THURSDAY, OCT. 5

7.15 p. m.—1908 class meeting, J. H.

7.30 p. m.—1909 class meeting, election of officers, J. H. reading room.

SATURDAY, OCT. 7

2.00 p. m. — Williams-Schenectady golf match, Schenectady.

3.30 p. m. — Williams-Union football game, Schenectady.

SUNDAY, OCT. 8

10.30 a. m. — College chapel. Rev. Willis H. Butler, of Northampton, will preach.

11.30 a. m. — Bible classes.

7.30 p. m. — Y. M. C. A. meeting. J. H.

TRUSTEES' MEETING

Nine Members Present — Action Taken on New Dormitory

The annual fall meeting of the Board of Trustees was held today in Griffin Hall. The meeting was called to order at 9:00 by President Hopkins, and adjourned at 12:00. Resolutions were adopted on the death of James M. Barker '60, of Pittsfield. The president and trustees took the 1:40 train from North Adams for Pittsfield to attend the funeral.

Those present, besides President Hopkins were: Hon. Francis Lynde Stetson, M. A., '67, and Hon. Eugene Delano, M. A., '66, of New York city; President Henry Lefavour, Ph. D., LL. D., '83, and Hon. Bentley Wirt Warren '85, of Boston; Rev. Daniel Merriman, D. D., '63, of Worcester; Hon. James Robert Dunbar '71, of Brookline; Wm. Henry Hollister, jr., '70 of Troy and Rev. Harry Pineo Dewey, D. D., '84, of Brooklyn. No details would be given out of the business of the meeting, but a final plan for the new dormitory was adopted. It was definitely decided to make an addition to South College which will room 14 men. The new dormitory will room 42 men. The price has not yet been fixed, and the contractors have not yet submitted their bids.

Intercollegiate Tennis Tournament

The Williams tennis players at the intercollegiate tournament at Haverford were retired at the end of the second round. Linen lost in the preliminary round to Thompson of Princeton and Smith won his match in the first round by default from Hopple of Cornell.

In the second round, Karl Behr of Yale beat Smith 6-3, 6-3, and the semi-finals were between Yale, Harvard and Pennsylvania. In the doubles Whitman and Field of Harvard beat Smith and Linen of Williams, 6-2, 6-4.

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The Work of the Athletic Council and a Present Need

The report of the athletic association has not yet been made public, but it is understood that there will be a large balance. Under the able management of 1905 about $1500 was made by the three major branches of athletics. Making allowance for necessary expenditures, the surplus should be about $1000. It would have been considerably less than this amount, if the council had not economized for a purpose.

An explanation of this purpose is due to the students of the college and to the minor organizations, namely tennis, hockey and golf. The average tax in subscriptions for football, baseball and track, and in support of other college interests, is by no means small for the undergraduate. He may, perhaps, feel that the financial success of last season justifies him in subscribing less than the usual amount this year. The expenses of the smaller branches of athletics have always been borne by members of the teams. For two years unsuccessful efforts have been made to obtain a part of this from the funds of the association.

A glance at the work of the athletic council reveals the true state of affairs. The physical welfare of the college, as well as the efficiency of its teams, requires but one thing to supplement the swimming pool, the baseball cage and the renovation of the gymnasium, and that is, proper training quarters on Weston Field. Last spring The Record called attention to this need, which the council had realized long before. It is the ultimate aim of the council to satisfy this want at the earliest possible moment.

The balance of $1000 offers a slight hope of realization. The construction of Weston Field, begun in 1897 and costing $17,500, has in fact only been completed within the last two years, when the straightaway has been opened and the complicated system of drains properly set. Consequently unless something unforeseen occurs, it is reasonable to suppose that the balance will remain intact.

Nevertheless, the amount on hand at present is only a good beginning. We have stated before that about $2000 is necessary to reconstruct the space underneath the grandstand into suitable quarters, containing shower baths, lockers, and rooms for both the visiting and home teams. The sum needed to build a club house would certainly equal, and probably exceed the above. The administration of athletics in this college is attended with great difficulties. The association is absolutely separate from the college, and receives no help from it. Athletics is not funded at Williams. This being the case, it is the policy of the council to keep on hand a balance of $2000, in case of necessity, and several instances have given evidence of the wisdom of this plan. In short, the only source of income to the athletic association is the surplus turned in by the managers.

The natural conclusion is that the major organizations must receive such support from the undergraduates that they will be able to report a surplus, and not in any case be forced to call on the association for help. We do not appeal to a man's college loyalty to subscribe a sum beyond his means. The number is great of those who are already giving as much as their circumstances will allow. At the same time, the number is not small of those who are not doing what they ought to do. The opportunity is offered them to give help when it is most needed. We appeal to their sense of fairness and ask them to subscribe their share.

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas; It has pleased Almighty God to take unto himself our friend and classmate, Herbert Paul Yurkee, be it

Resolved: That we, the class of nineteen hundred and eight, do hereby extend our heartfelt sympathy to his family in their bereavement, and be it further

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DEATH CF TRUSTEE

Judge James M. Barker '60 Found Dead Tuesday Morning

Hon. James Madison Barker, LL. D., '60, a trustee of the college, and one of the best known men in Berkshire county, was found dead in his room at the Union club in Boston Tuesday morning.

Justice Barker was born in Pittsfield October 23, 1839. He graduated from Williston seminary and entered Williams in the fall of 1856. After graduation, he studied law at Harvard law school and was admitted to the bar in 1863. As a lawyer, his rise was rapid. He soon became prominent in Pittsfield, in 1882 was made a justice of the superior court, and in 1891 was appointed to the supreme judicial court by Gov. Russell. In the same year he was given the degree of LL. D. by Yale.

Judge Barker represented Pittsfield in the Mass. House of Representatives in 1872 and 1873, serving on the committee on railroads. In 1874 he was made a member of the commission to revise taxation laws, and in 1881, of the commission to revise the public statutes. In 1880 he was a delegate to the Republican national convention, strongly supporting, even in those early days, the cause of civil service reform.

Judge Barker's services to Berkshire county were too numerous for detailed enumeration. He was prominently connected with the educational, business and religious interests of Pittsfield, and took an especially active interest in outdoor sports, particularly in the life of the country clubs about Pittsfield. His connection with the college as a trustee was intimate. He was elected in 1882, and was only surpassed in term of service by Rev. Robert Russell Booth. He was a member of the important, hard-working committee on grounds, buildings and improvements, and throughout his trusteeship kept in the closest touch with the college. He delivered the address at the laying of the cornerstone of the Thompson Memorial Chapel, and spoke for the trustees at the inauguration of President Hopkins. He was especially interested in the new Berkshire quadrangle, and expended much time and effort in promoting the Berkshire county endowment for that purpose.

Judge Barker is survived by four daughters and a son, John Barker '99. The funeral took place in Pittsfield at 2.30 this afternoon and was attended by all the justices of the supreme and superior courts. All the higher courts of the commonwealth adjourned Tuesday in his honor.

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Review of Catalogue

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the honorary graduates we find that they have been by no means neglected. In the catalogue of 1900 only one of them is mentioned as a sometime Williams student, while in the current edition seventeen are noted as belonging to this class. In the latter only we find the statement that Henry Moore Parsons was Seaman's chaplain at Havana, Cuba; that Elijah Wheeler was chaplain in the war of 1812; that David Porter and Samuel Spring were chaplains in the Revolutionary army. The twenty-two separate items found in the edition of 1900 under the names of Governor Briggs, the Rev. Dr. S. H. Cox and Professor Samuel Harris are augmented to thirty-three in the revision.

Enough has been said to indicate the conscientious care which has been bestowed on the current reissue of the catalogue. It is not to be supposed that any definitive and final record has yet been reached, but very decided progress has been made toward that illusive goal.

LEVERETT W. SPRING.

Wesleyan Preliminaries

The preliminary debates, to decide who shall represent the college in her debate with Wesleyan at Middletown Nov. 10, will be held next Monday at 7.30, in the auditorium of the Biological Laboratory. There will be two debates, both on the following question, the affirmative of which Williams has elected to uphold.

"Resolved, That in the United States the nomination of candidates for minor elective offices should be by the method of the primary.

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Nomer '06, Hulst '06 and Westermann '08 will support the affirmative in the first debate against Scott '08, Bullard '08 and Byard '08. In the second contest, Matthews '07 Clark '07 and Kenney '06 will oppose Case '07, Scholle '06 and Allen '07.

The judges of the debaters will be Professor Maxcy, Mr. D. T. Clark and Mr. Lewis. The debates will be judged by Prof. Wild, Prof. Kellogg and Asst. Prof. Perry, while Mr. Rees will preside during the evening.

At a senior class meeting held Tuesday noon the sophomore-freshman baseball game and freshman parade were postponed until Wednesday, Oct. 11.

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On the links of the Springfield Country Club yesterday afternoon the college golf team defeated the Country Club team by a score of 9 to 6, Nassau system of scoring. This defeat is the first the Springfield team has met on its home course in three years. A return match may be arranged for next spring. The score:

Williams		Springfield	
A. Mitchell, 1907	3	Alden	0
Clapp, 1906	2	Parlett	0
L. Mitchell, 1907	0	Brand	3
Gregory, 1907	3	Baker	0
Fitch, 1906	1	Regal	0
Lichtenhein, 1909	0	White	3
	9		6

The medal play was as follows: A. Mitchell 40-36, 76; Clapp 34-41, 75; L. Mitchell 40-42, 82; Gregory 39-38, 77; Fitch 39-41, 80; Lichtenhein 45-41, 86.

COLLEGE NOTES

Owing to mountsin day, the meeting of candidates for The Record was postponed Tuesday evening. It will be held tonight at 7.30, in 15 J. H.

The meeting of the adelphic union for the election of officers has been postponed until Wednesday of next week.

The leading article in the Free Trade Broadside for October is an appreciation of the late Prof. A. L. Perry with a sketch of his life, and quotations from his works.

The order of preachers in the Thompson Memorial Chapel for the Sundays up to December, excluding Oct. 29 and Nov. 5, is given out as follows: Oct. 15, Rev. W. R. Richards of New York city; Oct. 22, Rev. S. Parks Cadman of Brooklyn; Nov. 12, Dr. Willard Scott '75 of Worcester; Nov. 19, President Raymond of Union college; Nov. 26, Prof. Knox of Union theological seminary.

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Announcement

The Bible classes will meet directly after chapel Sunday morning. Every man expecting to take the courses will be notified further as to the time and place of meeting of his group.

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Pratt is attending the School of Mines at Houghton, Mich.

Pruyn is studying law in the law office of Warner, Johnson and Galston, 49 Wall St., New York city.

Runyon is attending Columbia law school.

Shedden is at Harvard law school.

Shoudy is attending Columbia law school in New York.

Smith is at his home in Berlin, Conn.

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Stevenson is attending Auburn theological seminary at Auburn, N. Y.

Stocking is teaching elocution in Williston seminary, at Easthampton.

Swan is in business with his father's firm, Swan & Rector Co., manufacturers of furniture, Geneseo, N. Y.

Taber is teaching in the Orchard Lake military academy, Orchard Lake, Mich.

Thing is studying for the degree of M. A. in Latin and mathematics at Yale university.

Tourtellot is studying industrial chemistry at M. I. T.

Wadsworth is studying at the University of Michigan.

Watson is coaching the Hamilton college football team at Clinton, N. Y. After the football season he will enter the employ of the Western Electric Co., at Chicago.

Webster is in the New York office of R. G. Dun & Co., Broadway, New York.

Wellington is attending the Albany law school.

Wells is student librarian at Williams.

Whittlesey is at Harvard law school.

Wright is working in the Cloud County bank at Concordia, Kan.

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Until further notice the college choir will consist of the following men:—

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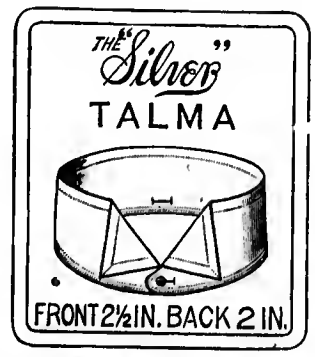
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The editors of the Literary Monthly, the first number of which will appear the last of this month, intend this year to make extensive improvements in the make-up of the magazine. At first glance, the most noticeable change will be in the cover, for which George Mather Richards 1904, a former editor-in-chief of the Lit., has drawn an entirely new design. The design is purely conventional, in broad strokes, and centers about the Williams seal. An improvement apparently small, but of benefit to subscribers, will be the printing of the month of issue on the cover, as begun by the present board in May of last year.

The Lit. will this year be printed on "Alexandria" Old Stratford Book stock, both paper and cover being deckle-edged. Apparently minor changes planned, such as the removal of the lines about "Williams Literary Monthly" at the top of the pages, and the increase in width of the margins, show that careful attention will be paid to the general appearance of the magazine. Finally, the time-worn cuts of Torrey's woods, Mission Park, etc., will be seen no more, but in their place will appear cuts of real historical interest, as of old college buildings, including several general views of the college in early stages of its growth.

ALUMNI NEWS

Ex-'01—Rev. Albert R. Parker, after spending three years at the Episcopal theological school in Cambridge, was ordained into the Episcopal priesthood in June. He is now at the Holy Trinity church, New York.

1902—Rowland Haynes received the degree of Master of Arts from Clark university on June 21.

1902—Richard Steel received the degree of LL. B. "cum laude" from Harvard law school in June and has entered the law office of former district attorney Philbin in New York city.

1902—Lewis C. Parker of Westfield and Miss Rose Josephine Tracy were married in New York city on August 31. Mr. Parker graduated from Harvard law school in June and passed the Massachusetts bar examinations in July. He has opened a law office in Springfield with J. B. Ely '02.

Ex-'06—Templeton has left the Albany law school, where he was studying last year, and re-entered Rensselaer Polytechnic institute.

Ex-'07—A. C. Combes is at Columbia university.

Ex-'07 Ronan is at Harvard university.

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FROM THE PRESIDENT

Letter Written by President Roosevelt while Here

During his stay in Williamstown last June, President Roosevelt wrote a letter to Rev. Mr. Burr, a facsimile of which is given above. The original letter can be seen in the college library.

Freshman Football

The schedule for the freshman football team is as yet only partially completed. The freshmen will meet Williamstown High school on Oct. 25. The management is also arranging for games with Hotchkiss, Pittsfield High school and the Amherst freshmen.

CALENDAR

MONDAY, OCT. 9

7:30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H.
8.00 p. m.—Wesleyan preliminaries, Biological laboratory.

TUESDAY, OCT. 10

1:30 p. m.—Senior class meeting.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 11

2.00 p. m.—Freshman parade.
3.00 p. m.—Williams M. A. C. football game, Weston field.
4:15 p. m.—1908-1909 baseball game, Weston field.
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FROM THE PRESIDENT

Letter Written by President Roosevelt while Here

During his stay in Williamstown last June, President Roosevelt wrote a letter to Rev. Mr. Burr, a facsimile of which is given above. The original letter can be seen in the college library.

Freshman Football

The schedule for the freshman football team is as yet only partially completed. The freshmen will meet Williamstown High school on Oct. 25. The management is also arranging for games with Hotchkiss, Pittsfield High school and the Amherst freshmen.

CALENDAR

MONDAY, OCT. 9

7:30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H.
8.00 p. m.—Wesleyan preliminaries, Biological laboratory.

TUESDAY, OCT. 10

1:30 p. m.—Senior class meeting.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 11

2.00 p. m.—Freshman parade.
3.00 p. m.—Williams M. A. C. football game, Weston field.
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The Football Situation

The game at Schenectady Saturday was unsatisfactory from a Williams standpoint. The team did not play the game of which it was capable, and its work showed no improvement over the contest with Harvard a week before. In fact, the efforts of the coaches seem to have been entirely lost. With the exception of one man, the backs were slow in getting started and after the two touchdowns were scored, the line finished the game in a listless fashion. The work of the ends was the only redeeming feature. From start to finish the play lacked the dash characteristic of a Williams team. With a heavier line than Union, and players with a better knowledge of the game, the Williams defense gave way repeatedly, while in several instances Williams failed to gain the required distance.

Coming so soon before the Columbia game, the situation appears discouraging. It certainly is grave enough to be worth considering by the student body, and what is more to the point, to call forth the efforts of every football man in college. We do not overlook the fact that several players took part in Saturday's game who were on the sick list. The real trouble lay not with the team, which has thus far given so praiseworthy an exhibition of hard work.

The truth is that a false sense of security concerning the football prospects has grown up in college, and as a result valuable players have laid aside their suits or refrained from appearing on the field at all. And this takes place at a most critical time. Never before has Williams had so good a chance to defeat Columbia as it has this year. Nevertheless if the Purple is to come off the field victorious next Saturday, a line must be developed, and developed quickly. The eleven needs the daily scrimmage of a heavy opposing team, which can now be furnished in one way only—by the immediate addition to the squad of every man in college who has ever played football and knows anything about the game.

A Question of Training

At the college meeting tonight a resolution will be presented, stating that the spirit of the college demands that members of athletic teams representing the college shall observe the rules of training, to be determined by the coach and captain. It is not intended to be more explicit. The aim is that the college place itself on record as opposed to the practice of loose training, which has by its influence done so much harm to Williams athletics in the past few years, and which, if not checked at once, might grow to be a dangerous factor in the development of the teams.

The disregard of these rules by a single member of a college team is a defiance to the captain, and may work irreparable damage if the captain does not feel that the college has given him authority to exercise the penalty of dismissal. The harm that may result directly from non-observance of the laws of training need not be dwelt upon, for it is obvious. In short, the resolution needs no arguments to recommend it to the student body. It is expected the vote will be unanimous.

RESOLUTIONS

Passed by the Board of Trustees of Williams College

In the departure of Justice James M. Barker, for twenty-three years a trustee of Williams college, Massachusetts loses one of its foremost citizens, Berkshire an honored son and Williams a loyal alumnus and wise counselor. To the members of this Board the sad news of his sudden decease has come with a shock rarely experienced. With but a single exception his was the longest term of service of any of the present trustees. His faithfulness and devotion to the college have always been marked since his official connection with it. He willingly gave his time, his talents, his careful study and his conscientious judgment to the welfare of this college, and whenever great questions were to be considered it was to him that his associates turned for advice with confidence that a clear,

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strong and unbiased judgment would result. All remember the strong words of welcome he uttered as a representative of this Board at the inauguration of our present President. Everything that Justice Barker did was done with carefulnes, skill, conscientiousness and a soundness of judgment rarely surpassed.

He was a man of large intellectual acquirements and of wide research which were apparent in his work upon the bench of our Supreme Judicial Court, in his daily contact with men in social intercourse, and in his public utterances. He was an eminent man in a community of eminent men.

Justice Barker was a true type of an educated gentleman. He was courteous and affable in his manners and attracted all with whom he came in contact by the greatness of his heart and the largeness of his sympathies.

He was attractive to young men by his cheerful genial manner and by his kind and loving counsel whenever it was sought. He was generous in his thought, pure and unselfish in his life and wrought for the good and welfare of his fellow men. His associates in the Board of Trustees desire to give this expression to their appreciation of his Christian virtues, his nobility of character, his rare intellectual attainments, his wisdom, his eminence as a learned and upright juirist, and the distingished honor he has brought to this college as an almnus and an officer.

This minute will be spread upon the records of the Board and a copy thereof will be sent to his family to whom we extend our deepest sympathy in their sorrow.

Funeral of Justice Barker

The funeral of Justice J. M. Barker '60 was held at 2:30 Thursday afternoon at the First Church of Christ, Pittsfield. Flags on all the public buildings were at half-mast during the day in his honor, and all business was suspended from 2:00 to 5:00.

President Hopkins and five trustees attended the funeral in behalf of the college corporation. A minute passed at the trustees' meeting Thursday is published in another column. The college faculty was represented by Prof. Mears, Prof. Spring, and Prof. Morton. Day '05, Botsford '06, and LaMont '08 were present from the student body. Others from Williamstown who attended were Prof. Rice and Dr. Parsons. Among the honorary bearers were President Hopkins, Judge Joseph Tucker '51, Rev. Dr. C. L. Hutchins '61, Thomas D. Peck '80, and Walter F. Hawkins '84.

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The second half was more interesting, a 25-yard end run by Cheney, followed by a 10-yard gain by Neyland, placing the ball on the scrub's 3-yard line. At this point the squad held well, recovered the ball and Brady kicked out of danger. Conover excelled for the Williams squad and Cheney and Gillooley for the High school.

Named Goodrich Hall

At the meeting of the trustees held Thursday morning it was voted to change the name of the old chapel to Goodrich Hall, in honor of John Zacchaeus Goodrich, an early benefactor of the college.

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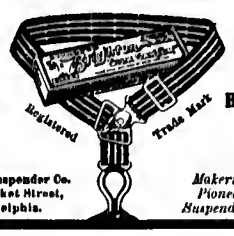
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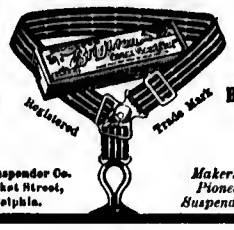
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The line up and summary follow:

Williams.		Union.
Elder, l e		r e, Wright
Bixby, Johnson, l t		r t, Dann (Capt.)
Harter, l g		r g, Peck
Campbell, c		c, Nutt
Eldridge, r g		l g, Merrill
Marshall, r t		l t, Van Dannenberg
Curtis, Blaisdell, r e		l e, Davis
Waters, q		q, McNab
C. Brown, l h		r h, Moore
A. Brown, Hill, r h		l h, Harvey
Robb, Bates, f b		f b, Mulrooney

Score:—Williams, 12; Union, 0. Time of halves, 15 minutes. Touchdowns, C. Brown, Robb. Goals, Bixby 2. Referee, Easton of Yale; umpire, Van Tine of Trinity; head linesman, Dorticos of University of Maine; linesmen, Eldred of Williams, Armstrong of Union; time keepers, Day of Williams, Odell of Union.

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In the first game of the season, 1909 easily defeated the Hoosick Falls High school 18 to 0. The freshman backs ploughed steadily through the opposing line, scoring two touchdowns and a safety in the first half. Several substitutes were used in the second half.

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COLLEGE NOTES

The first class prayer meetings were held Friday evening.

Shanahan '96, Ide '98, Max Rutter '99, Rutter '00, Black '01, Miller '05, Austin '05, and Newman ex-'08 were in town last week.

The following men were taken on the Union trip Saturday: Bixby, Blaisdell, Bates, Campbell, Loomis 1906, A. Brown, Hill, Johnson, Jaeckel 1907, Curtis, Elder, Eldridge, Marshall, Waters 1908, C. Brown, Gutterson, Harter, Robb 1909.

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Mohawk Team Defeated at Schenectady in Close Game

The Mohawk Golf club lost to the college team Saturday afternoon on the Schenectady links by a score of 14 to 9, old style scoring. The eighteen hole course of the Mohawk club was in excellent shape, although the greens were a trifle fast. The Schenectady players have a strong team, having recently won the Central New York championship. The score follows:

Schenectady		Williams
Beale,	3 A. Mitchell 1907,	0
Griffin,	0 Clapp, 1906,	6
Dr. Briggs,	0 L. Mitchell 1907,	2
Pevear,	0 Gregory, 1907,	6
Armstrong,	1 Wilcox, 1909,	0
Hall,	5 Fitch 1906,	0
	9	14

Williams, 5 up.

Report of 1905 Baseball Association for Season Ending June 1905

EXPENDITURES

Athletic supplies,	$28.45
Stationery,	.25
Care of field,	5.00
Umpires,	3.75
Balance paid Graduate Treasurer,	2.80
Total,	$40.25

RECEIPTS

Subscriptions,	$40.25
Total,	$40.25

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Report of 1906 Baseball Asociation for Season Ending June 1905

EXPENDITURES

Stationery and postage,	$.25
Expressage,	.55
Athletic supplies,	20.49
Umpires,	4.50
Care of field,	5.00
Balance paid Graduate Treasurer,	1.21
Total,	$32.00

RECEIPTS

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Report of 1907 Baseball Association for Season Ending June 1905

EXPENDITURES

Athletic supplies,	$46.00
Umpires,	4.50
Miscellaneous,	6.50
Balance paid Graduate Treasurer,	9.50
Total,	$66.50

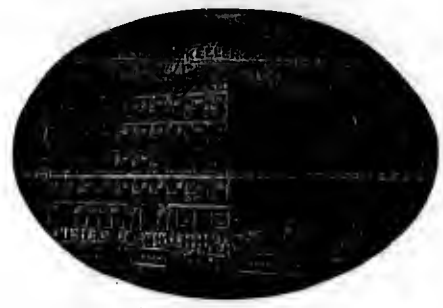
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CIRCUS DAY

Skilled Artists Perform in Williamstown

Bosco, Lumbricus Terrestris, and Delirium Tremens—The Parade in Detail—List of Paraders—Antics on Weston Field—Ball Game Won by Freshmen.

In the past, Williamstown pageants have not been remarkable for their variety. The minstrel shows, Uncle Tom's Cabin, the occasional melodrama come each year. It is seldom, indeed, that a circus reaches the confines of even



TWO OF THE CLOWNS.

our eastern neighbor. Never in a Williamstown parade, we venture to state, has such histrionic talent been shown, or so extensive a menagerie been exhibited, as in the freshman parade of yesterday. The band discoursed sweet strains in the usual circus time and tune; the hussars rode their prancing steeds with the ease and grace of the circus rider. The senior committee can be likened to the brazen-voiced ringmasters, directing the whole and chastising the offenders.

In the animal exhibition "Sorepaw and Sorawny Bill" outdid themselves. No savage from the East Indies ever roamed up and down his massive cage with the restlessness and ferocity of Bosco-who-eats-'em-alive, the dissecting room of our Biological Laboratory never saw a wrigglier earthworm than Lumbricus Terrestris, and Delirium Tremens looked woe-begone and jaded enough to be a horrible example for all who beheld him. The c-antelopes played Romeo and Juliet, not, to be sure, exactly like Shakespeare, but yet with all the warmth of true love; the Indians, painted, blanketed, and tomahawked, whooped in true Pawnee style, while the monkey roamed about the Greylock piazza on his four paws with the combined prehensile grace and Italian politeness of the true circus Simian.

The wan governess led her six charges in safety through all the turmoil of the day, the Agony Quartette proved its right to its name, and Annie Oakley's vivacity and horsemanship could only have been surpassed by the original Annie herself. The clowns, when aroused by the omnipotent committee, made fun for friend and foe. Seniors were charged, spy-glasses levelled at embarassed bystanders, and dignified football coaches offered confections, which,

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TWELVE TO NOTHING

Williams Defeats M. A. C. in Hard-fought Game

Williams defeated the Amherst "Aggies" 12 to 0 on Weston Field yesterday, scoring one touchdown in each half. While Williams was strong on the offense, the defense was weak, particularly in the first half. The backs showed poor work in handling punts, but their brilliant end running partially offset this fault. Jaeckel ran the team well and backed up the line strongly.

Williams played fast at the start and scored in the first nine minutes of play. Cobb kicked off to Jaeckel, who ran the ball back ten ysrds. By continued short gains outside tackle, with runs around end by D. Brown and A. Brown, Williams advanced the ball to the 35-yard line, from which A. Brown rsn around the end for a touchdown. Bixby kicked goal. From Williams' kick-off the "Aggies" steadily advanced the ball and the half ended with the leather in their possession on Williams' 35-yard line.

Robb took Bates' place at full at the beginning of the second half. Bixby kicked off to Wood. M. A. C. was penalized five yards and Williams secured the ball. After losing it again, the Purple finally scored another touchdown on line-bucks by Robb, D. Brown and A. Brown, C. Brown, who took D. Brown's place at half, scoring the second touchdown. Bixby kicked goal. Soon after the kick-off Williams fumbled and Brown of M. A. C. kicked the ball back of the Purple's goal line. Elder of Williams, however, fell upon the ball and saved a touchdown.

Summary:—

Williams	M. A. C.
Elder, l e	r e, Wood
Bixby, l t	r t, Craighead
Harter, l g	r g, Willis
Campbell, Roberts, c	c, Cutter
Eldridge, r g	l g, Carey
Marshall, r t	l t, Thompson
Curtis, Chapman, r e	l e, Barry, Crosman
Jaeckel, q b	q b, Cobb
D. Brown, C. Brown, l h b	r h b, Taft
A. Brown, r h b	l h b, Brown
Bates, Robb, f b	f b, Philbrick

Touchdowns, A. Brown, C. Brown. Goals, Bixby 2. Umpire, Donnelly of Dartmouth. Referee, Sugden of Harvard. Timekeeper and headlinesman, Seeley of Williams. Linesmen, DeCamp of Williams, Russell of M. A. C. Time of halves—15 minutes.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, OCT. 12

7.30 p. m.—College sing, J. H.

SATURDAY, OCT. 14

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Columbia football, American League park, New York.

3.00 p. m.—1909-Hotchkiss football, Lakeville.

SUNDAY, OCT. 15

10.30 a. m.—College Chapel. Rev. Dr. Wm. R. Richards of New York city will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting. Dr. Richards will speak.

COLLEGE MEETING

Strict Training Upheld—Scholle '06 Elected Debating Manager

By unanimous vote at a college meeting held Monday night the following resolution aiming at a reform in the spirit of training for college teams was adopted.

Resolved: "That it is the opinion of the student body of Williams college that strict training in accordance with the rules prescribed by the coaches and captains be observed by all members of athletic teams, and that a captain who overlooks cases of lax training shall be considered unworthy of his position."

The meeting was opened and conducted by Perry '06. In emphasizing the importance of the subject he said that conscientious training has results far beyond athletic successes. Capt. Bixby pleaded for a spirit of disapproval of the athlete who does not train strictly. He offered the resolution in the belief that it should voice college sentiment. Cowell '06 added that beyond a doubt a man gets more out of himself as a result of training, and it is due the college that every member of a team should give the best he has.

Scholle '06 was elected manager of debating, in place of Perry, resigned, and upon a motion by Nomer providing for an assistant manager, Allen '07 was elected to that position. Other speeches were made at the meeting by Burnap '06 and Curtiss '06.

Class Prayer Meetings

The weekly class prayer meetings will be held at 7:15 p. m. Friday. The topic is "Two Types of Purity," Matthew 15; 1-20. The leaders are as follows:—1906, Lowe; 1907, Clark; 1908, Deyo; 1909, Pettit.

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The Honor System at Amherst

The honor system of conducting examinations, adopted by the Amherst student body last June, has been approved by the faculty and is now in operation at that college. We congratulate Amherst upon taking this action, and feel confident that the system will be as successful as it has been at Williams.

The constitution differs slightly from that of Williams. Several of its sections are, however, taken word for word from the Williams constitution. In view of this, and that Williams has had nine years' experience with the system, has enjoyed its benefits and corrected its faults, we venture to offer a suggestion and hope it may be brought to the attention of the committee. Article IV, Section 1, of the new constitution reads in part as follows: "In case of apparent fraud in examination, the detector shall first speak to the offending party. Should the offender show there is a mistake, the matter drops at once". We fear the observance of this clause may be attended with difficulties, since it makes every man his fellow's judge and deprives the student committee of its power to deal with all cases. It has been found here at Williams that the value of the honor system lies in uncompromising adherence to the principles upon which it is based. Article IV, Section I, of the Williams constitution reads as follows: "In case of reported frauds in examinations, the committee shall summon the accused person or persons, who shall be from the student body only * * * * and shall conduct a formal investigation * * *."

The Spirit of the Honor System

President Hopkins and the student committee have interpreted the honor system to the freshman class. Enough time has been given since the opening of the term for every new man in college to become fairly well acquainted with the provisions of the constitution, and the purpose of this, the most respected of all the institutions of Williams. The subject has already been so well presented that we may pass over many of its features.

The application of such a system as this to the daily life of the student presupposes the existence in him of some spark of honor. It also takes for granted earnestness of purpose, that he is sincere in his desire to get from the college what he can, *by his own efforts*. The honor system is ideal in its conception. Why it has attained such success at Williams can not be explained in a word. We believe that the fear of the consequences of detection in case of fraud influences only a small per cent. Tradition, even in this short time, has had some share in the event. No one doubts that the principle is right. If the new-comer accepts the conditions and decides to live in the atmosphere of the honor system, the question of unfairness, as far as he is concerned, will not trouble him during his course. But this acceptance must be unconditional.

"I have neither given nor received aid in this examination," is the formula that a man must be able to sign at all times. To refuse to sign the honor statement, and accept a mark of zero on an examination, implies that a man enters into the agreement with the proviso, "what I can gain by luck, and not be found out by being asked to make the statement, is mine." This man could sign his name at once and be no more guilty of breaking his agreement, for he has violated the spirit of the honor system. He is engaging in a game of chance, and honor has no part in his method of life. He feels that he is expected to cheat if he can, an attitude directly opposed to the system; to do away with this feeling the presence of proctors in the examination hall was discontinued.

President Wilson of Princeton, in writing of "The True Basis of the Honor System," describes it as self government by conscience. The standards of the community are definitely fixed, and every man must live up to them. It is hard to report to the committee cases of fraud in examination. Yet, in obeying the letter, one possesses also the true spirit of the honor system.

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Editor Williams Record.

Sir:—I have somewhere heard that Williams needed a song of dignified character, fitted for occasions when a more tripping measure would perhaps savor of frivolity. As an attempt to fill this want, I here submit a few verses set to the "Russian National Hymn." Possibly the stately rhythm, easy compass, and admirable carrying power of this famous air—when coupled with Williams words—may help to celebrate the bounty of our benefactors, to hail the completion of a new building, or, best of all, to stay the enemy on our five-yard line.

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So steadfast shall endure our Alma Mater's glory,
Rising triumphant over all her foes;
Brave hearts exult to tell the honors of her story,
Gladly they follow where her banner goes.

Williams, thrice hail to thee! We pledge our last endeavor,
Long as the breath of life our bosom fills;
And, through the coming years, thy loyal sons shall ever
Cheer for the purple of the Berkshire hills!

President Stephen B. L. Penrose '85 has written an interesting article on his college days at Williams, in The Whitman College Pioneer for Oct. 3. The paper is on file in the press room.

DEBATING OFFICERS

Chosen at Adelphic Union Meeting —A Harvard System Adopted

At the meeting of the Adelphic Union held in the Philologian hall Wednesday evening Hulst '06, was elected president and Nomer '06 secretary.

Mr. Lewis outlined the system of choosing debaters in vogue at Harvard. There, all candidates speak for five minutes before judges who select twelve or fifteen for a second trial. These men speak for ten minutes and six are chosen from among them to form the first and second teams. The plan was discussed, but action was deferred until a subsequent meeting.

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in justice to the Williams principles of strict training, let it be said, they one and all steruly refused. The fun closed with Annie Oakley's wild western dash up Spring street, bringing the merchants quaking to their doors, and serving as a fitting prelude to the triumphal march to Weston Field.

Order of March

The parade left the gymnasium at 2:00. The order of march was as follows: (1) The drag with the senior committee and others, containing Cantwell, Cowell, Curtiss, R. F. Day, Fitch, Griswold, Hogan, Hulst, McAllister, Perry, Schell, Wakefield, Wooster; (2) the standard-bearers (Hertzfeld, Toll); (3) Sousa's Band (Carlisle, Dryfoos, Dumesnil, Hoch, Horrax, Jenkins, Pennell, Stumpp, Winslow, Woodruff); (4) the 1909 baseball team; (5) the twenty royal hussars, (6) the animal cage with Bosco (Hamilton). Lumbricus Terrestris (Bonner), and Delirium Tremens (Atwater); (7) the artillery (Letferts, Maclay, Pike, Robinson); (8) the c-antelopes (Bargfredle and Buttrick); (9) the Indians (Burke, Enrich, Howe, Keith, Kline); (10) the governess (Dodd) and her nursery (Hanson, Klauser, McCuen, Metzger, Mitchell, Santry); (11) the monkey (Wadsworth) with the organ-grinder (Forgan); (12) the cowboys (Cushing, Fowler, Green, Hopkins, Noble); (13) Annie Oakley (Sayre); (14) the clowns (Day, Lichtenhein, Royce, White); (15) the agony quartette (Millard, Spann, Strong, von Witzleben); (16) the remainder of the class, in the traditional reversed coats.

The parade marched up Main street to the Greylock, where posters were distributed, around Field Park, down Main street to Spring street, down Spring street to Latham street and thence to Weston Field.

On Weston Field

The usual "stunts" were performed during the baseball game. A brave hussar met death at the stake in a scene that stirred all the onlookers; Annie Oakley shot a target full of monstrous holes from all awkward positions; Indians, cowboys, and Annie had a Deadwood stage-coach fight without the stage-coach, and once more the agony quartette was forced upon the spectators. Darkness prevented the horse-play on the ball field. The senior committee in charge of the day's celebration was as follows:—F. R. Schell, chairman; W. H. Curtiss, E. I. Cowell, C. Fitch, M. D. Griswold, B. M. Hogan, G. D. Hulst, A. McAllister, J. E. Perry, W. S. Case, S. C. Wooster, jr.

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1908—Osterhout ss, Mahan 3b, Harman c, Gillett 1b, p, Waters lb, Parker cf, Stower p, lf, McDougall rf, Frank 2b, Watters lf (first inning). 1909—Perkins ss, Williams 3b, Wadsworth 2b, Soudant 1b, Green lf, Nelson rf, Woodruff cf, Westen c, S. Rogers p.

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1908—	2	0	1	0—	3	4	5
1909—	5	0	0	0—	5	2	1

After the game the senior class, in single file, followed the old custom of marching around the diamond, singing class songs. The sweater rush, for the first time in some years, was won by the sophomores, 1908 having two hands on the sweater when the rush broke up. The afternoon closed with the college marching back to the gym., where all classes together, with bared heads, sang "The Mountains."

COLLEGE NOTES

The date of the sophomore-freshman track meet has been changed to Wednesday, Oct. 18.

The freshman football team will play the Hotchkiss school at Lakeville on Saturday.

Jaeckel '07, R. D. Johnson '07 and C. Brown '09 are at the training table.

Rev. C. H. Burr has been confined to his home for a week, suffering from an attack of neuralgia.

Baron von der Busche, Secretary of the German Embassy, lunched with President Hopkins at the Greylock Monday.

Rev. Norman Seaver '54, Harding '57, Du Bois '57, Kincaid '71, Dewey '84, Banks '90, Woodworth ex-'06, Knowles ex-'07 and MacEwan ex-'07 have been in town recently.

In the recent elections for positions in the Hall of Fame of New York university, Mark Hopkins, fourth president of Williams college, received the second highest number of votes among educators.

Coach Ely arrived in town Monday and will remain during the week. Lytle of Princeton is assisting in the coaching of the ends. Drummond of Yale is here to coach the candidates for guards and center.

Honor System Interpreted

After chapel on Tuesday morning Morgan '06, president of the Honor System committee, explained to the freshman class the principles of the Honor System. He also called attention to the decided action which the college took last year against "deals," or guarantees of mutual support in college elections.

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As a result of the Wesleyan preliminary debates, held in the Biological Laboratory Monday evening, the judges, Prof. Maxey, Mr. D. T. Clark and Mr. E. M. Lewis, decided that the team which will meet Wesleyan will be composed of Harold Adin Nomer 1906, of Plainfield, N. J., and Roy Herbert Case 1907, of Canandaigua, N. Y., with Lytel William Matthews 1907, of Westfield, N. Y., as alternate.

The judges of the debates, Professors Wild, Kellogg and Perry, awarded the decision to the affirmative in both contests. The subject of the debate, on the direct primary question, was published in the issue of Sept. 28. Williams will uphold the affirmative at Middletown Nov. 10, the evening before the Williams-Wesleyan football game.

Art Exhibition

Continuing its custom of last year, the art department has placed on exhibition in the rack on the second floor of Hopkins Hall several reproductions of paintings by French and Italian artists. The exhibition includes several heads by Andrea del Sarto, works of Tintoretto, Leonardo de Vinci and Paolo Veronese. The best-known picture in the exhibition is Millet's "Shepherdess." Three of the less well-known pictures of Millet are also exhibited.

Classical Society Organizes

The Classical Society met for the first meeting of the term Tuesday evening in the Library. The meeting was merely for organization purposes and the following officers were elected for the year: President, Clinton Burnett Wilbur 1906, of Somerset; secretary, Harry Cleveland Blagbrough 1907, of Orange. Mr. David T. Clark was elected faculty advisor of the society.

Columbia Trip

About eighteen men, exclusive of the two managers, two coaches and rubber, will be taken on the trip to New York to play Columbia Saturday. The team will leave Williamstown at 12.10 p. m. Friday, reaching New York at 5.35. Returning, the team will leave New York at 7.00 p. m., reaching Williamstown at 1.23 a. m. The team will stop at the Murray Hill Hotel.

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'83.—President Henry Lefavour of Simmons College, for many years Thomas T. Reed professor of physics at Williams, received the degree of LL. D. at the semi-centennial celebration at Tufts college.

'86.—Frederick G. Pousland, for a number of years connected with the Old Colony Trust Co., of Boston, has been elected treasurer of the company.

'95—A. Leroy Jones, who received the degree of Ph. D. from Columbia in 1898, has been made assistant professor at Columbia, under the newly-established preceptor system.

'96—Robert A. Budington, for six years instructor in the sciences at Mt. Hermon school, has been called to Wesleyan university, as instructor in the biological department.

'98—Dr. Albert R. Moffitt, who graduated a year ago from the College of Physcians and Surgeons in New York, is now a member of the staff at St. Luke's Hospital.

'98.—Ray P. Woodlin, formerly clerk of the district court at Great Barrington, has resigned that office to accept a position in a Brooklyn trust company.

1900—Philip R. Dunbar, formerly in the legal department of the Boston Elevated Railway Co., has entered the law offices of Gaston, Snow and Saltonstall, Boston.

1901—The engagement is announced of George E. Cullinan of New York city to Miss Mary E. Neyland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Neyland of Williamstown.

1903—Clarence J. Buck has been assigned a position by the government, to do forestry work in the mountains of Wyoming.

1903—Barclay J. Savage graduated from New York law school at the head of his class last June.

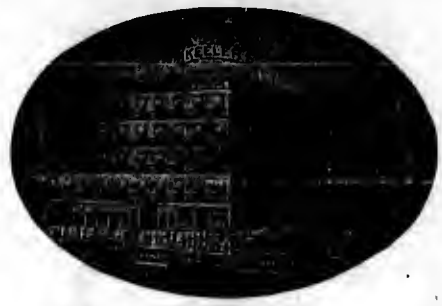
1903—The marriage of Miss Jennie Cole Wright to Walter Woodbury Herrick took place on August 8 at the home of the bride in Beverly, Mass. Mr. Herrick is principal of the High school in Hampstead, N. H.

OBITUARY

'65—Rev. Frederic Bolton Savage, D. D., died in Cooperstown, N. Y., on Sept. 29. Dr. Savage was born in Montreal in 1844; he prepared for college at Andover, and graduated from Williams in 1865. From 1872 to 1878 he was pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Cooperstown, after which he took up missionary work in Minnesota. For twenty-four years he was pastor of the Union Presbyterian church of Newburgh. Union university conferred the degree of D. D. upon him in 1885.

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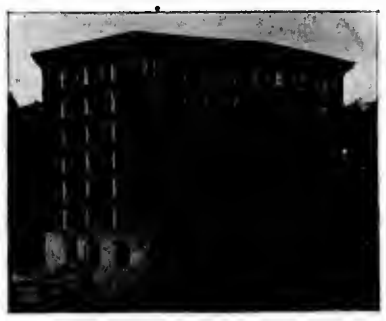
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THE NEW QUADRANGLE

Description of Berkshire Hall and South College Extension

Expensive Addition to South College—Size and Location of New Dormitory—Exterior and Interior Finish—Heating and Lighting—Details of Each Section—Cost and Date of Completion

The plans for Berkshire Hall and the addition to South College have now been completed, and work will begin immediately after the contract is let. The specifications have been drawn up and sent out, and are returnable Wednesday noon, Oct. 17, to the committee at Boston, where they will be opened.

Berkshire Hall will stand on the east side of the new Berkshire quadrangle, east of the old observatory, 195 feet from South College and parallel to it, and about as far down the hill as Jackson Hall. It is the first new building to be constructed of the Berkshire quadrangle, one side of which will be formed by East and South Colleges. This Berkshire quadrangle, to be the centre of the dormitory life of the college, has been made possible entirely by the gifts of Berkshire men. Hon. Winthrop Murray Crane, of Dalton, United States senator; Hon. Albert C. Houghton of North Adams, a trustee of the college; and a third friend of the college, whose name is withheld, have each given $25,000 for this purpose. It is expected at some future time that by gifts of Berkshire men a building as a dormitory or commons will be erected on the south side of this new quadrangle, joining Berkshire Hall with the South College extension. This plan would necessitate some change in the present position of Jackson and Clark Halls.

South College Extension

The addition to South College will be 41 feet by 44 feet (the same width as South College at present), on the south side of the building, corresponding exactly in exterior to it three stories in height, and will accommodate 15 men. Two porches will, however be built on the east side of the dormitory, one, over the present east entrance, and one at the upper end of the addition, i. e., just below the south wall of south college as it now stands. These porches will be built entirely of marble, with marble columns and a colonial entablature. Similar porches will be built over the

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COLUMBIA WINS

Score 11 to 5—Williams Plays Fast Football but Fumbles

In a game marred by fumbles at critical periods, but exciting from start to finish, Williams was defeated by Columbia at New York Saturday, by the score of 11 to 5. At no time was the final result assured, although early in the second half the score stood 11 to 0 in Columbia's favor.

In actual play, Williams proved herself the superior, advancing the ball twice as far as Columbia, and at times playing a strong defensive game. The Purple, however was not able to gain consistently during the first half, while Columbia's gains all came at the right moment. Elder played especially well while nearly all the back-field deserve credit for their fine offensive work. Columbia's best individual players were Von Saltza and Fisher.

The game was opened by Columbia's kicking off to A. Brown. The ball was soon lost on a fumble. The Purple line however held firmly, and Columbia was forced to punt. After changing hands several times, the leather was carried principally by small gains, to Columbia's 30-yard line, where it was lost on downs. At this point the Blue and White began to play a strong offensive game, and finally, through the poor handling of punts by the Williams backs, and fierce plunges through guard and tackle by Fisher and Von Saltza, made the first touchdown. Time was called soon after, with the ball on the Purple's 45-yard line.

After an unsuccessful attempt at a fake kickoff, Bixby sent the ball over the Blue and White's goal line, where a Columbia player fell upon it for a touchback. Columbia kicked out from her 25-yard line. Williams lost the ball on downs. Columbia was forced to kick but soon recovered the ball on her opponent's 35-yard line, and from that point carried it, chiefly through the tackles, over the line for another score. Fisher kicked goal.

At this point the Purple began to play football. Jaeckel and Johnson were substituted. Williams obtained possession of the ball in the center of the field and long end runs by A. Brown and D. Brown, together with occasional line bucks by Bates and penalties imposed on Columbia, resulted in a touchdown. The attempt at goal failed. After the next kickoff Williams rushed the

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DEFEAT OF FRESHMEN

Hotchkiss Wins by Score of 15-0—Outweighs Its Opponents

The freshman football team was defeated by the Hotchkiss school at Lakeville, Saturday by the score of 15 to 0. The freshmen were outweighed and lack of practice was a severe handicap. All the scoring was in the first half.

The work of the freshmen improved in the second half, Hotchkiss never crossing the 25-yard line. The feature of the game was a goal from a place kick by Coy of Hotchkiss from the 35 yard line.

The summary.

Hotchkiss.	Williams 1909.
Logan, le	re, Woodruff
Oreson, lt	rt, MacMeen
Brown, (Capt,) lg	rg, Westbrook
Loree, Hotchkiss, Davis, c	c, Perkins
McGnire, rg	lg, Morse
Jndd, rt	lt, Crawford
Snyder, Kerr, re	le, Rogers
Corey, Campbell, Lewis, qb,	qb, Santry, Wadsworth
Coy, Gaddes, Potter, lhb	rhb, Westen
King, Snyder, rhb	lhb, Mitchell, Hormel
Sherwood, Earnshaw, fb	fb, Mayer, Williams

Touchdowns—Sherwood, 2; goal from touchdown—Coy; goal from placement—Coy. Referee, Bissell of Hotchkiss; umpire, Gutterson of Williams; linesmen, Burpee of Hotchkiss and Hormel of Williams.

A. Mitchell 1907 Won

In the finals of the college golf tournament, A. Mitchell, 1907, of Rock Island, Ill., won the championship by defeating A. Gregory 1907, 9 up and 7 to play, 36 holes. The match was played Saturday.

The results of the play during the tournament follow:

1st round—A. Mitchell 2 up on Clapp; Lynde by default from Holroyd; Aub 6 and 5 from Westen; Gregory 2 and 1 from L. Allen. All others drew byes.

2nd round—Wheeler 2 and 1 from McGuckin; Fitch 8 and 7 from Botsford; A. Mitchell by default from Bowker; L. Mitchell by default from Lynde; Johnston 5 and 4 from Aub; Redick 2 and 1 from Ayers; Lichtenhein 5 and 4 from Woodfin; Gregory by default from Martin.

3d round—Fitch 4 and 2 from Wheeler; A. Mitchell 7 and 6 from L. Mitchell; Redick 5 and 4 from Johnston; Gregory 1 up from Lichtenhein.

Semi-finals—A. Mitchell 4 and 3 from Fitch; Gregory 6 and 5 from Redick.

Finals—A. Mitchell 9 and 7 from Gregory.

Thirty-five men have entered the fall tennis tournament.

CALENDAR

TUESDAY, OCT. 17.

9.00 a. m.—Team match, New England Intercollegiate Golf Association begins, Wollaston.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 18.

2.30 p. m.—Freshman - Sophomore track meet, Weston Field.

THURSDAY, OCT. 19.

9.00 a. m.—Individual competition, New England Intercollegiate Golf Assaciation begins, Wollaston.

GOLF AT WOLLASTON

New England Intercollegiate Tournament Begins Tomorrow

The annual tournament of the New England intercollegiate golf association begins tomorrow on the links of the Wollaston Golf club, near Boston, and will be finished Friday afternoon. The following colleges will be represented: Dartmouth, Brown, Amherst, Bowdoin, M. I. T., and Williams.

At the meeting of the association, which will be held this evening at the Adams House, the details of play will be arranged and drawings will be made. Team matches will be contested tomorrow and Wednesday, and the individual matches, including the qualifying round, will take place Thursday and Friday. The eighteen hole course of the Wollaston club is in the best of condition, and this, together with the fact that all the college teams have been playing good golf this fall, should insure a hot contest and low scores.

The tournament last year, held on the Springfield course, was won by Amherst, and the individual championship by Anderson of Amherst, winning from Mercer of Brown on the last green. Williams lost to M. I. T. in the first round, by a narrow margin; but defeated M. I. T. and Brown in the second day's play.

The Williams team will play in the following order: 1, A. Mitchell 1907; 2, E. A. Clapp 1906; 3, L. Mitchell 1907; 4, H. Wilcox 1909; 5, A. Gregory 1907.

Freshman Football Schedule

The following schedule has been arranged for the freshman football team:

Oct. 25—Williamstown High school.

Oct. 28—Troy High school.

Nov. 8—Pittsfield High school.

A game with Drury will be added. All the games will be played in Williamstown.

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Commercialism in College Athletics

Reform seems to be the tendency of the times. It has placed its hand on organizations, and public office, but thus far has not reached the college world, where reform is badly needed. The other day President Roosevelt met the athletic advisors of Yale, Harvard and Princeton, and expressed to them his desire to eliminate brutality from the game of football. Unquestionably there is need of a change in the morale of the game, which can be brought about only through the co-operation of athletic officials with the rules committee. A question of far greater importance, however, should be considered first. Commercialism in college athletics has been, and is still, the bane of true athletic spirit in colleges. It must be stamped out at once, or college sport will lose its interest and degenerate into a business proposition. If the door is left open to the hired athlete, the intercollegiate contest will become a disgraceful masquerade. If there is to be any true spirit, culture or refinement, not to mention fair play, in the American college, commercialism must go.

During the past summer magazines and papers all over the country have deplored the existence of this evil. The Outlook devoted almost an entire number to the subject. The attack made upon college athletics in McClure's Magazine last spring, has not been forgotten yet. The New York Evening Post satirically remarked that the athlete might be forced to work for his degree, and said that Princeton, once a famous country club, was in danger of becoming, under the preceptor system, a mere institution of learning. Of late the discussion has waned a bit; the need of reform, is, nevertheless, present still, and with the football season in full sway, has become more evident.

Commercialism should be distinguished from professionalism. The mercenary spirit accompanies both, but in the latter is an individual matter. Professionalism is a problem more easily solved, by intercollegiate agreement among captains to obey the rules governing amateur contests. Commercialism, on the other hand, is more general, for it is openly practiced by coaches and captains, and appears to be tacitly permitted by college authorities. Briefly, the educational institution that hires players to uphold its athletic prestige, is guilty of commercialism.

Examples are many and well known. The athlete of recognized ability has all his expenses paid at a preparatory school. The same applies to college. In some cases the financial part of the agreement takes the form of a situation offered, with fabulous pay attached. Again, the athelete takes the good end of a large wager that the car will run off the track. The question becomes one of money, and the highest bidder wins.

All small colleges are not free from commercialism. In the majority, however, it is entirely absent, and in others less pronounced than in the large universities. In contending with an institution that maintains a team of hired players, the small college is under a disadvantage. It has recourse to but one method of defense—lowering the standard of scholarship, by easing up on entrance requirements.

Occasionally a step, never radical enough, is taken in the right direction. But commercialism is not a question to be settled by rules and regulations, and agreements of professional coaches; alumni, athletic supporters, or captains. The solution rests with the faculty and trustees. When athletics take such a turn that they are detrimental to the best interests of an institution, the time is certainly at hand when reform should come from the power that regulates the affairs of the college and determines its policy.

Cap and Bells Elections

At the final trials for Cap and Bells, the dramatic club, held Thursday evening, the following men, all members of the freshman class, were elected to membership: John Howe Carlisle of Passaic, N. J., Joseph Osgood Hanson of Chicago, Everett L. Hazelton of Portland, Me., Almet R. Latson jr., of Brooklyn, N. Y., Henry B. Pennell jr., of Portland, Me., Louis E. Tifft of Springfield; Stillman F. Westbrook of Ogdensburg, N. Y.

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Special rates have been granted by the railroads, making round trip tickets from Williamstown cost $2.20. These tickets are good going from Oct. 19 to Oct. 23, and returning from Oct. 20 to Oct. 24.

The annual meeting of the Student Volunteer Union of Western Massachusetts will be held Friday afternoon. The opening session of the conference will be addressed by Rev. Arthur S. Lloyd, D. D., general secretary of the Protestant Episcopal board of domestic and foreign missions. Other addresses will be given by the Rev. S. M. Zwemer, of Arabia. Mr. Harlan P. Beach, Mr. J. B. Rodgers, and the Rev. H. St. George Tucker.

Geological Specimens

Through the generosity of a friend of the college, a valuable collection of tertiary fossils was purchased during the past summer, and added to the college museum in Clark Hall.

The purchase was made from Mr. Wells of Sturgis, S. D., an aged geologist, who had collected the specimens from the bad lands of South Dakota. The fossils are in an exceptionally fine state of preservation; they include a number of skulls, both large and small, a large turtle, and several hoofs. A full description of them will be given later.

In addition to this collection, a number of models of instruments made by prehistoric men have been placed in Clark Hall. These include models of carved bone daggers and knife handles, pieces of mastodon tusks with figures of mastodons carved in them, and other articles of ornament and use belonging to the stone age.

ALUMNI NEWS

'85—Hon. Bentley W. Warren, on account of pressure of other duties, has resigned his position on the state civil service board, of which he was chairman.

'95—Fred E. Draper, jr., has been nominated for the office of district attorney of Troy, on the democratic ticket.

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Columbia Wins

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ball back to Columbia's 22-yard line but lost on downs. The game ended with the ball on the 33-yard line.

The line up:

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Duden, Lee, Naething, lt	rt, Marshall, Johnson
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Aigeltinger, c	c, Campbell
Ryan, Davis, rg.	lg, Harter
Von Saltza, Browne, rt	lt, Bixby
Enos, Hurley, re	le, Elder
Donovan, qb	qb, Waters, Jaeckel
Helmrich, lhb	rhb, A. Brown
Lindo, Willard, rhb	lhb, D. Brown
J. Fisher, Hodgkinson, Armstrong, fb	fb, Robb, Bates

Touchdowns—J. Fisher, Von Saltza, D. Brown; goal from touchdown—Fisher. Referee, S. McClave, Princeton; umpire, White, Michigan; linesman, Hodgeman, Princeton; time of halves, 30 and 15 minutes.

Freshman-Sophomore Track

Sophomore and freshman track material is showing up well in the preliminary training for the coming meet between the underclassmen. The meet will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. A big squad of entries for both track and field events is reporting for daily practise on Weston Field. B. P. Allen is captain of the sophomore team and Horrax of the freshman.

The sophomores have been doing good work in the hundred and the 220 yard dashes, the mile run, the shot put, the hammer throw and the discus. The freshmen have strong men for the quarter mile run, the half mile run, the high and low hurdles, the high jump and the pole vault

COLLEGE NOTES

Prof. Cleland with twenty members of Geology I made an expedition to Stone Hill and Flora's Glen Saturday afternoon.

The first of a series of college sings was held in Jesup Hall Thursday evening. The next sing will be held Thursday October 19th.

At a meeting of the gun club held Friday evening. Prof. J. L. Kellogg was elected president. Geer '07 was chosen secretary and treasurer.

The following men were taken on the Columbia trip: Bixby, Bates, Blaisdell, Cambpell, 1906; A. Brown, Chapman, Hill, Jaeckel Johnson, Russell, 1907; D. Brown, Curtis, Elder, Eldridge, La Ment, Marshall, Waters, 1908; C. Brown, Harter, Robb, 1909.

The following alumni were in town last week: Mygatt '70, Yates '85, Broughton '89, Burns '89, Ludlow '93, Allen '95, A. C. Pattreson '00, K. Smith '03, Cox '03, Brown '03, Morton '03, Herrick '04, Eldred '05, Temple ex-'07, Phelps ex-'08, Newman ex-'08.

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The New Quadrangle

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two east entrances to East and probably over the two west entrances.

The interior of the addition will be fitted up in the best possible manner, with two suites, of a study and two bed-rooms, on each floor. Each of these suites will have extensive bath-room fixtures. In addition, since the ground falls away so rapidly toward the rear, three single rooms can be accommodated in a fourth lower floor. General toilet accommodations will also be placed in the basement. All the studies and single rooms will be provided with fire-places.

The addition will be partially fireproof, being built throughout in what is known as slow-burning construction. All the halls and floors will be of hard maple. The building will be plastered on wire lath, and the staircases will be of metal with slate treads. The brick wall at the south end of South College will be left untouched, thus affording a secure fire partition between old South College and the new addition. The architect's estimate of the cost of the addition is $25,000.

The New Dormitory

The new dormitory will be 115 feet long and 44 feet wide, will be three stories high, accommodating 42 men, and will be of the same general shape as Morgan Hall. The wings will extend to the eastward, and the straight side of the building will face South College.

Exterior Description

The exterior will be of simple colonial design corresponding in general character with East and South Colleges. This simplicity of design will be broken only by three marble colonial porches, one in the center of the west side, one in the center of the north end, and one in the center of the south end, corresponding in detail to the porches to be built on East and South.

The building will be built of a superior quality of dark red brick, with white marble trimmings. The cornice and trimmings above will be of glazed terra cotta to match the marble. Eventually East and South will probably be repainted to correspond with Berkshire Hall, or else Berkshire Hall will also be painted cream color.

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Both Berkshire Hall and the South College addition will be finished in brown ash, with corridors finished in hard plaster and all walls painted and ceilings tinted. Both buildings will be lighted by electricity and heated with direct steam.

The North Wing

The north wing of the building is designed to accommodate 14 men, in single rooms, and, in general plan will resemble one of the central entries of Morgan Hall. The rooms, 14 feet by 16 feet, will be on the northeast and northwest corners of each floor.

Back of each of these rooms will be a second single room of the same size, and a fifth single room is provided for on each floor, opposite the entrance on the first floor and over it on the second and third. In case there is little demand for single rooms, each floor can be changed into two suites with individual bedrooms, one containing two men and one three, or two two-man suites and one single room. Toilet accommodations for both the north wing and central section will be in the basement, since the contour of the ground, as in Griffin Hall, admits suitable light from the rear. Janitor's rooms, trunk rooms and store rooms will be constructed in the basement.

The Central Entry

The central entry is designed to accommodate sixteen men, is arranged on the same general plan as the east entry of Morgan Hall, and is, like the north wing, so arranged as to permit of single rooms or suites, according to the demand. The rooms will be used next fall as double rooms. On each side of the entrance will be a study 14 by 16 feet with two bedrooms, 8 by 11 feet, back of it. A fifth room, of nearly the same size as the bedrooms, just back of the entrance, will be used either as a single room, or as a third bedroom for one of the suites.

The South Wing

The south wing will contain six suites, two on each floor, and will accommodate twelve men. The suites will be located on each side of the entrance. The studies will be 16 by 14 feet and will all contain fireplaces. The bedrooms will be back of the studies, and will be reached by short private corridors. Each corridor will, in

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The architects' estimate of the cost of the dormitory is $60,000, and the buildings are to be completed Aug. 15, 1906. Allen and Collins of Boston, who drew the plans for the Thompson Memorial Chapel, are the architects, and the contractors will be determined when the bids are opened Wednesday.

OBITUARY

'45—Rev. David Lyman Buttolph died on Aug. 7, at Msrietta, Ga., aged eighty-two years. Dr. Buttolph was the son of David Buttolph of the class of 1803; he was born in 1822 at Norwich, N. Y., and after graduating from Williams, went south where he taught school. After graduating from a theological school in Columbia, S. C., in 1852, he entered the ministry and was pastor of churches at Charleston, S. C., Midway, Ga., and from 1867 to 1887, of the Presbyterian church at Marietta. He received the degree of D. D., from the University of Georgia in 1879.

'48—Hon. Daniel Ephraim Safford died recently at his home in Hamilton, Mass. He was born in Hamilton; prepared at Andover academy, graduated from Williams in 1848, and from Harvard Law school in the class of 1850. Mr. Safford practised law continually from then until the time of his death, and for eighteen years was justice of the first district court. He was a member of both the Massachusetts House of Representatives and the State Senate.

'49—Rev. Timothy Allyn Hazen died at his home in Springfield on July 15, aged 79 years. Mr. Hazen was born in Agawam in 1826, prepared for college at Westfield and graduated from Williams in 1849. Having studied theology at East Windsor, Conn., and graduated from Union Theological seminary in New York in 1853, he was successively pastor of churches in Dalton, Broad Brook, South Egremont, Housatonic, Goshen (Conn.), Interlaken and Great Barrington. Ill health was the cause of his retirement from active work sixteen years ago.

'53—Hon. Egbert Henry Fairchild died suddenly of apoplexy at the home of his daughter in Minneapolis on Aug. 3, aged 72. He was born in Ogdensburg, N. Y., in 1833. After graduating from Williams, Mr. Fairchild studied law, and taught school. In 1858 he made New York city his home, and was engaged with his father in the construction of the "New Reservoir" in Central Park. He was afterwards secretary of the Hudson and Harlem River Canal Co., and later moved to Sioux City, Ia.

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THE DARTMOUTH GAME

Coach Ely Thinks Team Has a Chance—The Line-ups

Williams meets Dartmouth at Hanover Saturday in her first big football match of the year. Dartmouth is this year both lighter and more inexperienced than last, and the Purple has almost an even chance to win. No basis of comparative scores is possible for the two teams, but Dartmouth's defeat by Colgate at Hanover last Saturday shows that the Green is not invincible.

In the line the two teams are about equal. Colgate was unable to make any gains on Dartmouth from tackle to tackle, scoring its touchdowns on brilliant end runs. Williams averages 200 lbs. from tackle to tackle and has the heaviest team in its history. Dartmouth's back-field is fast and very heavy, and it is the constant battering of these weighty, experienced backs that Williams has most to fear. The Dartmouth team is reported in condition, and the Williams eleven will all be in good shape by Saturday.

When seen last night, Coach Ely said: "If the team can play consistent football at the form they showed in the second half of the Columbia game, they will win. The line-men must play low, and the backs well together. The team as a whole is better than last year's team before the Dartmouth game, and Dartmouth is reported weaker, so if the men can remember to play hard football all the time, and not show the streaks of indifferent playing they exhibited much of the time at Columbia, we should have a fair chance. To play hard and play together all the time is the secret."

Dartmouth will start the game with the following line-up:

Church l. e., Bankart l. t., Thayer l. g., Dillingham c., Gage r. g., Laing r. t. R. Glaze r. e., J. Glaze q. b., Main (Capt.) l. h. b., Herr r. h. b., Rich f. b.

The Williams line-up, with ages, weights and heights of the players, is as follows:

Name	Pos.	Age	Ht.	Wt.
Elder	le	19	5.7½	158
Bixby	lt	21	6.2	185
Harter	lg	19	6	225
Campbell	c	24	5.9½	204
Eldridge	rg	20	0	204
Marshall	rt	24	6	181
Curtis	re	21	5.9½	160
Jaeckel	qb	20	5.9½	148
A. Brown	lhb	21	5.9	155
D. Brown	rhb	18	5.10	165
Waters	fb	20	5.9	165

FRESHMAN VICTORY

Sixteen-Point Margin Wins Annual Underclass Track Meet

The annual freshman-sophomore track meet was held on Weston Field yesterday afternoon and was won by 1909 with 66⅔ points to 50⅓ made by 1908. The weather was less of a factor than it was a year ago, and although a light rain fell during the early events the track was firm and in excellent condition. The thirteen events were not finished till five o'clock, the large number of entries in almost every event causing a delay.

While no surprises were developed in the line of new material, the times and distances were generally very creditable and lend promise of a well-balanced team for the coming spring. The best performances were made in the mile, half-mile and broad jump. The best individual work was done by Capt. Allen and Clark of the sophomores, each of whom won 10 points, and by Capt. Horrax of the freshmen, who captured four firsts and a third. Swain 1909 also did excellent work. The half-mile run and the finals of the low hurdles were well contested, the judges being unable to agree upon the winner of first place in the latter event. Following is the summary:

100-yards dash.—Clark '08 first, Green '09 second, Watters '08 third; time 11 sec.

220-yards dash.—Clark '08 first, Watters '08 second, Strobel '09 third; time, 24 3-5 sec.

440-yards run.—Johnston '09 first, Hoch '09 second, Fenno '08 third; time 56 1-5 sec.

Half-mile run.—Allen '08 first, Holmes '09 second, Leeds '08 third; time, 2 min., 8 4-5 sec.

One mile run.—Allen '08 first, Loomis '09 second, Goodbody '08 third; time 4 min., 55 sec.

120-yards hurdles.—Horrax '09 first, Matz '09 second, Mayer '09 third; time 17 sec.

220-yards hurdles.—Swain '09 and Mayer '09 tied for first, Dodd '09 third; time 29 4-5 sec.

High jump.—Atwater '09, Horrax '09, Matz '09 and Strobel '09 tied at 5 ft., 1 in., the tie not being jumped off.

Broad jump.—Horrax '09 first, 20 ft., 2 in., Jenkins '09 second, 18 ft., 3½in., T. W. Fowle '08 third, 17 ft., 7 in.

Pole vault.—Horrax '09 first, L. R. Fowle '08 second, Hoch '09, Tifft '09 and Searritt '08 tied for third; height, 9 feet.

Shot Put.—Marshall '08 first.

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FIRST AT GOLF

Williams Team Champions—Two Men in Semi-finals

Boston, Mass., Oct. 17—In the finals of the New England intercollegiate golf tournament, played on the links of the Wollaston Golf club at Montclair this afternoon, Williams defeated M. I. T. by a score of 10 to 4, winning the championship title. The team play in the morning resulted in a decided victory for Williams over Amherst, and the defest of Brown by Technology. The score in the Williams-Amherst match was 23 to 0, not a single Amherst player being able to score. Under the ordinary straight hole system of scoring the result would have been Williams 36, Amherst 0.

The match with Technology was closer, but at the end of the first nine holes it was evident that Williams would win by a comfortable margin. In the morning round Mitchell scored a 77, bogey for the course; Wilcox made both rounds in 79, the best total for the day.

At the meeting of the executive committee Monday evening it was decided to adopt the Tuxedo, or intercollegiste system of scoring, a point for the match, and half a point for every hole won. Tufts, Dartmouth and Bowdoin were represented, but did not enter teams in the championship contest. These colleges will probably enter players in the individual contest.

The first round resulted as follows:

Williams		Amherst	
A. Mitchell	4½	R. H. Flynt	0
E. Clapp	2	A. M. Rowley	0
L. Mitchell	7½	N. F. Faunce	0
H. Wilcox	5½	F. Thayer	0
A. Gregory	3½	F. Sturgis	0
	23		0

Williams, by 23 points.

M. I. T.		Brown	
T. M. Gilmer	2	C. D. Mercer	0
A. G. Pfeil	0	R. B. Jones	1½
O. W. Porter	5	J. Mackenzie	0
C. Turner	3½	Budlong	0
W. Barcus	4½	E. B. Mayer	0
	15		1½

M. I. T. by 13½ points.

The finals resulted as follows:

Williams		M. I. T.	
A. Mitchell	0	T. M. Gilmer	2½
H. Wilcox	2½	O. W. Potter	0
L. Mitchell	2½	W. G. Pfeil	0
E. Clapp	5	C. Turner	0
A. Gregory	0	W. Barcus	1½
	10		4

Williams, by 6 points.

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CALENDAR

THURSDAY, OCT. 19.

7.15 p. m.—1909 class meeting, J. H.

7.30 p. m.—College sing, J. H.

SATURDAY, OCT. 21.

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Dartmouth football game, Hanover.

SUNDAY, OCT. 22.

10.30 a. m.—College Chapel, Rev. S. Parkes Cadman, D.D., of Brooklyn, will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y.M.C.A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Cadman will speak.

CONTRACT AWARDED

L. D. Willcutt and Son to Construct Berkshire Hall—The Cost

The bids for the construction of Berkshire Hall were opened in Boston yesterday noon at the office of Bentley W. Warren '85, in the presence of Mr. Warren, President Henry Lefavour '83 and President Hopkins. The contract was swarded to the lowest bidder, L. D. Willcutt snd Son of Boston, who built the new chapel. The contrsct price was about $60,000, and did not include plumbing, heating or grading. The total cost of the dormitory will probably be about $75.000. Work will be begun on the foundations at once.

As the plans of the South College extension were slightly altered, no bids were recieved on this portion of the work. President Hopkins said last night that the probable cost of the sddition would be $25,000.

Dr. Cadman to Preach

Rev. S. Parkes Cadman, D. D. of Brooklyn, will preach in the chapel next Sunday morning and will also address the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall at 7:30 p. m. Dr. Cadman was the pastor of the Metropolitan Temple for five years, and since 1900 has been pastor of the Central Congregational church, Brooklyn. Dr. Cadman has been heard in Williamstown several times in recent years, and is a powerful speaker who always commands careful attention.

Missionary Conference

All men intending to attend the missionary conference at South Hadley tomorrow and Saturday should see either Perry '06 or secretary Pettit at once. A party is planned to leave Williamstown Friday afternoon. By obtaining registration cards from Perry or Pettit, members of the party will be entertained Friday night in South Hadley. Details of the conference were published in the last issue of The Record.

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Two-hour Courses

The Williams curriculum, as at present arranged under the group system, consists almost wholly of courses in which the recitations are held three or more times a week, with practically no classes whose recitations are held less frequently. That these large time-divisions are unwieldy is apparent. More than one course, especially in the language departments, must be subdivided, the study of the course proper claiming its portion of time, while the study of other subjects related to it but not forming an integral part of it demands a third or fourth hour, as the case may be. Again, in other courses relics of the old term system survive, and essentially different divisions of a study may be given together as a united course. Thus a student wishing to include a desired topic in his schedule is often obliged, in these subdivided courses, to devote a part of his time to other studies included in the course which may be distasteful or useless to him.

Nor does the difficulty lie only in the fact that often the wheat and the chaff can not be separated in our intellectual food. To make the statement that courses are not given because of this three-hour limit which seems to have crystallized would be farcical. The point remains, however, that there are certain subjects, whose nature demands two-hour limits, which could well be offered at Williams today. Brief periods, units in themselves, too short to be treated in a three-hour semester course, and too important to be united with other courses, lie in this class. Particular phases of a subject, not admitting of long detailed treatment, but of distinct importance, as (in language courses) composition, conversation, life and manners, etc., require a two-hour limit.

Thirdly, a general establishment of two-hour courses would permit greater specialization in many studies where at present specialization is lacking. A student's energies could be concentrated on a particular brief period or phase, and his individual bent allowed to develop itself in the more minute subdivisions of a subject.

To pick flaws in any curriculum is easy, to point their remedies difficult. The group system, from the stand-point of the student body, has worked out with unusual success. This subdivision of present courses, and elimination of desired courses which, if given, must naturally be two-hour courses, is today the only large defect in its general plan. In the addition of new two-hour courses, and the resolution of some present three and four-hour courses into their component two-hour courses, lies the cure for the defect.

We would not argue for an arrangement of courses like that at Wesleyan—under the university system, to be sure, but comparable with Williams when the registrations of the two are considered—where 60 per cent of the courses are two-hour courses, but we do believe that, through a golden mean between present-dsy Wesleyan and Williams, through the presentation of a proportion of two-hour courses about the same as at Dartmouth, where 15 per cent are for that time, would result an improvement in the curriculum of the college.

For Tuskegee Institute

The charities committee of the Y. M. C. A. has in charge the sending of a box to Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Ala. Clothing or magazines for the box should be given to any one of the following: Smith '06, Kincaid '07, Stocking '07, Bedford '08, Murray '08.

TENNIS MATCHES

Results of Contests in Fall Tournament to Date

The following matches have been played in the fall tennis tournament to date:

Preliminary Round

Johnson '08 beat Patten '07; 6-2, 6-2.

Lynde '08, beat Palmer '07; 3-6, 6-3, 7-5.

First Round

Smith '06, beat Fowle '08; 6-3, 7-5.

Schell '06 beat Metzger '09; 6-1, 6-0.

Thompson '08 beat Bridgeman '08; 6-3, 6-1.

Porter '07 beat Dodd '09; 3-6, 6-1, 6-4.

Palmer '07 beat Rowland '09; 6-0, 6-1.

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The Wells Collection of Extinct Vertebrates Purchased

It is usually impossible to purchase specimens of extinct vertebrates that have been collected by competent men. Recently Williams college was so fortunate as to secure in this way a collection of exceptionally fine skulls and other portions of the skeletons of tertiary animals from the Bad Lands of South Dakota. This collection has been mounted and placed on exhibition in Clark Hall. Among the specimens of this collection the most striking are the following:

A skull, vertebrae and some of the leg bones of Titanatherium, an animal which attained elephantine proportions. The most striking feature of the head is the saddle-shaped skull with two horns on either side of the nose. In order that the appearance of the animal may be understood, a restoration of the whole animal, in plaster by Knight, is placed by the skull. It is expected that, in the near future, the horns necessary to complete this skeleton will be secured and the mounted skeleton placed on exhibition. The evolution of the horns is shown by restorations of a series of five heads representing the line of descent.

Another remarkable specimen, which will be on exhibition soon, is that of a giant pig of the tertiary, with a head almost a yard long, the cheeks of which extend down below the lower jaw. A photograph of the restoration of this animal gives an excellent idea of its appearance in life.

The shell of a Tertiary sea-turtle is now on exhibition. The skull and jaws of a sea-reptile, Mososaur, are now being prepared and will be on exhibition before the close of the winter.

The skulls of a number of smaller animals, although less striking in appearance, are equally valuable for teaching purposes, since they show the progress of evolution of the families which they represent. Mention should also be made of the restoration in plaster of the huge reptile, Brontosaurus. This animal was, as far as our knowledge goes, the longest that has ever lived, attaining a length of eighty feet.

Dartmouth Scores

Dartmouth 34, Norwich U. 0.
Dartmouth 18, M. A. C. 0.
Dartmouth 12, U. of Vt. 0.
Dartmouth 16, Holy Cross 6.
Dartmouth 10, Colgate 16.

Dartmouth Trip

The team will leave for Dartmouth at 11:20 Friday morning, and will probably return Sunday night at 9.25. About twenty men will be taken.

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First at Golf

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Individual Champ'onship

Boston, Oct. 18—The medal round for the individual championship was played this morning.

The following sixteen qualified:

H. Wilcox, Williams	83
A. Mitchell, Williams	83
E. Clapp, Williams	83
W. G. Pfeil, Technology	84
C. D. Mercer, Brown	84
O. W. Potter, Technology	85
A. Gregory, Williams	85
W. F. Garby, Dartmouth	85
L. W. Mitchell, Williams	88
T. M. Gilmer, Technology	88
R. L. Flynt, Amherst	88
N. F. Faunce, Amherst	89
F. R. Upton, Bowdoin	89
P. H. Brown, Bowdoin	90
R. H. Peck, Dartmouth	91
R. B. Jones, Brown	91

The weather was as clear as yesterday, but a stiff wind blowing across the course prevented low scoring. Three Williams players tied with an 83, for low score.

The first round was played this afternoon and resulted as follows:

A. Mitchell, Williams, 4 and 3 from L. Mitchell, Williams; Mercer, Brown, 8 and 6 from Faunce, Amherst; Peck, Dartmouth, 1 up (21 holes) from Potter, M. I. T., Wilcox, Williams, 4 and 3 from Flynt, Amherst; Pfeil, M. I. T., 5 and 4 from Upton, Bowdoin; Jones, Brown, 1 up from Garby, Dartmouth; Gregory, Williams, 2 and 1 from Brown, Bowdoin; Clapp, Williams, 5 and 4 from Gilmer, M. I. T.

Second Round

[By telephone to The Record]

Boston, Mass., Oct. 19, 2 p. m. In the second round of the individual championship, played this morning, the results were as follows: A. Mitchell, Williams, won from Mercer, Brown, 1 up, 19 holes; Peck, Dartmouth, won from Wilcox, Williams, 4 and 2; Pfeil, M. I. T., won from Jones, Brown, 2 and 1; Clapp, Williams, won from Gregory, Williams, 5 and 4. The match between A. Mitchell and Mercer, runner-up in last year's championship, was hard fought. Mitchell went out in 38, two under bogey, but Mercer squared the match by winning the last three holes. On the 19th green Mitchell won his way to the semi-finals by holing a long putt.

Class Prayer Meetings

The regular class prayer meetings will be held Friday at 7:30 p. m. in Jesup Hall. The subject will be "Christian work in this vicinity," Matt. 9; 36-38.

Leaders are as follows: 1906, Lowe; 1907, Mathews; 1908, Fischer; 1909, Morgan '06.

Appointed Assistant Professor

Announcement has been given out that Mr. David Taggart Clark, instructor in Latin and Greek, and Dr. Monroe Nichols Wetmore, instructor in Latin, were promoted to the rank of assistant professor at the October trustees' meeting.

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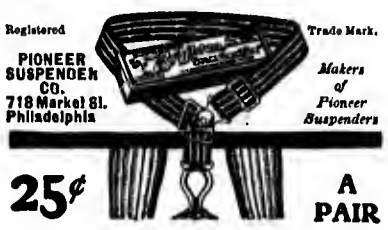


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Year	Williams	Dartmouth
1888	6	36
1889	9	20
1890	6	0
1891	14	6
1892	12	24
1893	0	20
1894	0	10
1895	5	10
1896	0	10
1897	0	52
1898	6	10
1899	12	10
1900	No game	
1901	2	6
1902	0	18
1903	0	17
1904	0	11

Conference of English Departments

A conference of the English departments of Dartmouth, Brown, Amherst and Williams will be held in Springfield Oct. 26. The conference is called to suggest methods for the improvement of the condition of entrance English in preparatory schools. The different colleges will be be represented as follows: Dartmouth, Prof. Emery; Brown, Prof. Richardson; Amherst, Prof. Churchill; Williams, Prof. Maxcy.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Fire hoses have been placed on all the standpipes in Morgan Hall.

The first regular meetings of the literary societies were held last evening.

Mr. Lewis will be out of town every Friday, teaching at the Yale Divinity school at New Haven.

The out-door board track is being put in position on the old campus.

President Hopkins was in Boston Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday on business connected with the new dormitory.

Mr. Edward Baxter Perry of Boston will give a pianoforte lecture recital at the Opera House at 8 o'clock, Saturday evening.

Ground has been broken for the new baseball cage. It will be situated on the old campus to the south of the baseball diamond.

The college catalogue is in the hands of the printer. First proofs of the pages containing the class rolls will be posted in Hopkins Hall for correction very soon.

At a meeting of the Wesleyan debating team Tuesday night, it was decided that Nomer '06 should open the debate and Case '07 deliver the closing speech.

Prof. Spring is writing a "History of Williams College" as an article in "The History of Berkshire County," soon to be published at Pittsfield.

The following alumni have been in town this week: Post '58, Fitch '92, Waterman '98, Gibbs '00, Baldwin '00, Slade '02, Cox '03, L. Brown '03.

Prof. Russell will be the principal speaker on Nov. 11, at the 39th annual joint convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Mass. and R. I. at Westfield.

Up to Oct. 14 the men of 1908 head the list of those who have taken no cuts in any subject, with 25. The sophomores boast 7, the juniors but 4, and the seniors 6, making 42 abstainers in all.

Cross-country runs will be held four times a week until the middle of November. At that time a class cross-country run will be held from South Williamstown to the gym., as last year, with prizes for the first three places.

Owing to Amherst's decision last spring not to support a basketball team, Williams' basketball schedule will not include the Purple and White this winter. The schedule will be completed in about two weeks.

Westermann '08 has presented the Clark Hall museum with an Egyptian tear-jug, found in a tomb near Cairo, a shot fired at the siege of East Haven, Conn., during the Revolution, dug up there recently, and an iron flat-iron-stand, brought to Pennsylvania between 1680 and 1690.

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Teachers' Institute of Southern Berkshire at Great Barrington Tuesday on "English in the preparatory school." On Nov. 10 he will address the High school division of the Franklin County Teachers' association at Shelburne Falls on the same subject, and will speak before the entire association on "Sincerity in Teaching."

Prof. T. C. Smith will spend Saturday in Cambridge in consultation with Albert Bushnell Hart, LL. D., editor of the 28-volume history now appearing, entitled "The American Nation. A History." Prof. Smith's book, which is now completed, is vol. 18 of the series and is entitled "Parties and Slavery." Ten volumes of the history have been published and the others will follow as soon as ready.

ALUMNI NEWS

'85—Hon. Bentley W. Warren, a member of the committee on grounds, buildings and improvements, sailed today on a six-weeks trip to Europe.

Ex-'06—Kellogg is at Colgate university.

Ex-'07—Leavitt is at Hampton, N. H.

Ex-'07—Welch has a position with the Pittsfield Electric Co., in Pittsfield.

Ex-'07—Williams is studying at the Brooklyn Law school.

Ex-'07—McLellan is at the Bryant-Stratton Business College, in Boston.

Ex-'07—English is taking a course in commercial law at the University of Chicago.

Ex-'07—Ogsbury has a position with the Nichols Copper Co., in New York city.

Ex-'07—Hotaling is in the class of 1907 in the Wharton school of the University of Pennsylvania.

Ex-'07—H. Rogers is a sophomore at Hobart college.

Ex-'07—Feeny is studying law in New York city.

Ex-'07—MacEwan is employed in the firm of Walter MacEwan & Co., wholesale grocers, Albany.

Ex-'07—Penny is at the University of Colorado, at Boulder, Col.

Ex-'08—Wood has a government position with the Panama Canal Commission, at Matachin, Canal Zone, Panama.

Ex'-08—T. D. Williams is engaged in the wholesale lumber business with J. Randall Williams & Son, Philadelphia.

Ex-'08—Speyer is employed with the American Smelting and Refining Co., at Perth Amboy, N. J.

Ex-'08—Miner is at Hobart College. He expects to return to Williams next year.

Ex-'08—King is in the academic department of Union university.

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PURPLE OUTCLASSED

Dartmouth's Fast Team Wins 24 to 0—Rally in Second Half

The Green scored their most decisive victory over the Purple in years at Hanover Saturday, making 24 points, while Williams was unable to score. Dartmouth was heavy and fast, and in these two words lies the whole explanation of their victory. Their line played brilliantly, with Gage and Bankart the stars. Capt. Bixby was the only Williams line-man who held his own, while at the other end of the rush-line Williams' weakness was so apparent that Dartmouth directed play after play with success at that one spot. The Williams ends played a fair game.

Back of the line again, Dartmouth's superiority was apparent. The giant Rich and Herr made gains every time they took the ball, especially on an effective formation with Gage called back of the line. Williams' secondary defense was uniformly good, but the Dartmouth backs kept their formation so well after coming through the line that it was impossible to prevent four and five-yard gains. The aggressive work of the Dartmouth linemen spoiled Williams' attempts at consistent ground-gaining. Late in the second half, however, Williams braced gamely and had steadily advanced the ball well down the field when time wss called. Of the Williams team Waters played much the best football.

The game was called at 3:18. Bixby kicked off to Ralph Glaze, who ran the ball in to the center of the field. By tackle bucks, Rich and Herr generally carrying the ball, Dartmouth went straight down the field for a touchdown, checked only by a penalty for offside on the 3-yard line. Rich scored the touchdown, but R. Glaze missed an easy goal after a punt-out. Dartmouth kicked off to Waters, who was nailed by Glaze, the big end receiving an injury which later caused his retirement. Waters gained 5 yards on the first play, but was forced to punt. The pass was poor, Rich and Bankart broke through and carried him over for a safety. Dartmouth scored two more touchdowns in this half, Herr making the last on a 27-yard run, shaking off three tacklers. When time was called the ball was in Dartmouth's possession on Williams' 4-yard line.

Gage kicked off to Williams in the second half, but the Purple was forced to punt, after a good

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HEADS OF COLLEGES

Fourteen Presidents to be in Williamstown—List of Delegates

On Thursday, Nov. 2, and Friday, Nov. 3, the forty-ninth annual meeting of the association of colleges in New England will be held in Williamstown. In addition to President Hopkins and Prof. Hewitt, the official representatives of Williams, each college, except Yale, will be represented by its president and one other member of its faculty. Twenty-seven delegates from fourteen colleges will be in attendance. The members of the Williams faculty will be present at the conference, but will not take part in the discussion except by special request.

The visiting representatives of the colleges, with the places at which they will be entertained, are as follows:—

Harvard—President Charles W. Eliot, President Hopkins': John G. Hart, secretary of the faculty of arts and sciences, Prof. Clarke's.

Yale—President Arthur T. Hadley. Prof. Hewitt's. (The name of Yale's second delegate has not yet been received).

Brown—President William H. P. Faunce, Prof. Clarke's; J. Irving Manatt, professor of Greek literature and history, Rev. J. H. Denison's.

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BASEBALL CAPTAIN

Frank R. Neild 1906 Chosen to Lead Team

At a meeting Friday afternoon of the men who made their "W" in baseball last year, Frank Rollinson Neild 1906, of Holyoke, was elected baseball captain to succeed



FRANK ROLLINSON NEILD

J. O. Westervelt 1906, who has left college to enter business. Neild prepared at Williston, where he played four years, and captained the team in his junior and senior years. He has played on the 'varsity for three years, covering second base in his freshman year and since then third base.

Neild is also basketball captain for next yesr, having played center on the 1902, 1903 and 1904 teams.

Our Religious Education

At Sunday vespers President Hopkins proposed the election of four men by each of the upper classes to serve as college deacons, a plan in successful operation at Yale. These eight men are to confer with the president and faculty to devise ways and means for enlarging and bettering the religious culture of the college. Thus it is hoped that the religious side of our education, which at present occupies a minor place, can be brought to assume the position it should hold in the life of the college.

Freshman Clark Scholarship

The best examination taken for admission in September 1905 was passed by Harry Linn Fisher, 1909. He thus becomes eligible for the freshman Clark prize scholarship, by the terms of the catalogue to be awarded to the member of the freshman class "regularly and faithfully participating in and duly completing the exercises and duties of that year, who upon admission to the college shall have passed a better examination than any other such members of the class."

CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25

2:30 p. m.—Williams-Worcester Tech football game, Weston Field.

AT SOUTH HADLEY

Third Annual Missionary Conference—Addresses by Noted Men

175 delegates from fourteen colleges, besides 300 students of Mount Holyoke, attended the third annual Connecticut valley student missionary conference at South Hadley Friday and Saturday. Those present from Williams were Secretary Pettit, Gates, Leland, Lowe '06, Davis, Hart, McCleary '07, Nelson, Schofield '08, Palmer '09. Other Williams men who registered were Duley '97, Huntington '00 and Bacon '04.

The annual fall meeting of the student volunteer union of western Massachusetts, was held Friday afternoon in the Mount Holyoke chapel. Addresses were given by Miss Helen B. Calder, formerly general secretary of the Mount Holyoke Y. W. C. A., Rev. Harlan P. Beach, snd Rev. A. S. Lloyd.

The conference proper began at 7:30 Friday evening in the college chapel, being addressed by Rev. A. S. Lloyd. The Saturday morning meeting was opened by President Woolley of Mount Holyoke, followed by an address by Rev. S. M. Zwemer of Arabia, appealing for workers in that country. Addresses by members of the different colleges followed, Pettit speaking for Williams on "Why do not more students join mission study classes and where does the fault lie?"

The closing session of the conference was addressed by Rev. J. B. Rodgers on "The Philippines", Rev. Harlan P. Beach on "China," and Rev. H. St. George Tucker on "Japan," all the speakers being workers in the fields which they described to the conference. The conference adjourned at 4:00 p. m.

Williams' representative on the executive committee for 1906 will be elected soon. A meeting of the new executive committee will be held in May, which will then decide the meeting place of the conference next fall.

Worcester Tech Game

Williams will meet the Worcester Polytechnic institute in football on Weston Field Wednesday afternoon. Worcester Tech has a strong team this year, with one player in the first rank, quarterback Peters. On Saturday Holy Cross was able to score but 12 points against them, while Tech scored 6 points and outplayed Holy Cross in the second half. The Worcester team's line-up will be as follows:—Harrington r. e., Crowther r. t., Cottrell r. g., Beamen c., Quimby l. g., Manning l. t., Labrit l. e., Peters q. b., Lawley r. h. b., Hedberg l. h. b., Merrill f. b.

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The Dartmouth Game

The Purple went down in defeat at Hanover Saturday 24 to 0. Outclassed and outplayed by the Green, Williams put up a very indifferent exhibition of football. After such an occurrence it must be confessed that the outlook is dark. Nevertheless, several things must be taken into consideration. The quality of ball played by Dartmouth Saturday left no question about the strength of that team—the Hanover eleven has been greatly underrated from the beginning. The steady pounding of the Dartmouth backs against a weakened line accounted for the result. Two of Williams' players in the line were in no condition for the game, and furthermore, it is not unlikely that the whole team was overtrained.

It is easy to find fault when fortune smiles on the other team. But why does it come so hard at Williams to stretch out a hand and help? The season is only half over and the Colgate game is still two weeks off. Let this be the last call for candidates, and let the coaches have the best that can be had. After that, let the college attend the game in a body.

Changes are likely to be made in the team this week, and it can safely be said they will be for the better. If the eleven can feel that the college still has confidence in its ability, we believe Williams will score a victory on the team that defeated the Green.

The College Publications

The Williams Record and The Williams Literary Monthly are publications issued and managed by undergraduates, who hold their positions by competition, under a system not unlike that used in choosing a college athletic team. In one way only do they differ from the athletic association—the surplus, if any is made, reverts to an individual. If, however, we should take away the remuneration, two most undesirable results would follow. In the first place, the publications would suffer in management. In the second place, two positions of student employment would be lost. If this contention is satisfactorily answered, The Record and the Lit., as student enterprises, are on the same basis as other college organizations. They deserve from the student body an equal amount of support.

The business firms whose names appear in their columns have thus evidenced their interest in the college by supporting college journalism. They are at the same time entitled to a return of the money invested, which can come only through the undergraduates. Other things being equal, it seems only just that the students of the college should patronize them to the exclusion of others. For the convenience of subscribers, we shall publish in an early issue a complete list of Record advertisers.

The second method of student co-operation with the college publications is evidently by subscription. A large subscription list is as essential to a paper's existence as its advertisements. In their efforts to produce a paper representative of the college, the expenditures for The Record have this year been greatly increased. To every undergraduate not on the Record subscription list we present these facts, (1) the contract price for each issue from March 1905 to March 1906 is considerably larger than the previous year (2) the expenditure for half-tone illustrations has been doubled (3) Vol. XIX of The Record will contain, excluding the five daily numbers during Commencement week, five more issues than Vol. XVIII.

Passing by the question of college loyalty to a student organization, we ask this question: What chance is there of improving this paper by increasing the reading space, if the student subscription list continues to decrease and the undergraduates fail to show a spirit of reciprocity towards its advertisers?

Another Prejudiced Action

The recently published basket-ball guide, containing the official rules as accepted by the amateur athletic union, disposes of the college teams in an article entitled "Intercollegiate Basketball." written by Harry A. Fisher, forward

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on Columbia'a team last year. The article awards "the undisputed title of 'Intercollegiate Champions of the United States'" to the Columbia team, and mentions no eastern team outside of the five others in the intercollegiate league.

The A. A. U. has long played a dictatorial part in college basketball, but has been tolerated by the colleges until last year. Its attempt last winter to remove Yale from amateur standing, and with Yale all teams it played afterward, including, among others, Williams, Syracuse, Brown, Colgate and all the teams of the intercollegiate league, was the last straw. The incapacity then exhibited by the A. A. U. was rightly followed by an intercollegiate withdrawal from its control.

This same incapacity, reappearing in an association which could permit a championship in any sport to be awarded editorially by a member of one of the teams competing for that championship, and that, too, in an article which did not mention the strongest competitors for that championship, again justifies the colleges in their action. Rule from within always betters rule from without. Williams does well to rid itself of the A. A. U., for the intercollegiate association.

BASKETBALL GUIDE

Columbia "Undisputed" Champions—Colleges Make New Rules

The official basketball guide for 1905-6, containing the rules as adopted by the A. A. U. and Y. M. C. A. organizations has appeared. The changes in the A. A. U. rules are insignificant, the most important differences being a greater definiteness of statement throughout, a new rule on dribbling, and the removal of the line from which fouls are to be thrown from 15 ft. to 20 ft. from the basket.

In an editorial article by Fisher, right forward on Columbia last season, the "undisputed" title of "Intercollegiate champions of the United States" is given that team, on the ground that Minnesota, the western champion five, was beaten by them by a score of 27 to 15. The score of the Williams-Minnesota game was 32-11 in favor of the Purple. Colleges outside of the intercollegiate league are not mentioned, nor are the scores of Amherst, Dartmouth, Wesleyan, or Williams given.

Williams will not play under A. A. U. rules this year but will join all the colleges in the intercollegiate association. The book and rules of this association will appear later. This change has long been contemplated, and, by the Yale fiasco of last year, when the A. A. U. declared that the Yale team, for playing a practice game with a semi-professional team, had made themselves professionals and could play no games with amateurs, was practically forced on the colleges.

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gain by A. Brown. Blatherwick made two 30-yard runs, but the ball was brought back after the second for holding. Steady gains sent Rich over for a third touchdown. At this point Williams braced. Waters, after running in a kick-off 21 yards, was hurt and replaced by Robb. Losing the ball but once, by several short bucks, with an 8-yard gain by D. Brown and a 10-yard run by Robb, Williams brought the ball to Dartmouth's 48-yard line, when time was called.

The summary:

Williams		Dartmouth
Elder, le		re, R. Glaze, Pritchard
Bixby, lt		rt, Smith
Harter, lg		rg, Gage
Campbell, Loomis, c		c, Griffin, Dillingham
Eldridge, Reid, rg		lg, Thayer, McDonald
Marshall, rt		lt, Bankart
Curtis, re		le, Church, Kennedy
Jaeckel, qb		qb, J. Glaze, McDevitt
D. Brown, lhb		rhb, Herr, Rix
A. Brown, rhb		lhb, Blatherwick
Waters, fb		fb, Rich, Greenwood

Score, Dartmouth 24, Williams 0. Touchdowns, Rich 3, Herr. Goal from touchdown, J. Glaze 2. Safety, Waters. Umpire, Cloudman of Bowdoin. Referee, Pendleton of Bowdoin. Timekeepers, Dr. Bolsen, Dartmouth; Case, Williams. Head linesman, Craig of Dartmouth. Linesmen, McCabe of Dartmouth, Kelley of Williams. Time, 25 and 20-minute halves.

Finals at Wollaston

In the finals of the individual championship of the New England intercollegiate golf tournament, played Friday on the links of the Wollaston Golf club at Montclair, Mass., E. A. Clapp 1906 defeated A. W. Mitchell, 1907, 1 up. Rain interfered with the play in the morning but in the afternoon the weather was favorable for good golf. The scores follow:

Clapp—
Out..6 5 4 4 6 5 5 5 5—45
In....4 4 4 4 4 4 5 5 5—39—84
Out...5 6 4 4 5 5 4 4 4—41
In....4 5 4 4 4 4 5 5 4—39—80—164
Mitchell—
Out..5 5 3 4 6 4 5 5 4—41
In....4 5 4 4 4 5 6 7 3—42—83
Out..6 6 4 4 6 4 4 4 6—44
In....4 6 4 4 3 5 5 4 4—39—83—166

The distances at Wollaston are as follows: 1, 400; 2, 394; 3, 189; 4, 238; 5, 506; 6, 291; 7, 269; 8, 216; 9, 374; 10, 250; 11, 362; 12, 329; 13, 261; 14, 195; 15, 223; 16, 351; 17, 310; 18, 205.

In the semi-final round Mitchell won from Peck of Dartmouth 6 and 5, and Clapp from Pfeil of M. I. T. 3 and 1.

Conn. Valley Alumni Meeting

The annual banquet and meeting of the Connecticut valley alumni will be held at 7.00 this evening at Cooley's Hotel, Springfield. President Hopkins and Assistant-professor Perry will be present and among the speakers will be Rev. John S. Zelie '87. Curtiss '06 will have charge of the music at the banquet.

The 1909-Williamstown game has been postponed from Wednesday until later in the season.

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It will be noted that the number is very small, compared with the registration of former years. This is due to the fact that the trustees have recently passed a regulation providing that only the names of those men who are working for their degree in residence at the college shall be published. The purpose of this regulation is to make sure that no names appear in the college catalogue except of men known to be actually working for a degree. Another recent provision is that which changes the sum to be paid by each candidate upon registration from $10 to $20, and reducing the charge for taking the examinations from $15 to $5.

TENNIS RESULTS

Scores in Tournament Matches Played to Date

The results of the fall tennis tournament up to this noon are as follows:

Preliminary Round

Linen '06 beat Waller '07; 6-2, 6-3.

Hazen '08 beat Zahner '06; 1-6, 6-2, 6-4.

First Round

Brady '06 beat Shiffer '07; 6-4, 6-2.

Hoyne '07 beat C. Brown '09; 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

Wright '06 beat Sayre '09; 6-4, 6-4.

Douglass '09 beat Miller '06; 2-6, 6-1, 6-2.

Ford '08 beat White '09; 6-2, 6-2.

Second Round

Porter '07 beat Palmer '07; 6-4, 7-5.

Deutscher Verein Officers Elected

Last Friday evening the Deutscher Verein organized for the year in 7 H. H. After choosing a temporary chairman, the meeting proceeded to elect the following officers for the coming year: President, Leland '06; vice-presidents, Zahner '06, Klauser '07, and Aub '08; secretary and treasurer, Rowell '08. It was decided to hold the meetings of the society every Thursday evening. The attendance was large, 21 new members being admitted to the society. Plans for the coming year were not brought up for discussion.

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COLLEGE NOTES

The Greylock will close November 1.

Prof. Spring was unable to meet his classes on Friday.

All term bills must be paid by Thursday, Oct. 26.

President Hopkins spoke at the college sing in Jesup Hall Thursday evening.

At the last regular meeting, Nomer '06 was elected critic of the Philologian debating society.

Rogerson '92, Baldwin 1900, Brush 1901, Smith 1903, were in town last week.

The physical examinations for the freshman class were begun on Friday evening.

Prof. Cleland and a party of men taking Geology I made a trip to Shelburne Falls last Saturday.

At the freshman class meeting Thursday evening Young was elected chairman of the pipe and sweater committee.

Henry M. Whitney of Boston, the democratic nominee for lieutenant-governor, was a guest of Prof. Nelson Thursday afternoon.

During Mr. Salter's absence in Boston last week, D. M. Hills '06 played the chapel organ. Yarnelle '07 played the chimes.

President and Mrs. Hopkins will give their annual reception to the freshman class on Tuesday evening, October twenty-fourth, from eight until ten o'clock.

At the senior class meeting held Friday in Jesup Hall the following committee for the Hallowe'en celebration was appointed: Robbins, chairman; Campbell, Neild, Barlow, Wright.

Fleischmann '06 is in New York trying to obtain the necessary rights for the presentation by Cap and Bells of "The Man from Mexico", the farce comedy in which William Collier made so great a hit.

President Hopkins spoke last week before the Monday evening club at the chapel of Trinity church on "The Good Fellowship of Philanthropic Work." It was the first fall meeting of the club, which is composed of the leaders of organized charity work in Boston.

The following men were taken on the Dartmouth trip: Bixby, Blaisdell, Campbell, Loomis, Willcox, 1906; A. Brown, Hill, Jaeckel, Johnson, 1907; D. Brown, Curtis, Elder, Eldridge, Kelley, Marshall, Reid, Waters, 1908; C. Brown, Harter, Robb, 1909.

Dr. Cadman spoke at the first of a series of mens' meetings held in the Richmond Theatre, North Adams, yesterday afternoon. About a thousand men heard his address on "The two great facts of life, conscience and Christ." It is planned to have the college preachers address these meetings every Sunday thoughout the winter.

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The geology department has secured a relief map of the United States, modeled on a half globe sixteen and one half feet in diameter. There are only two others like it in existence, one at Harvard and the other at the University of Chicago. A relief map of the Henry mountain in Utah, showing the effect of volcanic action, has also been secured. Both maps have been placed in Clark Hall.

M. Brown, 1907, played center on the Hotchkiss alumni team Saturday.

Contents of October Lit.

The contents of the October number of the Literary Monthly will be as follows:

Frontispiece, Williams College in 1830, from an old print; Verse, Autumn Days, Gibson '08; Essay, Williams and the Battle of Lake George, Lowe '06; Story, The Test, Morgan '06; Verse, Arabia, Westermann '08; Essay, Castiglione's "Courtier," Clark '07; Story, Number Thirteen, Dutton '07; Suggestions—Rouge et Noir, B. W., Capt. Obed Pelton on Covetousness. A. H. B.; Williams of Yesterday, No. I, Williams College in 1830, J. A. L.; Sanctum; Chat. S. A. M. The number will be reviewed by Prof. Morton.

ALUMNI NEWS

'62—Prof. George L. Raymond, L. H. D., professor of nesthtics at Princeton, has resigned that position.

'95—A. Leroy Jones is not an assistant professor at Columbia, as announced recently, but is a tutor at Princeton under the recently established tutor system.

'96—Dr. Charles E. Street is head coach of the football team at the Springfield Y. M. C. A. training school.

'97.—Gurdon W. Gordon was recently elected chairman of the Springfield board of health.

'97—William A. Burns of Pittsfield was renominated to the state senate on the Republican ticket at the convention held at North Adams Oct. 9.

'98—Charles W. Gamwell, assistant actuary of the Berkshire Life Insurance Co., of Pittsfield, has been elected associate member of the Actuarial Society of America.

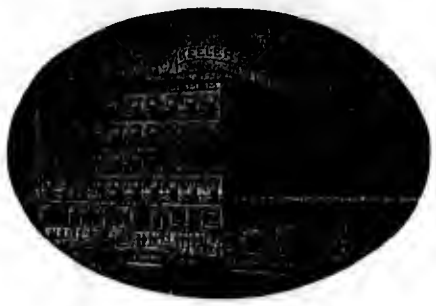
1903—Robert G. Higinbotham has been preaching at Elliston, Montana, during the summer.

1903—James L. Linsley was married recently to Miss Gertrude Trowbridge, daughter of the postmaster at Naugatuck, Conn. Mr. Linsley holds a responsible position in the offices of the Naugatuck Malleable Iron Co.

1905—Arvie Eldred is coaching the football team of the Troy High school.

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AN EASY VICTORY

W. P. I. Beaten 23—5 in Unequal Contest—Fumbles too Frequent

Williams defeated W. P. I. on Weston Field, Saturday by a score of 23 to 5 in a game which left no doubt from beginning to end which was the better team. The Purple was not held for downs once and was forced to kick but twice. Long runs were common, and Williams played with dash and confidence. W. P. I.'s trick plays failed and the visiting team could not gain consistently by straight football. The bad feature of the game was the constant inexcusable fumbling, costing Williams W. P. I.'s touchdown in the first half and spoiling a fifth score, in the second. A. Brown and C. Brown did good offensive work, Kelley showed up well, and Waters was up to his usual high standard. Tech was weak at right tackle.

On the first line-up of the game A. Brown made a 76-yard run around Tech's right end, and bucks by D. Brown and Waters carried the ball over for the first touchdown. Williams kicked off, and Martin of Tech made 41 yards on a delayed pass. Williams held, Campbell blocked Peters' punt, and a touchdown was made in seven rushes, Waters carrying the ball over. Tech's touchdown came as the result of a fumble by D. Brown, Lawley securing the ball after both Williams and Tech men had re-fumbled it, and running 40 yards for a score.

In the second half Williams forced Tech to punt early. A. Brown made a 28-yard run and with C. Brown and A. Brown gaining most of the ground, another touchdown was scored. Again Williams started down the field, but A. Brown fumbled on the 3-yard line. Tech was forced to punt, and this time the touchdown was scored, by C. Brown.

The summary:

Williams		W. P. I
Elder, Chapman, le		re, Harrington
Bixby, LaMont, lt		rt, Manning
Harter, Bargfrede, lg		rg, Cottrell
Campbell, c		c, Beaman
Reid, rg		lg, Quimby
Johnson, rt		lt, Malone
Curtis, Blaisdell, re		le, Labrit
Jaeckel, Kelley, qb		qb, Peters
D. Brown, C. Brown,	lhb	rhb, Lawley
A. Brown, rhb		lhb, Hedberg
Waters, Robb, fb		fb, Martin, Merrill

Score, Williams 23, W. P. I. 5. Touchdowns, Waters 2, C. Brown 2, Lawley. Goals, Bixby 3. Refereef Easton of Yale. Umpire, Mann o, Shelburne Falls. Timekeeper and head linesman, Mr. Seeley. Linesmen, Hitchcock, W. P. I., Winslow '07, Williams. Time, 25 and 20-minute halves.

BUILDING OPERATIONS

Contract Awarded for South College Extension to P. A. Smedley

The contract for the construction of the addition to South College has been awarded to Perry A. Smedley of Williamstown, at a cost slightly under $20,000. The contract does not include plumbing, lighting and heating, bids for which will be received after the main work of construction is completed. Batter boards were placed in position early in the week. Work on the foundations has already begun.

The plans of the three upper stories of the addition have not been altered, and are the same as announced in the issue of The Record for Oct. 16. The sub-basement has been definitely given up, and the plans for the basement changed, although final decision has not been passed. Instead of containing three single rooms at the north end of the addition, a single suite, of study and bed-room, will probably be placed on the south-west corner. A large toilet room will be placed on the south-east corner. The basement will be entered by a door on the south end. The ground falls away so sharply that good lighting can be obtained, but to assure that the rooms shall be absolutely dry, the walls will be built of hollow brick with an air chamber between the inner and outer walls.

Work in the Gymnasium

Work in the gymnasium has progressed so far that the W. P. I. football team were able to use the locker-room for the first time on yesterday. The shower-room contains five showers on the east side and two on the west, with three private showers at the north end. The swimming pool will not be finished until the end of the term. Work will be begun on the foundation week after next. The foundation will consist of an expanded metal frame with a concrete floor. The sides are to be of white tile. Much difficulty has been experienced with the old posts supporting the gymnasium floor, formerly in the partition between the baseball cage and bowling alley. These will be removed to secure six feet additional width for the swimming pool, and steel beams put in supporting the gymnasium floor, much as the steel beams were in Jesup Hall.

The work in the locker room is almost completed, but the lockers,

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CELEBRITIES IN WAX

Mrs. Jarley in Williamstown—Faculty Will Take Part

Mrs. Jarley, of "Old Curiosity Shop" fame will exhibit her group of wonderful mechanical wax statues, brought thoroughly up to date, in Williamstown Monday evening. Mrs. Jarley, with her accomplished troupe, will have possession of the Opera House and will entertain for the benefit of St. Johns's Episcopal church and the First Congregational church of Williamstown. Characters immortalized by Dickens, as well as characters of a more modern and perhaps of a more local interest, will, under the original Mrs. Jarley, appear on the stage, an attraction to those who have not the fortune or misfortune to be invited elsewhere.

Miss Helen Hewitt will take the part of Mrs. Jarley, and among her statues will be Prof. T. C. Smith, Prof. Perry, Mr. Lewis, Prof. Cleland, Mr. Rees, Mr. Brainerd Mears, Mr. Hart, Mr. Preserved Smith, Morgan '06 and Warren '07.

Dr. Vander Veer on "Medicine"

At the Christian Association meeting, Sunday evening at 7:30, Dr. Albert Vander Veer, of Albany, N. Y. will speak on "Medicine as a Profession." Dr. Vander Veer is one of the best known physicians in this country, and is a graduate of both the Albany and National medical colleges. He has received the degree of A. M. from Williams, and of Ph. D. from Union and Hamilton. Since 1869 he has held a professorship and since 1895 has been dean, of the Albany Medical college. He has been president of the New York State Medical society and since 1895 a member of the New York State board of regents.

Tennis Scores

The following tennis matches in the fall tournament have been played this week:

Preliminary Round

Cleveland '07 beat Atwater '09; default.

Westcott '08 beat Johnston '09; default.

First Round

Johnson '08 beat Lynde '08; 6-1, 6-4.

Linen '07 beat Hazen '08; 6-0, 4-6, 6-2.

Warren beat Tuthill by default.

Second Round

Schell beat Wright 6-3, 6-4.
Warren beat Douglass, 6-2, 6-0.
Linen beat Thompson, 6-3, 6-4.
Smith beat Johnson, 6-2, 6-2.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, OCT. 26

7.30 p. m.—Meeting of the Senior class, J. H.

SATURDAY, OCT. 28

2.30 p. m.—Williams-R. P. I. football, Weston Field.
4.30 p. m.—Williams 1909-Troy H. S. football, Weston Field.

SUNDAY, OCT. 29

10.30 a. m.—College Chapel. Rev. Dr. Francis Treadway Clayton will preach.
11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.
7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Albert Vander Veer, of Albany, willspeakon "Medicins as a Profession".

MONDAY, OCT 30

8.00 p. m.—Mrs. Jarley's wax works Opera House.
8.30 p. m.—Senior Hallowe'en Celebration, Adams Block.

A NEW U. S. SENATE

Adelphic Union Will Copy Senatorial Procedure—Session Nov. 8

A novel step was taken last evening after the meetings of the debating societies, when a committee formulated plans for the holding every three weeks, in place of the regular programs, of a meeting of the Adelphic union in which the members will impersonate United States senators. Each speaker will choose the senator whose role he wishes to assume.

Live topics of national interest will be discussed, and the rules of the senate will be followed as far as possible. Side issues are likely to arise, thus incurring a lively and interesting discussion. Detailed plans have not yet been made; it has been decided, however to hold the first meeting on Wednesday evening, November 8. All members of the Adelphic union who wish to participate are requested to sign the list which will be posted in Hopkins Hall.

Game With Rensselaer

Williams will play Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, of Troy, N. Y., on Weston Field Saturday. R. P. I. has played few games, so that its strength cannot be estimated, but Williams should win easily by a large score. Murray '05 is coaching R. P. I.

Local Minister to Preach

Rev. Dr. Francis Treadway Clayton, pastor of the First Congregational church of Williamstown, will address the college at Sunday morning chapel next Sunday.

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The Game Yesterday

The playing of the football team does not deserve the general criticism that has been accorded it. Williams outplayed Worcester at every point. The Tech eleven failed to gain first down by straight football, while Williams made the distance without effort and did not once lose the ball on downs. The work of the Purple was at times brilliant, though to be sure, against a much lighter team. The eleven should be criticised for one thing—fumbling. If this fault cannot be corrected before the Colgate game, Williams can count on defeat before the whistle blows.

All the available material in college has been brought out. The coaches and the squad, in the hard round of daily practice, are doing their share towards making a Williams team. But the student body is doing nothing. At Harvard and Princeton the march to the field is part of the afternoon schedule. At Williams, not even a song or a cheer has been heard at practice this fall.

Williams in College Literature

When a college athletic team scores a notable victory, or closes a season of exceptional success, the event is the cause of great pride and interest in that organization on the part of the undergraduates. Such a team was the basketball five of last year, which has merited the national championship title. This recognition, however, is only temporary. In so severe a competition, and with the amount and quality of athletic material varying from year to year, it is impossible for a team to remain in the first rank all the time. Interest flags, and unfortunately, the student body stands off and lets a losing team shift for itself.

At Williams we have no particular branch of athletics that will always bear comparison with the strongest in other colleges. In seeking the best expression of its undergraduate effort, to maintain one branch of college work that will be distinctive of the institution—Williams must avoid the physical side.

The Williams Literary Monthly holds a relatively higher position in the collegiate world than any other department of student activity in the college. The standard of the magazine is uniformly good, and it represents its side of Williams life better than any other undergraduate organization, not excepting the athletic teams. To support this statement, we have the opinions of college literary publications all over the country, for several years back. Their comment is rarely adverse. We quote two exchanges, among many. From Princeton:

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That the Lit. occupies the position it does, should be a source of satisfaction to every Williams man. The expression of intellectual power requires more will than the expression of purely physical power; a success of this sort is the more creditable.

We believe that the opportunity is here offered for Williams to specialize, and by taking advantage of the conditions, to expand this side of its life and take a permanent place with the best in college literature. The students of the college alone have the means of accomplishing this result. Support must be general; the contributions must not be by the few. A man must have more confidence in his own ability, and cast aside the belief that positions on The Lit. board are reserved for the select.

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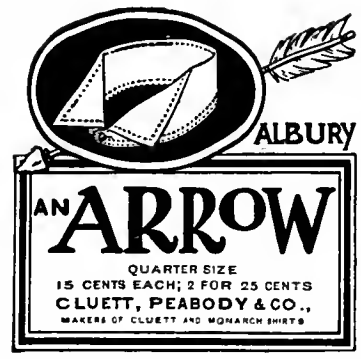
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the president, the dean, and the presidents of the upper classes have asked the sophomores to observe the custom of waiting for the seniors and juniors to pass out of chapel first.

Several times of late they have not acted according to the requests.

It would seem that courtesy to the officials mentioned should prompt the sophomores to observe a little patience and not unnecessarily crowd the exit even if reverence for the custom has no weight.

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GEOLOGICAL EXCURSION

At Nantasket Saturday—Williams Will be Represented

Prof. Cleland, with a number of undergraduates, will leave tomorrow afternoon for Boston, to take part in the intercollegiate geological excursion to be held Saturday, Oct. 28. Williams has always been represented at this gathering, while Yale, Harvard, M. I. T., Amherst, Wesleyan, Tufts and Wellesley also send delegations.

Dr. T. A. Jaggar, jr., of M. I. T., and Harvard, who lectured here last winter on the eruption of Mont Pelee, will this year have charge of the expedition, assisted by Professors J. B. Woodworth of Harvard, and D. W. Johnson of Tech. The excursion will leave South Station at 8.43 a. m., Saturday, returning by boat from Nantasket at 3.40 p. m. The features of special interest will be the lava flows and conglomerates of Nantasket, and the coastal physiography of Boston harbor.

On Friday evening, October 27, at 8 p. m., in room 11, Engineering B (M. I. T.), Trinity Place, an informal conference will be held and a brief account will be given of the objects of interest to be seen on the excursion.

Paintings and Medals

On Tuesday and Wednesday the art department placed on exhibition a collection of paintings and medals. The medals will be continued on exhibition during the week. The paintings were by an English artist, Miss March-Phillips, and are chiefly views in and around Rome, although the most beautiful are African landscapes.

The collection of about fifty medals is unique in the colleges of the country. The medals are by French artists, Roty, Chaplain, Dupuis, Patey, Coudray, and are either commemorative or intended only as souvenirs. The finest one is in memory of President Carnot of the French Repbulic, and shows his body as it was being carried to the Pantheon.

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Goodrich Hall

Work on Goodrich Hall has also been held back. The building has been completed with the exception of the flooring, delayed in transportation. The building will be ready for recitation purposes within two weeks after the flooring arrives. The remodelling of Alumni Hall into a language seminar will not be done until the completion of the work on Goodrich Hall proper.

Berkshire Hall

Mr. Charles Pratt, of Boston, representative of L. D. Willcutt and Son, the contractors for the new dormitory, was in town yesterday and Tuesday. Mr. Pratt superintended the building of the chapel. The cement sheds are to be put in at once, and excavation will be begun as soon as possible. The foundation will be of granite, on concrete. Ground was broken yesterday.

New York Alumni

The Williams Alumni Association of New York has arranged for the following meetings, to be held at Delmonico's: Dec. 8, 1905, smoker; Feb. 2, 1906, annual dinner; April 20, 1906, smoker and annual meeting. Mr. Dwight L. Elmendorf will give an illustrated lecture on travel at the first meeting.

Debating Agreement

The agreement of the triangular debating union, recently formed by Dartmouth, Brown and Williams, has been drafted, and signed by the presidents of the Brown and Dartmouth debating unions. The articles have not yet been approved by the Williams debaters, and it is probable several changes will be suggested to the other colleges.

ALUMNI NEWS

'94—Llewellyn E. Pratt, of Nutley, N. J., has been nominated for the New Jersey state assembly on the democratic ticket.

'99—Henry E. Moffett of Cleveland, and Miss Bessie Kendrick Braddock were married in Denver, Col., Sept. 14. They will be at home after Oct. 30 at 1018 Scranton Ave., Cleveland.

1901—The marriage of George E. Cullinan of New York city, and Miss Mollie Neyland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Neyland of Williamstown, will take place on Monday evening, October 30, at St. Patrick's Church.

1903—James G. Orr was married on Sept. 7 to Miss Ethel St. Clair of New York city.

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COLLEGE NOTES

A. C. Griswold 1908, has resigned from college on account of ill health.

Mr. Burr was able to go down to the Library Tuesday, after being confined to his house for three weeks with neuralgia.

The Philotechnian debating society has elected Bullard '08, treasurer to take the place of Pierce '07 resigned.

At a meeting of the Berkshire county ministers' association held at Pittsfield last week, Mr. Lewis spoke on the recent religious revival in Wales.

All men who can play musical instruments are requested to meet in 17 Jesup at 7:15 tomorrow evening to organize a college orchestra.

Fisher 1909, who passed the best entrance examination in competition for the Clark prize scholarship, prepared at the Dwight school of New York city.

At a meeting of the officers of the Deutscher Verein on Wednesday evening it was decided to divide the Verein into three divisions for weekly meetings and to hold monthly meetings of the entire Verein.

A conference of four members of the faculty, four debaters and the presidents of the debating societies, will be held Monday evening to discuss the employing of the Harvard system of choosing men for the tri-collegiate debate.

The first meeting for this year of the Worcester club, composed of graduates of the preparatory schools in Worcester, was held last evening. Butler, 1907, was elected president and Sawyer, 1908, secretary and treasurer. Charles Barrett was chosen an honorary member of the club.

OBITUARY

Ex-'37—William G. Brown, for many years journalist and magazine writer, died on Aug. 14, at Stevens point, Wis., aged 93. Mr. Brown was born March 3, 1812, at Whitingham, Vt. He entered Williams in the class of 1837, but was compelled to leave college during his junior year on account of ill health. After teaching for several years he became, in 1840, editor of the Vermont Telegraph and Voice of Freedom, at Brandon. During the exciting Fremont campaign in 1856 he was editor of the Chicopee Journal. He moved into the west in 1861, where he continued his writings both in prose and in verse for many years.

'74—Harry Linn Wright, secretary of the class of 1874, died at Santa Rosa, Cal., on July 14. In 1877 he graduated from the law school of the University of Cincinnati. His home was in Pullman, Ill.

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At the annual business meeting, the following officers were elected for the coming year:—President, Rev. John H. Lockwood '68 of Westfield; vice-presidents, Robert W. Adam '45 of Pittsfield, Rev. D. Butler Pratt '83 of Springfield; secretary, Rev. John Luther Kilbon '86 of Springfield; treasurer, Frank J. Demond '82 of Springfield; executive committee, Solomon B. Griffin '72 of Springfield, Dr. J. Clarke Hubbard '77 of Holyoke, and Henry K. Hyde '87 of Ware.

The dinner commenced at 7:00 and an hour later President Henry K. Hyde called the meeting to order. In his toastmaster's speech, Mr. Hyde argued for the extension of college ethical standards to the business world. Dr. Hopkins then said that a college is judged in the world not so much by its location and plant as by the stamp of men which it graduates.

He also spoke of the increasing difficulty experienced by the college in securing good instructors. "The attractions of the mercantile world are so great that many young men who formerly would have entered the ministry or teaching no longer do so. But I believe there is a reaction coming. One of the best things at Williams this past year is a gift by which the salaries of those instructors and professors receiving less than $3,000 were materially increased."

Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall '72, of New York, spoke of the importance of personality in the educator. George W. Anderson '86, of Boston, paid a warm tribute to the late Judge Barker and denounced the insurance officials in New York whose shameful mismanagement is now being exposed. Prof. Starr W. Cutting '81, of the University of Chicago, said that college athletics as now conducted, tend to discourage all but the best men and to diminish the interest of the undergraduate in individual athletic exercise.

Those present were:—Rev. T. H. Hawks of Springfield, William B. Rice and Hon. Marshall Wilcox of Pittsfield, of the class of 1844, Milton B. Whitney '49 of Westfield, Dr. Henry Hopkins '58 of Williamstown, Dr. Edward B. Nims '62 of Springfield, Rev. John H. Lockwood '68 of Westfield, Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall '72 of New York, Solomon B. Griffin '72 of Springfield, Clarence B. Roote '76 of Northampton, Rev. Sumner G. Wood '77 of Blandford, Dr. J. C. Hubbard

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By Prof. Milham

Prof. Milham has recently had printed in pamphlet form an article entitled "The Variation in Minimum Temperatures on Still, Clear Nights within the Confines of a Village." The article first appeared in the Monthly Weather Review for July 1905. The article is based on weather observations taken at ten different stations in Williamstown, on dates between Dec. 1904 and March 1905, and draws the general conclusion that elevation plays an important part in the temperature, the lowest stations being generally the coldest. The pamphlet contains an accurate map of Williamstown, showing the general topography of the village and the location of the stations.

Hockey Plans

Work has been going on all the past week in fixing over the hockey rink in the north-east corner of Weston Field. The rink has been moved south about ten feet to avoid the drain which caused so much trouble last year. As an additional precaution to prevent the water from escaping, the bottom of the rink will be entirely filled with clay. No games have been secured as yet, but negotiations are under way at present for a game with Columbia, to be played at the St. Nicholas rink, New York city.

Freshman Reception

President and Mrs. Hopkins were at home to the freshman class from eight until ten o'clock Tuesday evening. The attendance from the entering class was large.

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GAME WITH CCLUMBIA

Williams Will Play Basketball with Blue and White Jan. 23

Williams has arranged a basketball game with Columbia to be played on the Columbia court, New York city, at 8:30 p. m. Tuesday evening, Jan 23. The game has been approved by the faculty committee.

The Columbia management, under date of October 29, write: "At a meeting of the graduate directors last night, it was decided that it would be good policy, not only for Columbia but for the Intercollegiate Basketball League, that Columbia and Williams meet this year. * * * * * The officials for this game could be the regular officials elected this fall by the six colleges in the league, to act at each game in a certain locality. Or any official whom the A. A. U. would appoint at your request, would be satisfactory * * * * *." No officials have as yet been arranged.

LIFE-WORK TALK

Dr. Vander Veer Gives First on "Medicine as a Profession"

The first of the series of life-work talks, to be given in Jesup Hall during the winter, was delivered Sunday evening. Dr. Albert Vander Veer of Albany addressing the meeting on "Medicine as a profession."

Dr. Vander Veer traced briefly the development of medicine from the earliest times, laying particular stress on Hippocrates, the first real observer, the beginnings of human dissection in the sixteenth century, and Harvey's discovery of the circulation of the blood. In modern science he laid particular emphasis on the development of the germ theory for the protection of disease, especially in cholera. So little known was this disease that in 1832 a board fence was built up Canal St., in Albany, to keep the disease from spreading by infection along the ground. Comment was also made on the improvement in aseptic surgery.

Concluding, Dr. Vander Veer said that to be a success in medicine, a man must have a love for his profession, must be an earnest and constant investigator, and must be ever alert to keep up with the times. Medicine brings with it responsibility, but it also brings a great charm through the saving of life.

Mr. Orenstein representing A. N. Rosenberg, Tailors, of New York city, will be at Bemis' Nov. 9.—Adv.

SENIOR CELEBRATION

An Elaborate Program is Offered for the Event Tonight

The seniors hold their Hallowe'en celebration in the Adams block on Spring street at 8:30 this evening. It is understood that the program will stagger attempts of previous years. The freshmen on Cap and Bells will present a one act farce, and the feats of skill, nerve, and agility in the various acrobatic acts will be on a more elaborate plane than at any similar function. The servants who wait upon the wishes of the seniors will likewise be trained in dexterity and will appear in distinctive costumes.

The celebration was expected to be held in the opera house, but that building has been engaged for the production of Mrs. Jarley's Waxworks, which occurs at eight o'clock tonight. The Sons of Veterans are going to give a dance in the Adams block tomorrow evening, but the seniors hope to conclude their program in time to avoid a conflict.

Entrance English Requirements

A conference of professors of English at Brown, Amherst, Dartmouth and Williams, met at the Worthy Hotel in Springefild, Thursday to consider the question of changing the English entrance requirements in these colleges.

The professors present were Prof. Fred P. Emery of Dartmouth, Prof. George B. Churchill of Amherst, Prof. Lindsay T. Damon of Brown and Prof. Carroll Lewis Maxcy of Williams. Prof. Maxcy was elected chairman. He and Prof. Damon constitute the committee to draft the changes.

The meeting took a radical action in regard to the English requirements for college. The exact nature of the change has not been made public.

Freshmen Defeat Troy High

The freshmen defeated the Troy high school on Weston Field Saturday afternoon by a score of 17 to 0. The visitors were outweighed. In the first half Wadsworth 1909 barely failed in an attempt to kick a drop from the field. 1909 scored one touchdown in the first half, and two in the second.

Early in the second half Troy was forced to punt but the pass was fumbled, the ball rolling over the goal line. Morse scored a touchdown. By straight football 1909 carried the ball over again just as time was called.

BY SIX TOUCHDOWNS

Rensselaer Unable to Hold Williams—The Score 39-6

Scoring seven touchdowns in the 35 minutes of actual play, Williams rolled up the biggest score of the season Saturday by defeating R. P. I. 39 to 6 on Weston Field. The visitors scored their only touchdown in the first half, when a delayed pass on a mass play through tackle gave the ball to Scrafford, who scored after a 73-yard run. Williams played without a fumble and was not held for downs once, making distance easily by line bucks, end runs and the revolving play. R. P. I. was outclassed, and was kept continually on the defensive. Williams rushed the ball 455 yards in the course of the game, while Rensselaer's total gain was 135 yards.

At the start, the visitors kicked off to the 20-yard line, and C. Brown made the first touchdown, after a series of 5 and 10 yard gains. R. P. I. lost the ball on downs on the Williams' 40-yard line after the next kickoff, and Williams easily advanced it within striking distance, when Waters scored. With the score 10 to 0, Bixby kicked off, and the ball was advanced to the 30-yard line. Scrafford scored by a long run and Wood kicked the goal. A. Brown rushed the ball 20 yards on the next kickoff and the Rensselaer line could not hold to prevent the next touchdown by C. Brown. Waters scored the next touchdown on a 15-yard run. Williams held the ball on the Rensselaer 10-yard line when time was called.

In the second half, Williams secured the ball after a fluke punt. Robb scored; Bixby kicked goal. Both sides failing to kickoff within bounds, Williams rushed the ball from the middle of the field, Willcox scoring after the Purple had been penalized 5 yards for off side play. After the kickoff Rensselaer lost the ball on a fumble. C. Brown made the last touchdown. With 10 minutes of play left in the second half, the R. P. I. team left to catch a train. The summary:

Williams	R. P. I.
Elder, Chapman, le	re, Fox, Cary
Bixby, lt	rt, Lamb
Harter, Bargfrede, lg	rg, Geiger
Campbell, c	c, Wilhelm
Reid, rg	lg, Bradbnry
LaMent, Marshall, rt	lt, Africa
Curtis, Blaisdell, re	le, Benjamin
Kelley, qb	qb, Wood
C. Brown, lbb	rhb, Scrafford
A. Brown, Wilcox, rhb	lhb, Fogarty
Waters, Robb, fb	fb, Yaeger, Milliman

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CALENDAR

MONDAY, OCT. 30

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Jarley's Wax works. Opera house.

8:30 p. m.—Senior Hallowe'en celebration, Adams block.

PRESIDENTS' MEETING

Result of Discussion of College Questions Will Not be Given Out

The first session of the forty-ninth annual meeting of the association of colleges in New England will be held at 4.00 Thursday afternoon, Nov. 2. The sessions will continue Friday morning and afternoon, the delegates adjourning until such hours as they may see fit. All the sessions will be held in the seminar room of Griffin Hall. The discussions will be entirely informal, each delegate bringing up any question he may desire.

The questions were mailed to the delegates two weeks ago. No vote is taken on the subjects brought up for discussion, the aim being merely to secure an interchange of views on questions of college interest. If any decision is reached, the result is not given out for publication, except in the most general terms, as the delegates wish to have their discussion as free and unfettered as possible. Arrangements for the entertainment of the delegates will be made later.

Williamstown Wedding

Miss Mary E. Neyland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Neyland of Williamstown, was married to Mr. George E. Cullinan, '01, of New York city, at 9:00 this morning. The wedding took place in St. Patrick's church and the service was performed by the Rev. Mr. Foley of Troy, a cousin of the bride.

Dr. Michael F. Black '00, also a cousin of the bride, was best man and the ushers were Mr. John A. De Camp '00 and Curtis '08.

Alumni in Town

The following alumni were in town last week: Knowlson '43, Wilcox '44, Holt '74, Dewey '76, Dewey '78, Robinson '85, Francis '88, Banks '90, Alden, Sampson '95, Putney '96, Ide, Dunbar '98, Kellogg '99, Squires, Conklin, Merritt, Gibbs '00, Davenport, Parker, Cullinan '01, Riggs, Steele, Patterson '02, Brown, Rogers, Wood, Alden, Hopkins '03, Brett, Goodbody, Kitchel, Pettit, Mitchell, Gutterson, Hun, Chase '04, Shedden, Judson '05, Knowles, McEwan, ex-'07.

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The Football Question

The football question has been much agitated of late. It is evident to anyone who has followed the game, and attended intercollegiate contests, that football has undergone a great change in the past few years. The increased interest this year in the Association game, notably at Harvard and Pennsylvania, may denote the beginning of a spirit of dissatisfaction in college with the American game as it is played today. At any rate the general conclusion is that the development of football has resulted in a contest harmful to the player and detrimental to clean sport.

In the current number of Success Magazine appears an article on "The Evils of Football," by President Eliot of Harvard University. President Eliot has unquestionably given the best presentation of his side of the problem up to this time. His objections to football should receive the careful attention of all who wish to see the game, played as it should be, take its proper place in college.

The article may seem unnecessarily severe, but the objections to the game are so evidently facts, that they cannot be disputed. Of the lesser evils enumerated, none is more strikingly true than this: "The crude and vociferous criticism, blame, and praise which fall to the lot of the football player can be of no possible advantage to any young man at the opening of his active life; on the contrary, they keep before him an untrustworthy and unwholesome standard of public approval or disapproval." The chief objection made is against the moral quality of the game, to the effect that the methods of war are not justifiable in a manly game of sport between friends.

From the college student's point of view, it is preposterous to suggest that football be done away with altogether. To discontinue intercollegiate contests is inconceivable. Equally incompatible with American ideas would be the adoption of the game of football as played at Oxford and Cambridge. We can, nevertheless, hope to acquire the English spirit of athletic contest, in which eagerness to win is second to love of the sport and the desire for fair play. The purpose to win at any cost is apparent in other branches than football, and is the strongest element in discrediting athletics.

With the coach rests the future of football. Coaching is a profession. The coach is well paid, and in return is supposed to produce a winning team. If, in order to do this, he encourages and teaches players to violate the rules, the game should be taken out of his hands.

If the coach remains in power, at least two things must be done towards correcting the faults of the game. Commercialism and professionalism must be effaced once for all, thus barring the individual whose influence in the game is bound to be evil. In the second place, radical changes must be made in the rules regarding penalties for roughness. The enforcement of these rules would be the duty of all coaches and officials. These two changes would not alone suffice, but if they were lived up to, we believe the game would be greatly improved and its influence for good extended in college life.

COMMUNICATION

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Editor of The Record.

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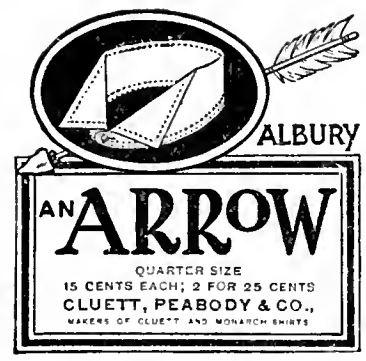
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During the past summer the college library has secured several books of considerable worth for age, rarity, or curious reading matter. Perhaps the most interesting of all is a large folio entitled "Early Census-Making in Massachusetts," presented to the college by the author, J. H. Benton, jr. The volume is No. 15 in an edition of 125 copies. Among other interesting matter, the book contains an accurate copy of the census of 1765, recently recovered by the author. As would be expected, Boston was then the largest town, but with only 15,520 inhabitants. Marblehead was next in size, but smaller than Williamstown today, followed in order of rank by Salem, Dartmouth, and Bridgewater. In "Berks" county Pittsfield held only the third place, and Westfield was the largest place west of the Connecticut. The author, in a note, says that for some unknown reason the plantation of West Housuck (Williamstown) was not enumerated. It is instructive to note that Springfield and Worcester were then hamlets, while North Adams, Fall River, Lowell, Lawrence and Holyoke did not exist.

Students of Shakespeare will be interested in the "Cartae Shakespearianae," D. H. Lambert, ed., containing title-pages of the poet's plays, extracts from diaries, etc., with photographs of a few title-pages, two signatures, and Droeshout's portrait. They may also cast a passing glance at "William Shakespeare, Pedagogue and Poacher," a play by R. Garnett. The play shows a side of Shakespeare's versatility little known, as can be guessed by an old quotation from Archdeacon Davies on the title-page. "He was much given to all unluckiness in stealing venison and rabbits, particularly from Sir Thomas Lucy, who had him oft whipt, and sometimes imprisoned, and at last made him fly his native county to his great advancement."

Among the old books purchased are a copy of the 1584 edition of Hobbs's "Tripos", and one published in 1621, "The Commonwealth of England and the maner of gouernement thereof, compiled by the honouiable Sir Thomas Smith, Knight, Doctor of both Lawes, and one of the principall secretaries unto two moft worthy Princes, King Edward and Queene Elizabeth." Another addition to the government department is "The annales, or generall chronicle of England, to 1614," published in 1615.

Mr. W. W. Wight '69 has presented the library with five rare old books, a two-volume "Junius"

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Other books of interest are "Rural economy in Yorkshire in 1641": "Messages and papers of the presidents", J. D. Richardson, ed., in 10 vols.; "The book of the boudoir," by Lady Sydney Morgan, presented by Dr. Frank W. Olds '76; an interesting set of Locke in 10 vols., published in 1801; an excellent and very costly two volume edition of John Calvin, in French, E. Doumage, ed.; "Original Journals of the Lewis and Clark expedition," in seven volumes and an atlas, published in full exactly as written, with numerous facsimiles of drawings in the journals and of the original pages, edited by R. G. Thwaites; edited by the same author, a series of annotated reprints on "Early Western Travels from 1748 to 1846", vol. 19 of which has already appeared: and a finely printed book entitled "Couches and Beds of the Greeks, Etruscans and Romans," by Caroline L. Ransom, containing interesting plates and drawings, and an index to passages in Latin and Greek authors referring to furniture.

New Basketball Rules

The official collegiate basketball guide for 1905-6, edited by H. A. Fisher of Columbia, appeared Saturday. The book contains the rules under which Williams will play this winter.

The chief changes in the rules are as follows: a minimum floor space of 3000 square feet instead of a maximum of 3500 square feet; a distinct separation of the duties of referee and umpire; a rule allowing the player first touching the ball out of bounds to retain it (but not permitting passing the ball out of bounds); the foul line placed at a distance of 15 feet from the bakset instead of 20 feet, as in the A. A. U. rules; and a strict rule on dribbling. The rules are much simpler and clearer than the A. A. U. rules and are very carefully classified.

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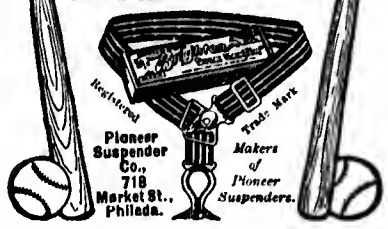
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COLLEGE NOTES

Reid '08 has been taken on the training table.

McMeen '09 has resigned from college.

There was no practice for 'varsity football men on Thursday.

Hogan '06 was linesman at the Pittsfield-Williamstown game Saturday, at Pittsfield.

Asst. Prof. Clark and Dr. Howes were out of town Saturday and did not meet their classes.

A list of the Williamstown advertisters in The Record will be found on page 8.

The first of a series of illustrated stereopticon lectures in Latin 2 was given by Prof. Wild on Saturday morning.

Bowman '06 has sustained a slight fracture of a bone in his right hand.

The games scheduled for the freshman football team with Drury Academy and Pittsfield High school have been cancelled.

Students of the college are teaching Sunday afternoons in seven out-of-town churches and chapels.

The fireproof doors for the basement of Morgan Hall, which will separate the entries, have arrived and will be put in place as soon as the fittings arrive.

Murray 1905, who is, coaching R. P. I., accompanied his team Saturday. Eldred, 1905, coach of the Troy high school was also in town.

The following men are taking charge of the work at the Boys' Club; Day, Cantwell, Barrett, McAllister, Narten, Smith, 1906, Allen, Clark, Witherell 1907.

A club has been organized which meets in the parish house of the Episcopal church Friday evenings at 7:15. Its object is the study of missions and missionnaries. The officers are: president, Brady '06, vice president, C. Hills 06', secretary-treasurer, Warren '07. All men interested in the work are invited to attend.

1900—Randolph F. Clark, who formerly taught at Shelter Island, N. Y., has been made instructor of mathematics and advanced science at the Collegiate school in New York city.

1901—Harold C. Brown, who received the Ph. D. degree from Harvard in June, has been appointed an assistant in philosophy at Harvard.

Ex-'04—Gordon S. Thompson has been appointed assistant instructor in mathematics and surveying at the Rensselaer Polytechnic institute, Troy, N. Y.

1904—James G. Durfee is in he employ of the Jeffrey Manufacturing Co., at Columbus, O.

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Here the effect of wave action on the islands of the harbor and the formation of the beaches was studied. Lunch was served at the Gun Rock Inn, the party being the guests of M. I. T. In the afternoon an examination was made of the volcanic rocks of the region, of the conglomerates, and of the lava dikes and faults. The trip back to Boston was made by boat through the bay from Atlantic.

At Boston Art Museum

Prof. Rice met his division in Art 2 in Boston, on Sunday, and together they visited the Boston Museum of Fine Arts in Copley Square. Those who made the trip were Holroyd, Miller and Wright '06, and Davis '07.

Cap and Bells Play

"The Man from Mexico," a three act comedy by Du Souchet, has practically been secured by the Cap and Bells for its play this year. The royalty on this play was higher that was expected and the fact that it exists only in manuscript copy, has made it unusually difficult to secure. Mr. Donald McDonald who is coaching the dramatic club of the University of Wisconsin, has been secured to coach the club.

Tennis Scores

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Westcott '08 beat Cleveland '07 by default.

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'61—Rev. Charles L. Hutchins, D. D., celebrated the fortieth anniversary of his ordination as an Episcopal clergyman on Oct. 2.

'63—Rev. Daniel Merriman, of Worcester, has just published through the Hamilton Press of that city a pamphlet read before the American Antiquarian Society in Boston April 26, 1905, on "Jeremy Taylor and Religious Liberty in the English Church."

'85—George W. Yates, jr., who formerly praticed law at 150 Nassau St., New York, has given up law and entered the real estate business.

'88—Hamilton Ford Allen is professor of Latin language and literature at Washington and Jefferson college, Washington, Pa.

'92—Prof. Edward Bartow, Ph. D., who for the past five years has been associate professor of chemistry at Kansas State university, has secured a similar position on the faculty of the University of Illinois.

1900—Michael F. Black (P. and S. 1904) is interne at St. Vincent's Hospital, New York.

1900—Kenneth Mygatt is with the Thompson-Starrett Co., building construction, 51 Wall St., New York.

1900—Charles A. Squires (Cornell 1904) is interne at the Presbyterian Hospital, New York.

1901—Dunbar C. Brush is business manager of "Golf," a monthly magazine devoted to the interests of the sport.

1901—Lawrence Slade has been recently placed in charge of the transfer department of the Trust Company of America, New York city.

Ex-'01—Will S. Cookson has left this country to take up a position in the Kamehameha schools in Honolulu.

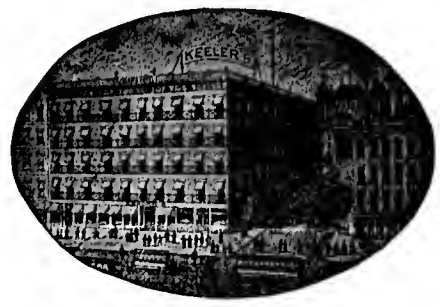
Ex-'01—James A. Ranger and Miss Mary Evelyn Scolley were married at the Sacred Heart church in Holyoke, Mass., Sept. 19.

1903—The note concerning James L. Linsley, in The Record of Oct. 23, was incorrect. The wedding of Mr. Linsley and Miss Edith Trowbridge has not yet taken place.

1904—Tyler W. Dennett has entered Union Theological seminary in New York. He expects to engage in settlement work in connection with the Church of Sea and Land, New York.

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THE FIRST SESSION

College Presidents and Delegates Met This Afternoon

The first session of the forty-ninth annual meeting of the association of colleges in New England was held in the seminar room of Griffin Hall at 4:00 this afternoon. Subsequent meetings will be held tomorrow morning and afternoon. Shortly after 9:00 this evening a reception will be given at the President's residence for the professors, assistant professors, and all delegates. The Yale delegate, heretofore unannounced, will be William Beebe, professor of mathematics. He will be entertained at Prof. Goodrich's.

The corrected list of delegates is as follows:

Harvard—President Charles W. Eliot, Secretary John G. Hart.

Yale—President Arthur T. Hadley, Professor William Beebe.

Brown—President William H. P. Faunce, Professor J. Irving Manatt.

Dartmouth—President William J. Tucker, Professor Gabriel Campbell.

University of Vermont—President Matthew H. Buckham, Mr. Harry H. Cloudman.

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Boston University—President William E. Huntington, Assistant Professor Dallas L. Sharp.

Clark University—President G. Stanley Hall.

Dr. Bascom Sunday

Rev. John Bascom '49, D. D., LL. D., of Williamstown, will preach in the chapel next Sunday on the third petition of the Lord's prayer: Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. This sermon is one of a series on the Lord's prayer which Dr. Bascom has been preaching the past two years. Last year he preached before the Congregational church on "Our Father which art in Heaven," and later in the old chapel on "Hallowed be Thy name."

WILLIAMS AND COLGATE

Will Play Football at Richfield Park, Albany, on Saturday

Williams will play Colgate in football at Albany next Saturday. The game will be played at Richfield Park, and will begin at 2:30 p. m. The officials are as follows: Referee, Evans of Williams; umpire, Sugden of Harvard; head linesman and timekeeper, Easton of Yale. The length of the halves will be settled by the captains on the field.

Those who wish to attend the game can leave either at 10:09, reaching Albany at 12:05, or at 12:10, reaching Albany at 2:25. The trolley runs to within a few blocks of the field. Returning, trains leave Albany at 6:30, reaching Williamstown at 8:50, and at 11:01, reaching Williamstown at 1:23.

Line-up of the Teams

The teams will line up as follows:

WILLIAMS, l. e., Elder; l. t., Bixby; l. g., Harter; c., Campbell; r. g., Reid; r. t., Johnson; r. e., Curtis; q. b., Kelley; l. h. b., A. Brown; r. h. b., D. Brown; f. b., Waters.

COLGATE, r. e., Sherwood; r. t., Houseman; r. g., Ford; c., Simmons; l. g., Huntley; l. t., Cartter; l. e., Knapp; q. b., Greene; l. h. b., Castleman; r. h. b., Runge; f. b., Stowell.

In the last five years Williams and Colgate have had hard, close contests. In 1903 the Purple was victorious by a 6-0 score, and in 1904, Colgate won a hard-fought game by the same score.

The Colgate Team

Seven of the last year's Colgate team are playing again, the chief losses being Aude, their crack guard, and Thurber, who made the touchdown against Williams. Colgate's back-field remains intact. Castleman is a brilliant end runner while Runge, at full in 1904, has always been good at line-bucking and this year has been used much on trick plays and end runs. The team is heavy, and will probably outweigh Williams.

Colgate's attack has brought many touchdowns, but is weak in one respect. The eleven has been unable to gain consistently against teams with strong ends. Against Dartmouth, no gains could be made through the line, and Colgate scores came through long runs. Against Syracuse, it was not until the very last of the game that Colgate could get even its tackle and end plays started. The Williams line should hold, and the ends can be depended on.

On the defense Colgate is not so good. Every team, except a normal school and a weak college eleven, has been able to cross its goal line twice.

THE WAX WORKS

Mrs. Jarley Exhibits in Williamstown Opera House

Mrs. Jarley stepped out of the pages of "Old Curiosity Shop" long enough last Monday evening to give a large audience at the Williamstown Opera house the benefit of an acquaintance with her, her two exceptional assistants, and her formidable array of wax figures. And to borrow a phrase from the circus bill, never before was there gathered together in any similar performance so skilled a body of able performers. Mrs. Jarley had made requisition upon the faculty and students of the college, and upon the parishioners of the First Congregational and St. John's churches, for the benefit of which she gave her exhibition.

The helpers of Mrs. Jarley in the management of her figures were two rustics whom she had been forced to hire under stress of circumstances, and who were constantly at swords' points, or rather at pitch-fork ends, with one another, and with the wax figures. Professor T. C. Smith and Assistant-Professor Perry took the parts, and their wit was the soul of the performance. The figures themselves included personages of renown; Hatch 1903 was Napoleon, Hart '94 and Mesrs 1903 were the Mikado and the Czar, respectively, and attempted to wreak vengeance upon one another's physiognomies, Lord 1905 appeared as John Paul Jones.

Mr. Lewis impersonated Powhatan, and his intended victim, John Smith, was Professor Cleland. Mr. Preserved Smith retired to the mythical past as Captain Kidd. Mr. Rees was the beneficent Carnegie founding libraries; R. F. Day 1906 took the part of Lew Dockstader, the burnt cork minstrel; Morgan 1906 appeared as Paderewski with very long hair; and Warren 1907 played the part of that species, now extinct, the true culinary artist. Mrs. Cassie Chadwick with her check book, Pocahontas, Barbara Frietchie, a Swiss maid, a witch, Madame Recamier with her powder-puff and mirror, a Spanish dancer, Madame Squalini the famous prima donna, were reanimated by the young women members of the congregations.

Officials for Amherst Game

The officials for the Amherst game, played in Williamstown Nov. 18, will be the following: Referee, Pendleton of Bowdoin; umpire, Vail of Pennsylvania; head linesman and time-keeper, Easton of Yale.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, NOV. 2

7.30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H.

9.00 p. m.—Reception to delegates, President's residence.

FRIDAY, NOV. 3

—Sessions of college conference, seminar room, Griffin Hall.

1.15 p. m.—1909 class picture, Hopkins Hall steps.

SATURDAY, NOV. 4

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Colgate football, Richfield Park, Albany.

SUNDAY, NOV. 5

10.30 a. m.—College chapel, Dr. Bascom will preach on "Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven".

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Prof. Morton will speak.

THE OCTOBER LIT.

Prof. Morton Reviews Initial Number of the Fall

The poem "Autumn Days" opens with a pretty conceit: "Kissed the green hills to their first autumn glow." We find genuine sentiment in rhythm smooth and graceful, excepting "shrill wanderers' cry", which taxes the pronouncing apparatus. The use of "a turning", "a winging", "a tremble", suits the meter and gives an effect subtly different from a less homely diction.

The Battle of Lake George is told in simple, effective style. It opens like a novel, passing later into historical description. As the subject is not Williams' farewell but the later battle, the preliminary word picture attracts us away from the real scene of the drama. One expects an attack of the enemy right there. However, the criticism might be confined to the title, a change in which to fit the essay would suffice. The style of the author has improved in compactness.

"The Test" is a story within a story, the inner to solve the problem of the outer by way of illustration. But the illustration is the more interesting of the two, and one resents the frigid moral at the end, as we do in our story-books. After actual sight of a tragedy involving three suicides only the hard-hearted could feel the music of the pines and the balm of the rain because he now sees happiness ahead for himself. But the inner tale is told with power. If divested of the outer it would be a forceful moral drama.

The poem "Arabia" does not easily yield to analysis. It has a touch of grandeur and also of mys-

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The Colgate Game

To win the Colgate game means much for the Purple—the defeat of last year will be forgotten and confidence given the eleven for the more important contests with Wesleyan and Amherst. The consistent improvement of the team, in every department of the game, since Williams played Dartmouth, means probable victory for the Purple.

Williams will play a harder, faster game of football, and play it all the time, if the college stands ready to give its support. Yet we might better drop forever our college spirit, so called, than have it forced. If a man prefers to stay home, or cannot afford the trip, or, being able to follow the team but once, is going to Middletown, he has excuse enough, if excuse is needed.

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Freshman Track Work

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As a means of recruiting candidates and developing material for the 'varsity track team, outdoor work in the fall is invaluable. The result of the sophomore-freshman meet may be attributed, in some degree, to the systematic training given the freshman contestants three weeks before the event. Aside from the final score, the size of the freshman entry-list, the largest ever reported, is evidence of increased interest in track athletics due, as we believe, to this innovation in the physical training course.

In addition to varying the monotony of indoor exercise, the outdoor course has as its principal aim a more perfect physical development of each member of the class, than has hitherto been possible under the old system. With that foundation of health that can only come from work in the open air, the freshman can enter into the gymnasium exercise with the assurance that he will secure some real good from the five months that are to follow.

Mr. Paine on Football

In the November "Century", Mr. Ralph D. Paine, a former college athlete, writes the second of a series of articles treating the spirit of school and college sport, on "English and American football." Mr. Paine begins his article with a brief statement of the American problem of professionalism in football, and follows by tracing the development of the rules of the game on this side. After an exceedingly interesting description of English football, he differentiates the two systems in that "in England athletics are ruled by the spirit of sport, in the United States, by the spirit of competition."

Mr. Paine's arraignment of American football strikes directly at the faults of the game, and is not overdrawn. He admits that football contains some of the best features of campus sport, since it best satisfies American fondness for hard outdoor pastime. It also contains some of the worst features, since, in his words, "a pastime which is so hard to play well, which contains so few of the essential elements of sport, and which cannot find its raw material among thousands of willing young men within its bounds, is certain to breed perverted ideas of the spirit and object of normally conducted athletics for the benefit of the greatest possible number. 'Professionalism' in football would be shorn of its temptations to 'win at any cost' if the game were such as the average student could learn to play well and enjoy."

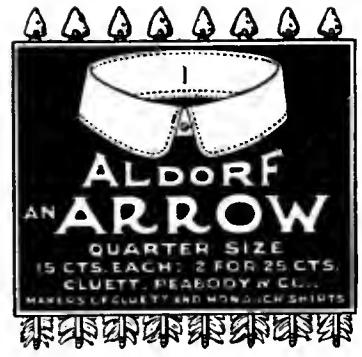
That these faults can be corrected by the introduction of the English non-competitive spirit, is not so plain. American football, though a development from English football, has essential points of difference. Few generalizations that apply to one can be made to

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apply to the other. Furthermore, it is absolutely impossible to legislate the competitive spirit out of American sport. It is part of the American character. Its extension to football is only a natural result of its presence in every part of our national life. Whether it is to be deplored or not as a characteristic of America is beside the question, the fact remains that it is there, and must always be reflected in the nation's sports. If improvements to football are to have any value, the faults improved must be characteristics of football, and not of the whole body of American sports.

Scrubs Scored

The student body of the college marched to Weston Field yesterday afternoon to watch football practice. The 'varsity lined up for a practice game against the scrubs, and defeated them by the score of 24—5. Coach Morris Ely, who arrived in town yesterday, was on the field with a large squad. The first score was made by the second team: Hill '07, by a trick play, broke through the line and ran seventy yards for a touchdown. The scrubs did not score again, and the 'varsity made four touchdowns, Bixby kicking all the goals. The touchdowns were made by Waters, A. Brown, C. Brown and Willcox.

In general, the 'varsity was strong on the defense. The backs gained consistently, substantial gains being made by A. Brown and Waters.

Second Exhibition

A second collection of pictures has been placed in the frame on the corridor wall of the second floor of Hopkins Hall. The exhibition is exceedingly interesting, containing some famous pictures, with some fine character portraits by Holbein.

The exhibition contains Raphael's famous "Transfiguration," with others of his works, the well-known head of Savonarola, by Fra Bartolommeo, and several paintings of Perugino. Half the frame is taken up with some fine heads by Holbein, including those of the More and Poyns families, several strong heads of women, and the well-known portraits of John Godsalve and Judge More.

New System Formulated

Prof. Nelson, Prof. Maxey, Asst. Prof. Clark, and Mr. Lewis met the presidents of the debating societies and the Wesleyan debaters in the library Tuesday evening to discuss a new system for choosing debaters. A system was formulated, which was adopted by the Adelphic union yesterday.

—The freshman class picture will be taken at 1:15 p. m. Friday, on the Hopkins Hall steps.

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tery, with some obscurity. It has good material of the granitic order, hard to work but worth the effort, as shown in the lines:—

"Predestined unto conquest led.
Thundrons upon an idle earth."

The excellent and judicious essay upon the Courtier of Castiglione is a welcome tribute to a book to which our debt is great. Strangely enough, the English of Hoby's translation is quaint and antiquated, whereas the Ithlian of the original might almost have been written yesterday. So, too, the gentleman of Chesterfield is more remote than the gentleman of Castiglione, because more artificial. Emphasis is rightly placed upon the formative influence of Vittorino da Feltre. It is due largely to him that the modern gentleman, the resultant of many forces, must possess the three virtues of manliness, cleanliness, and culture. For culture is a virtue, not a veneer. It must be in the grain. It is a pleasure to read so appreciative an estimate of a noble book.

The title, "Number Thirteen" produces the effect intended in the story, recalled in revery, of a man of the social world condemned for what sometimes secures acquittal as justifiable homicide. The method of exposition chosen by the author, with its vagueness and blurred outlines, is legitimate art, often employed by Dickens, with whom the shadowy forms turn to hobgoblins and the dream to nightmare. This method demands cautions handling and consistency, lest the spell be broken, and Mr. Dutton has succeded. But the sentence: "He was getting nervous" is dangerous because of the curious understatement, and the difficulty of a satisfying end to this mental tragedy might be better met by omitting what follows the mother's words, and closing simply with the effective line: "And outside the day was breaking."

"Rouge et Noir" is composed of three stanzas, each of which begins admirably and ends weakly, which is a great pity, for it might have been a superb poem. We hope the author will put more oil in his lamp.

An entertaining mariner's tale closes the part subject to review. If there is no single contribution rising to the height of inspiration found in some previons issues of the magazine, on the other hand nothing falls below a fair excellence of workmanship. It will be much if the editors obtain that result in every number. Inspiration bloweth where it listeth, but good execution comes only by persistent finger exercise. It looks as though the pruning-hook and the sword had both been wielded with discrimination.

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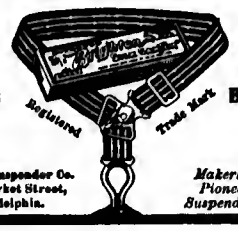
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Tennis Scores

The following matches have been played to date in the fall tournament. Brady '06, by defeating Smith '06, has won his way to the semifinals.

FIRST ROUND.

Hoyt '06 beat Andrews '07: default.

SECOND ROUND.

Thompson '08 beat Hoyt '06; default.

THIRD ROUND.

Brady '06 beat Smith '06: 6-1, 6-4.

Class Prayer Meetings

The weekly class prayer meetings will be held Friday evening, in Jesup Hall. The subject is Friendship, Prov. 27: 6-9, John 15: 12-15. The leaders are as follows: 1906, Hulst; 1907, Hart; 1908, Deyo; 1909, Fisher.

Colgate Scores

Colgate	59,	Cortland	0.
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Colgate	50.	St. Lawrence	0.
Colgate	6,	West Point	18.
Colgate	16.	Dartmouth	10.
Colgate	5,	Syracuse	11.
Colgate	53,	Rochester	12.

After the college meeting in Jesup Hall tonight there will be a meeting, to which all students of the college are invited, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the co-operative store. (Adv.)

Ex-'01—The marriage of Charles S. Hyde and Miss Clara Bayliss was performed at the home of the bride in New York city, on October 19. Dana Hyde ex-'02, a brother of the bridegroom, was best man at the ceremony.

Ex-'07—O'Neill is in the class of '09 at Colgate. He won first place in the half-mile in the recent freshman-sophomore meet there.

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In that inimitable manner so familiar to Cap and Bells, Smith '09 recited, with appropriate gestures, the well-known lines beginning, "Is this a dagger, which I see before me * * * * *?" That he was allowed to conclude his reminiscences unearthed speaks well for the complaisance of the audience. "—by the Edison Phonograph Company of New York and Paris," executed by Reid '08, was a feature, including as it did "Molly, O," sung by Willie Murray, who was present and appreciated the compliment.

Lack of space prevents comment on all the numbers. "An all day performance" demonstrated Day's ('09) fitness to tread the boards as a profession. "As the Moon Rose", by Latson '09, was good.

Credit for the management of the celebration is due the committee: Robbins (chairman), Barlow, Campbell, Neild and Wright.

The program follows:

PART I.

Overture by the College Orchestra.
1. Come fill your glasses up.
2. An all day performance.
3. Shag, freshman, shag!
4. Eyes have they but they see not.
5. Four of a kind.
6. Every time you hit him you get a cigar.

PART II.

1. Come, raise a song to Alma Mater.
2. From "Captain Rackett."
3. "—by the Edison Phonograph Company of New York and Paris."
4. When Greek meets Greek.
5. "You could heah doze banjos ringin'."
6. Macbeth.

PART III.

1. 'Neath the shadow of the Hills.
2. Black Statue, by the freshman members of Cap and Bells.

Cast of Characters.

Jake, a mischievous servant
Old Squintum, a farmer, fond of curiosities
Pete, in love with Squintum's daughter
Pilgarlic, a sly cove at money making
Mrs. Squintum
Rose, her daughter

3. Stunts.
4. "As the Moon Rose."
5. Give and take.

The attendants were:

B. F. Dawson '08, G. E. Hite '08, R. C. Hodgkinson '08, P. N. Westcott '08, C. Atwater '09, H. S. Dodd '09, D. M. Forgan '09, C. D. Matz '09, H. Wilcox '09.

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COLLEGE NOTES

The Greylock hotel closed yesterday.

De Camp '00 assisted in the coaching on Tuesday.

The freshman sweater committee has decided upon a black and red sweater-vest.

Willcox '06, Kelley '08 and LaMont '08 have been taken on the training table.

The 1906 class picture was taken on the steps of Hopkins Hall Tuesday.

A revised list of the freshman class has been completed. It includes 151 names, 25 of which are from 1908.

Harry T. Watson 1905 will be in town Saturday, November 11, to assist in the coaching of the football team

Prof. J. L. Kellogg represented Williams at the inauguration last Friday of the new president of Olivet College. Amherst was also represented among the delegates.

The annual class cross-country run will be held on Nov. 15, starting from South Williamstown. Each class will enter a team of five men. The usual method of scoring will be used. The cups for the winners of first and second places are on exhibition in Azhderian's window.

The temporary make-up of the college orchestra is as follows:—first violins, LaMont, Loughridge, Thompson 1908, Noble 1909; second violins, Birdsall 1907, Aub 1908; cornet, Nelson 1908; 'cellos, Sternberger 1907, Reid 1908; double bass violin, Fowler 1909; drums, Yarnelle 1907; piano, D. Hills 1906, leader.

At a sophomore class meeting held in Jesup Hall Tuesday evening, Harold Conant Payson of Portland, Me., was elected vice-president to succeed A. C. Griswold. Knight was elected manager of the class debating team. It was voted to transfer $40 from the baseball surplus for class football purposes.

Senators Will Meet

The first meeting of the Adelphic union, senate will be held in 4 Griffin Hall Wednesday, Nov. 8.

The senate is open to all students, whether they are members of debating societies or not. The senate will be called to order by Hulst '06, in the role of Vice-President Fairbanks. After passing upon the credentials of the senators, taking the oath of office, etc., the body will proceed to a discussion of railroad rate regulation. Each student will represent a particular senator. A paper is posted in Hopkins Hall on which those wishing to take part should sign their names and give the senator they wish to impersonate.

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BRILLIANT FCOTBALL

Colgate Defeated by Williams in Hard Fought Game

Williams defeated Colgate at Ridgefield Park, Albany, Saturday, by a score of 5 to 0, in by far the best game played by the Purple this season. From start to finish the game was all Williams. In the first half, with the wind at its back, Colgate was at its best, gaining 59 yards, but in the second half made only 17 yards, 13 yards of which came in one end run by Stowell. Williams made 166 yards in their first half and 186 in the second. Williams was held for downs 4 times and forced to kick 3 times. Colgate was held 5 times and forced to kick 6 times.

That Williams did not make a larger score was due directly to the wind, which was blowing a gale straight down the field. Colgate won the toss, and had the wind at their backs all the first half, and the thirteen minutes after Williams' touchdown in the second.

Runge, Colgate's captain, punter and line-backer, was operated on for appendicitis at St. Lukes Hospital, Utica, the afternoon of the game. His place was filled by W. Curtis (215), who gained more ground than the rest of the team together, and averaged 51 yards on punts. Nevertheless, Runge's interference and defense work were missed.

Colagte outweighed Williams 10 pounds to the man. Their attack was fast, but had little variety. It was chiefly directed at the line, all end runs and the two trick plays attempted failing to gain. Houseman and Curtis were their strongest players. Castleman played poorly. Williams gained constantly through Huntley and Cartter.

The Williams line held finely, and the backs, especially Waters, gave an almost perfect secondary defense. The offense was consistently good. Line backs were used chiefly, Waters rarely failing to make gains. The revolving play made yards when most needed. For the first time this season A. Brown gained well on straight bucks and D. Brown was up to his usual standard. Kelley ran the team well, especially in the second half when the goal line was in sight. To pick the best where all were good is difficult, but Bixby and Waters were conspicuous in every play. Elder was too much for Castleman, throwing

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COLLEGE CONFERENCE

Athletics Not Considered—Nothing Given Out For Publication

The sessions of the forty-ninth annual meeting of the association of colleges in New England were held Thursday and Friday in the seminar room of Griffin Hall. On Thursday the meetings lasted from 4:00 until 6:00 p. m. and 7:45 until 9:15 p. m.; and on the second day from 8:45 a. m. until 1:15 p. m., and 2:00 until 3:15 p. m. Dr. Hopkins, as president of the college at which the conference was held, presided, and Dr. J. G. Hart, secretary of Harvard university, acted as secretary.

All the sessions were behind closed doors and nothing was given out for publication. The discussion was very informal and no conclusions were reached. It is understood that fifteen topics were considered, one of them bearing on the fraternity system. Dr. Hopkins said that the conference was very successful, and stated further that athletics was not one of the topics.

The full list of delegates was published in the last issue of The Record. In addition to Acting-President Frederick W. Hamilton, Tufts college was represented by Prof. Charles St. Clair Wade, of the department of Greek language and literature. Assistant Professor Dallas L. Sharp of Boston university was unable to attend and his place was taken by Prof. F. M. Josselyn, of the department of Romance languages. Besides the regular delegates, members of the Williams faculty were present, and took part in the discussions by request. Williams was represented by President Hopkins and Prof. John H. Hewitt.

Many of the representatives left early Friday afternoon. Those who remained for the last session were: President Faunce and Prof. J. I. Manatt of Brown, Prof. Campbell of Dartmouth; President Buckham and Mr. H. H. Cloudman of the University of Vermont, President Brainerd and Prof. Burt of Middlebury; President Eliot and Dr. J. G. Hart of Harvard; and President G. Stanley Hall of Clark university.

After the evening meeting on Thursday President and Mrs. Hopkins gave a reception at their home for the visiting delegates.

The conference will be held next year at Yale university.

Dr. Henry Lefavour, '83, president of Simmons college, is in town, the guest of Prof. Morton.

PRESIDENT ELIOT SPOKE

Head of Harvard University Addressed College on "Growth"

Several of the presidents and delegates to the convention of New England colleges were present at the morning chapel service Friday. President Charles W. Eliot, of Harvard, addressed the college, and President William H. P. Faunce, of Brown, offered prayer. President Eliot spoke as follows:

When you came here to college you all stepped into a large room and when you go out of college you will step again into a larger room. You have more liberty here than before. Here you can learn self-control. Out in the world you will have still more liberty and a still larger opportunity for acquiring self-control.

What are the motives which should guide you when you come into this larger place? That inquiry means, what satisfactions are you going to look forward to? What is the worthy ambition for an educated youth? What are you going to count success in college? College is a rehearsal for life. What are you going to count success in the after life? What do you set before yourselves as your aim? What are you going to be content with when you draw near the close of life, come it early or come it late?

There is a short sentence in the New Testament which, like a great many other sentences in the Bible, seems to contain the whole philosophy of life in respect to success. It is a sentence peculiarly appropriate for the college youth to ponder on: "And Jesus increased in wisdom and stature, and in favour with God and man."

Jesus increased in wisdom and stature. He grew in body, got more strength, more symmetry, more grace and more power. He increased in wisdom—grew wiser in observation, in reasoning, in judgment. Now, that is exactly what every one of us should aim to do, should try to accomplish. We ought here in college and all through our lives to increase in wisdom and in stature. The body ceases to grow after a time, but the mind and the soul ought never to stop, ever increasing in wisdom and in stature, including in stature growth and strength and grace and beauty. That is one object for man all through college, that is one supreme source of satisfaction all through life.

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CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY NOV. 8

2.30 p. m.—1909-Williamstown high school football game.

7.30 p. m.—Adelphic Union Senate convenes, 4 G.

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The senate will be rapped to order by Vice-President Fairbanks (Hulst '06). In organizing, the body will pass upon the senators' credentials, and the senators take the oath of office. The Senate will keep a strictly moral membership. Senator Reed Smoot (McIntyre '08) will have his seat questioned, with bigamy as the charge. Other questionable characters will be called to account. Chauncey M. Depew (Hill '08) may have to account for his insurance "graft", while Bulkeley (Stanley '07), Clark (Sayre '09) and Platt, for which position of honor three contend (Scott '08, Myers '09, Bridgman '09), cannot expect to escape. Senator Beveridge (Dodd '09) is expected to indulge in flights of oratory, and the bellicose Tillman (Wood '09) will not be himself unless he arouses some excitement among the senators. All students with congressional aspirations are requested to take part. About thirty men have aspired to fame to date.

Third Sermon on the Lord's Prayer

Rev. Dr. John Baecom preached in the chapel Sunday morning on "Thy will be done in earth as it is in Heaven." He spoke in outline: Learn the truth, gained in striving to do the will of God, that truth which covers everything, which is in every experience, the truth that makes men free. Spiritual knowledge thus goes hand in hand with liberty. The kingdom of Heaven is within us.

Will is the fructifying of thought in action. "Thy will be done" means the harmony of the earthly and the Heavenly, the will of God in man. "Thy will be done" does not signify that it would not be done without our petition, but means a petition for insight into truth and liberty, the harmony of God and man.

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Meeting of College Presidents

The conference of the association of colleges in New England, which was held in Williamstown last week, was of interest to Williams as an important event in the history of the college. If the meeting had been public, unquestionably it would have been of greater interest and value to the college world at large. The fact that the gathering took place at Williams was a fortunate circumstance for the students of the college, in that an opportunity was given them to hear President Eliot of Harvard university, and to come within the influence of his personality.

It is to be regretted that the mercenary spirit in college athletics did not come up for discussion while the football problem is important, yet it can be solved by coaches and officials. Commercialism and professionalism, however, are more wide-spread and have been so harmful in their effects that they could well have been considered.

The Game With Colgate Saturday and the Football Situation

Williams' sixth victory on the football field this year has brought more prestige to the college in the athletic world than the other five put together. In defeating the Colgate eleven at Albany Saturday, the Purple has shown its superiority over a team acknowledged to be one of the best among the small colleges. The college has reason to rejoice at the result. The eleven played hard and fast every minute of the game, offering a defense that has never been surpassed by a Williams team. The touchdown that won the game was gained, not by luck or trick, but after the ball had been steadily advanced to the goal line, by straight football. Unlike the Columbia game, fumbling was not in evidence, nor was the play marked by weakness at any stage. The quality of ball that the Williams eleven exhibited gave them a deserved victory. The celebration which followed the game is evidence that players and coaches have the congratulations of the college.

More satisfactory, however, than the defeat of Colgate, is the fact that at last an interest and enthusiasm have been shown for a hard working squad. The football team is the undergraduate organization that, just now, is striving to make Williams known and respected among other colleges. The prospect of victory in Saturday's game was by no means certain: such a response by the student-body in following the team, when support was necessary, was certainly a commendable exhibition of college loyalty.

The two most important, as well as the most doubtful, games of the year remain to be played. If Williams defeats both Wesleyan and Amherst, the most successful season the college has seen in years will be concluded. At the same time, by the acquisition of new material, the coaches should start in 1906 with an outlook for the strongest team in the history of the college. To win these two games, two things must be avoided. The first is overconfidence on the part of the players—a state of mind which is as dangerous to good playing as faint-heartedness. The second is undergraduate lethargy. Until the whistle is sounded at the end of the Amherst game, the college must stand back of the team, for the eleven can't continue to win, unless the student body does its share.

COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

Editor of The Record:

The recent emphasis on the necessity for a live college spirit is significant; but I think the trouble lies deeper than the mere evident support or lack of support for undergraduate affairs. College spirit, to have any reality, must be essentially the spontaneous expression of a sturdy college life; it appears as the reflection, along certain lines, of what is a zest for living and accomplishing which properly extends through every department of the college. Enthusiasm for a team can be

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And the ultimate cure is by no means that every man should at once come out for our multiple teams and boards, highly important and necessary as this is, but that more men should get themselves in hand, cultivate the fullest self-control, know what they are about, and then apply to whatever mode of self expression their common sense indicates, an ardent and convincing effort. We are doing too much drifting, and need honestly to live. Once this is accomplished every undergraduate activity which deserves it will instinctively be well supported.

Neither is this a narrow matter. College spirit—the zest for living—must permeate every way of the physical, intellectual, and spiritual expression of the undergraduate personality. This renewing of activity must extend beyond the physical, to the intellectual and spiritual concerns. It is a matter which profoundly affects every portion of our life.

And in this question there is no cause for anything like pessimism; the Colgate game has shown the possibilities in the football team at least; those men were playing with all the strength they had and there is no reason why the rest of us can't carry the same vigor in other work. At all events, the remedy is simple and touches not the mass but the individual. Let us bestir ourselves, take thought as to our capabilities, know ourselves; and then, considering well the physical, intellectual, and spiritual aspects of our life and making the effort involved, in all things strive indomitably to do our best!

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Brilliant Football

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him twice for an 8 yard loss. Johnson also played a strong game.

Bixby kicked off, and on the fourth play Castleman, in a cross buck, ran 73 yards for a touchdown, but Houseman was offside and the ball came back. Castleman was thrown for a loss of nine yards. After two long kicks by Curtis and a short kick against the wind by Williams, Colgate got the ball on Williams 30-yard line, but was held 13 yards from the goal. Williams gained steadily, the back field doing good work in helping the runner, but lost on downs at midfield. Colgate was held again on the 27-yard line, and A. Brown slipped around left end for 32 yards. After short gains by both teams and a long punt by Curtis, Williams gained 5, 3, 12, and 3 yards, and had the ball on Colgate's 35-yard line when time was called.

Colgate kicked off, and Williams gained to the center of the field. A. Brown fumbled twice. Stowell got 13 yards, D. Brown pulling him down from behind. Colgate, on an attempted trick, made three yards, but lost 15 on penalty for holding. Bixby blocked Curtis' kick, and fell on the ball on Colgate's 33-yard line. From the 25 ysrd line Waters made 13 yards through Huntley. Colgate fought hard and Williams made first down by three inches. Two revolving plays, with Bixby back, left the ball seven inches from the goal line, and Waters made the seven inches for a touchdown. Bixby missed a difficult goal.

Colgate was forced to punt immedintely after the kick-off, and Williams rushed the ball 45 yards before losing it. D. Brown broke through on Curtis' attempted punt and forced the big fullback to run with the ball thus holding for downs, Williams gained to Colgate's 23-yard line. Colgate held, and punted to Williams' 30-yard line. Williams gained 3, 1, 7, (Waters), 2½, 4, 2, and 3, and had the ball on Colgtes's 48-yard line when time was called.

The summary:

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Elder, le	re, Sherwood
Bixby, lt	rt, Houseman, Boardman
Harter, lg	rg, Ford
Campbell, c	c, Simmons
Eldridge, rg	lg, Huntley
Johnson, rt	lt, Cartter
F. Curtis, re	le, Knapp
Kelley, qb	qb, Greene
D. Brown, lhb	rhb, Stowell, Whelan
A. Brown, rhb	lhb, Castleman (acting capt.)
Waters, fb	fb, W. Curtis

Score, Williams 5, Colgate 0. Touchdown, Waters. Referee, Evans '93 of Williams. Umpire, Sudgen of Harvard. Head linesman and timekeeper, Easton of Yale. Linesmen, W. Stringer of Colgate, Risley 1900 of Williams. Time, 25 and 20 minute halves.

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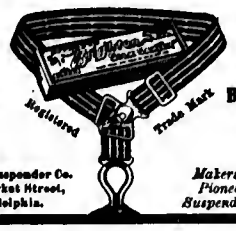
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COLLEGE NOTES

Risley 1900, Patterson ex-'02, Mitchell 1904, Helbig ex-'05, Goldin 1905, were in town last week.

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In the nine games played thus far the Williams football team has scored 122 points to its opponents' 58.

Thirty-nine men have signed for the Dartmouth-Brown preliminaries which will be conducted under the new system.

The management of the track association announces that a dual meet with Wesleyan will be held on Weston Field, Saturday, May 5, 1906.

The Rev. Mr. McNulty, field secretary of the Episcopalian state board of missions, addressed the students' missionary association in St. John's parish house on Friday.

Mr. C. K. B. Nevin, supervising architect of the Thompson Memorial chapel, returned to his home in Boston on Saturday after a residence of two years in Williamstown.

The manager of the musical clubs announces that the western trip of the clubs planned for the Christmas vacation, has been given up. The season's schedule of concerts has not yet been completed.

The following men were taken to Albany for the Colgate game: Bixby, Blaisdell, Campbell, Loomis, Willcox, 1906, A. Brown, Bates, Chapman, Jaeckel, Johnson, 1907; D. Brown, Curtis, Elder, Eldridge, Kelley, LaMent, Marshall, Reid, Waters, 1908; C. Brown, Harter, Robb, 1909.

Almost the entire college body marched to the station Saturday evening to meet the team. The procession escorted the drag to the campus, and then went to the residences of Dr. Hopkins and Prof. Russell where speeches were heard. Two large bonfires were built on Main street and cheers were given for every member of the team.

NOTICES

—The 1907 class picture will be taken on Tuesday at 1:30, at Hopkins Hall. If the weather does not permit, it will be taken at 1:30 on Thursday.

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The preliminary trials will differ from the old debating society trials in two ways; any student who wishes, whether member of debating society or not, can take part in them, and the judges are to be members of the faculty, not students. Each speaker will be given five minutes. The first speaker is to be either a non-debater or a 'varsity debater. The second speaker will be present during the speech, and, when it comes his turn, will be allowed either to devote two minutes to rebuttal of the first speaker's points, and then give his own speech, or speak without rebuttal. The third speaker, in turn, will be present while he is talking, and so on. Sixteen men will be chosen on the first trial.

On the second trial each of these sixteen will be given ten minutes, and will be obliged to discuss only one side of the question, without being told whether it is affirmative or negative until just before he speaks. None of the contestants will be allowed to hear any other in the second trial.

From the sixteen, eight 'varsity men will be chosen by faculty judges, six debaters and two alternates. The trials will take place before Christmas, that sufficient time for preparation before the final debates (March 3) may be given.

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Following the college meeting in Jesup Hall Thursday evening, a meeting was held to organize the co-op. on a firm legal basis. Mr. C. F. Kloss of New Haven, general manager of the American College Stores Co., addressed the meeting, outlining the methods and purpose of the co-operative stores, and proposing a mode of organization for the Williams association. Following Mr. Kloss' suggestions, a board of directors was elected, composed of three members of the faculty, the general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., two members of the senior class and one from each of the other classes. The board was elected as follows:—Prof. Spring, Asst. Prof. Webster, Asst Prof. King, Mr. Pettit, Griswold '06, Perry '06, Clark '07, D. P. Brown '08 and Sayre '09.

Owing to the meeting of the college presidents in the Griffin hall seminar there were no recitations in History I a on Friday.

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But that sentence does not stop with the increase in wisdom and stature. It goes on "and in favor with God." Jesus grew in favor with God. God saw this creature grow in wisdom and power and loved Jesus more and more, and found him constantly a finer human creature destined to a greater and greater work in the world. Now, that is just what we ought to hope that God may see in us—the creature growing in fineness and beauty and service.

But that is not the end of the seatence, "increase in favor with God and man." The favor of man is an object which we may all wisely set before ourselves to be won, in a worthy way, by incressing in wisdom and power and service. That is one of the greatest rewards in life. This is not won by us in the same way that the favor of God is won by us. God knows everything about us in the beginning and the end. He sees all the environment, the struggles, the failures, the fetters; he knows all about them all the time. His judgments are admirable. Jesus increased in favor with God, but man does not know the value of that favor, sees but dimly the struggle, the constant daily struggle, knows sometimes, but very imperfectly of the successes and the failures. Hence man's judgment of men is going to be gradual, uncertain and subject to surprises.

The supreme human catastrophe is the sudden adverse judgment of men against a fallen man, and as Shakespeare puts it,

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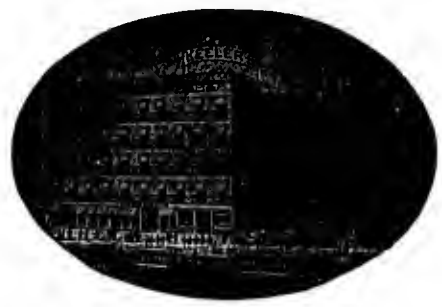
That is a terror on the one hand that we should all think of: that is a punishment we should all dread—the sudden disfavor of men, well-grounded, bursting suddenly upon us, but well-grounded; and on the other hand "the purest treasure that mortal times afford is spotless reputation." in college, before, and after. Think of it beforehand, seek to get it, aim to win it. It will be the source of solid satisfaction, of joy and happiness, and contentment. But take that sentence all together: "And Jesus increased in wisdom and stature, and in favour with God and man."

Laws in Spiritual Life

Prof. Asa H. Morton addressed the Y. M. C. A. in Jesup Hall Sunday evening on the reality of laws in spiritual life. Prof. Morton said that although it is well known that the development of mind and body conformed to laws, still there is not a strong enough appreciation of the reality of the working of law on the spiritual side.

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WESLEYAN SATURDAY

Williams on Andrus Field—Line-ups and Prospects

Williams meets Wesleyan in football on Andrus Field, Middletown, at 2:00 Saturday afternoon. The team will leave Williamstown at 3:50 Friday afternoon and will spend Friday night at Cooley's Hotel in Springfield. The special train for the student body will leave Williamstown at 8:30 Saturday morning, reaching Middletown about 1:00. Returning, the special will leave Middletown at 5:45, stop in Springfield for dinner, and get to Williamstown about 11:00. The rate will be $3.10, but if over 300 go a rebate will be given. The admission to the game is 75 cents. Bleachers have been built on the Williams side of the field.

The teams will line up as follows:

WILLIAMS: l. e., Elder; l. t., Bixby; l. g., Harter; c., Campbell; r. g., Eldridge; r. t., Johnson; r. e., Curtis; q. b., Kelley; l. h. b., D. Brown; r. h. b., A. Brown; f. b., Waters.

WESLEYAN: l. e., Smith; l. t., North; l. g., Seeley; c., Long; r. g., Taylor; r. t., Dearborn; r. e., Cunningham; q. b., Van Surdam; l. h. b., Hampson; r. h. b., Gildersleeve; f. b., Woodhead.

In addition to the team the following men will be taken on the trip: Blaisdell, Loomis, Willcox '06; Chapman, Jaeckel '07; LaMent, Reid '08; C. Brown, Robb '09.

Wesleyan lost but one man from the 1904 team, Capt. Eyster, and was strengthened this year by new material in the freshman class, as well as by Hampson and Reiter, who entered 1908 from Princeton.

The team is fast and averages 171 pounds. Their attack has been varied all through the year, but has been mostly directed at the line against really strong teams. Wesleyan's ends are good, however, and, as the eleven have been practising behind closed gates for over a week, coach Reiter will probably have trick plays and end runs ready for the Purple on Saturday.

Wesleyan's defense is strong, but much weaker than the offense and vulnerable at the ends and outside tackle. In the kicking game Williams is sure to be outclassed, as Hampson is an exceptional punter, and Cunningham, the freshman end, has kicked two goals from field in match games this fall.

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PURGED OF POLYGAMY

U. S. Senate Loses Undesirable Member—Indignant Oratory

Fifty members of the new college senate wrangled for an hour last night over the eligibility of the claim of Reed Smoot (McIntyre '08) of polygamous fame to a seat in that august body. To their credit the larger part of the senate withstood the eloquent onslaught of the much married candidate for the senatorial toga, fighting with one or two adherents against expulsion, and he was compelled to leave the chamber, the vote being 30 to 12 against him.

The reading of Mr. Smoot's name in the roll call was the signal for hisses from all parts of the chamber, and the report of the committee on privileges and elections that he be refused a seat, presented by Senator Allison (McAllister '06) provoked a spirited debate. Senator Beveridge (Dodd '09) precipitated an uproar by arguing that a man is innocent until he proves himself guilty. Senator Lodge (Perry '06) dealt in superlatives in his contention that the name of Smoot should be anathematized. Senator Cullom (Bowman '06) vainly tried to belittle the offense charged against Smoot, but was crushed by the logical indignation of Senators Blackburn (Wells '05) and Tillman (Wood '09), the latter brandishing aloft a pitchfork. Altogether it was a merry session and a most auspicious beginning for the meetings, which are to be held every third Wednesday.

The Smoot contest crowded out the proposed discussion of regulation of railroad rates and it will be considered at a later session. Vice-President Fairbanks (Hulst '06) ruled the body with an iron hand but showed a willingness to hear from any member. A motion to send condolences to Mr. Smoot expired for want of a second, but it is likely that he will be welcomed back under a different personality.

Communion Service

Rev. Willard Scott, D. D. '75, of Worcester, will preach in the chapel Sunday morning. At the close of the morning service the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed. The preparatory service will be conducted by Dr. Scott at half past seven on Saturday evening in the assembly room in the basement of the Thompson Chapel.

COWELL CAPTAIN

Will Lead Basketball Team in Place of Neild, Resigned

At a meeting of the basketball team held in Jesup Hall Tuesday noon Eugene Irving Cowell 1906, of Ashburnham, was elected basketball captain for the season of 1905-1906 in the place of Frank Rollinson Neild, who had resigned.

Cowell prepared for college at Cushing academy, Ashburnham, being captain of the Cushing team



EUGENE I. COWELL 1906

in his senior year. He made the Williams basketball team his first year, playing at left guard, and in his sophomore and junior years played at right guard. He was captain of the team in his sophomore year, and has always been the most brilliant individual player on the five.

No Southern Trip

The management of the baseball team has practically completed the 1906 schedule, but has not yet submitted it for faculty approval. There will be no southern trip this year, and although there will be no second team with schedule arranged, "2nd" caps and sweaters will be awarded.

Convention at Westfield

The thirty-ninth annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Massachusetts and Rhode Island will convene at Westfield tomorrow at 2:30 p. m., and continue until Sunday evening. Prof. John E. Russell will deliver the principal address at the Saturday evening session, in the Second Congregational church, his subject being "Christ for Students." Mr. Pettit will represent the Williams Y. M. C. A. at the convention.

CALENDAR

FRIDAY, NOV. 10

8.00 p. m.—Williams-Wesleyan debate, college chapel, Middletown.

SATURDAY, NOV. 11

2.00 p. m.—Williams-Wesleyan football. Andrus Field, Middletown.

7.30 p. m.—Preparatory service to communion, assembly room, chapel basement.

SUNDAY, NOV. 12

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Rev. Dr. Willard Scott '75, of Worcester, will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Communion service, chapel.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting. J. H. Rev. Dr. Willard Scott will speak.

DEBATE TOMORROW

Williams Argues Direct Primaries with Wesleyan

To-morrow evening at 8:00 o'clock the sixth annual Wesleyan-Williams debate will be held at Middletown in the college chapel. It is always difficult to forecast the result of a contest of this kind, and the outcome this year is more in doubt than usual.

The series up to the present time stands three victories to two in favor of Wesleyan, which has been especially strong in debating in recent years, having several times defeated Syracuse. The loss of Hancock '05, for several years the strongest speaker on Wesleyan's teams, is likely however to be severely felt.

Only one member of the Williams team has participated before in an intercollegiate debate, Nomer '06 being a member of the team which won from Dartmouth in the spring of 1904. Case '07, however, was a member of the sophomore team of last year, while Matthews '07, alternate, has had considerable experience in society and preliminary debates.

Wesleyan, it has been announced, will be represented by Travis '06 and Power '08, with Atwater '06 and Laidler '07 as alternates. Travis debated against Williams last November, while Atwater has been an alternate for the past two years, besides having represented the Red and Black in the debate with Syracuse university.

The debate, as has been announced, will be on the question of direct primaries, and Williams will support the affirmative, arguing against the present methods of nomination.

The three judges will be Geo. D. Wilson, professor of political science at Brown, Geo. B. Adams, professor of history at Yale, and Hammond Lamont, an editor of the New York Evening Post. The team with the manager left Williamstown at 12:58 this noon, reaching Middletown tonight.

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Williams plays Wesleyan Saturday. The game is going to be a hard one to win. Let every man who can, be on Andrus Field and cheer for Williams and the team!

Why at Columbia?

Although the basketball schedule has not yet been completed, announcement is made that Williams will play Columbia on the Columbia court. In view of the fact that the two teams were the only claimants for the national championship title last year, it is desirable that a game be arranged between them, to decide, for this season at least, which is the better. Aside from the opportunity offered Williams to prove that its claim of last year is good, the Purple should be ready to further intercollegiate harmony by resuming basketball relations with Columbia, if the differences can be adjusted on a basis fair to that university and to Williams. In consideration of the trouble with Columbia last winter, we believe that the question cannot be settled satisfactorily to Williams by the scheduling of one game, if that contest is played on the Columbia floor. It is most unlikely that the student-body would be in favor of a game with that condition, for it is not only a matter of poor policy, but the Williams team would be placed at a decided disadvantage.

To understand the present situation, the causes which led to the break with Columbia must be kept in mind. Briefly, they were as follows: Williams was scheduled to meet the Blue and White at Williamstown on February 18. In the midst of the season Columbia cancelled the game, giving faculty intervention as the reason. A game played at Rochester shortly afterwards showed a glaring inconsisteney on the part of the Columbia management in cancelling the Williams contest. Since that time no reasonable explanation has been offered except that Columbia feared defeat and the loss of its intercollegiate honors. Incidentally, Williams had a most successful season in basketball, and claimed the intercollegiate title on its record. This claim was not recognized, as we have shown, in an article in the A. A. U. Guide, written by a member of the Columbia team. The college athletic council, however, has practiently done so in awarding the W to the members of last yenr's team.

The Columbia management writes that, inasmuch as Columbia is champion, Williams must play on the Columbia floor. The principle is accepted, but the title contested. Williams has claimed the intercollegiate honor, and continues to do so. The hollowness of the title when applied to Columbia is evident in the incapacity of the organization that granted it. That the A. A. U. is not a fit judge on basketball questions is proved by intercolleginte withdrawnl from its control and repudiation of its rules. Would a single game, played at Columbia, be good policy for Williams this year? Since the game at Williamstown was cancelled by Columbia, such a proposition seems most unusual as a matter of managerial procedure. Furthermore, Williams claims were sufficiently strong for the season of 1904-5 to merit consideration, and standing merely on its record, Williams is not in a position to be dictated to by the Blue and White.

A single game on the Columbia court would be decidedly unfair for Williams. It would be a virtual admission that the intercollegiate title belonged to Columbia. Last year's claims would be delivered up without question. Columbia would rest secure for 1904-5, and would be contending only for the championship of 1905-6, and on its own floor.

The choice of officials has nothing to do with this question. Williams is given the power to select officials, to be approved by Columbia. It is almost needless to say that Williams would not choose a referee or umpire not absolutely impartial. In a fair and square contest advantage on the one side cannot be counterbalanced by advantage on the other. All conditions must be equal.

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Editor Williams Record.

Sir:—Every Williams man will join me in congratulating the college upon the victory in Saturday's game at Albany. While I was not present on this occasion, I have been able to watch the development of the team to some extent, in practice and in minor games this fall, and am proud of their success.

In this connection, I cannot praise too highly the work of our football "coaches," whose enforcement of strict discipline and systematic training, both on and off the field, has been of the greatest benefit to the team, and as well to the spirit of the whole college. We can always be sure of our share of good material in every branch of athletics, but, after all, it is the training that tells.

And now for Wesleyan and Amherst!

AN ALUMNUS OF '90.

1909 0, W. H. S. 0

On the muddy Williamstown High school field, the High school eleven played the freshmen a tie game yesterday afternoon, neither side scoring. The game was fast, considering the condition of the field,. The freshmen showed up strong in the first half, but the lighter high school eleven forced them to the defensive during the last period of play. Penalizations were frequent for both teams and there was much punting. In the second half a High school advance was stopped on 1909's 10-yard line and Williamstown had it within 8 yards of a touchdown at the end of the game. Williams, Mayer, and Wadsworth excelled for the freshmen, while Stocking, Porter and Cheney did the best work for the High school.

The summary:

WILLIAMS 1909.	W. H. S.
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Wadsworth, qb.,	qb., Upton.
Westen, Mitchell, lhb.,	rhb., Neyland.
Williams, rhb.,	lhb., Cheney.
Mayer, fb.,	fb., Barrington.

Score, Williams 1909, 0, Williamstown High school, 0. Referee, Warren '07; umpire, Woodhouse '07; timekeeper, Stocking, '05; head linesman, Hogan '06; linesmen, Santry '09, Fallon of W. H. S. Time 20 and 15 minute halves.

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In securing a question for the three debates, each college presents one to a committee of alumni in Boston and from these three the final question is chosen. Williams' representative on this committee will be Hon. James Robert Dunbar, B. A., '71, of Brookline, a trustee. The Williams committee consists of Hulst, Nomer, Perry '06; Case, Matthews '07, and has sent to Boston the following question:

Resolved: That the present United States laws establishing the so-called "merit system", and governing and affecting the appointment and promotion of civil servants of the United States, of certain inferior grades, should be so amended as to apply to all postmasters, to all consuls, and to all members of the diplomatic corps below the rank of minister.

The debating teams are to consist of three men and an alternate. Twelve minutes will be allowed for all first speeches, and five minutes for all rebuttals. The affirmative will both open and close the debate.

The judges, three in number, will be chosen by an entirely new system. Quoting from the agreement: "Each college shall appoint two representatives, one representative of Brown shall meet one representative of Dartmouth in Boston; one representative of Brown shall meet one representative of Williams in Boston; one representative of Dartmouth shall meet one representative of Williams in New York; these representatives in conference are to select the judges for the debate between the two colleges which they respectively represent. No judge shall be selected who is not acceptable to both representatives". These representatives must be chosen twelve weeks before the debate.

The Williams debaters will be chosen before Christmas, by a method never before tried in the college.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Cantwell '06 and Gibson '08 are in the infirmary.

Patterson 1900 and Erskine 1904 were in town yesterday.

The junior class picture was taken on the steps of Hopkins Hall Tuesday.

Black '00, Jaeckel '02 and Stocking '05 assisted in coaching the football team this week.

Rev. Dr. Willard Scott will speak at the regular meeting of the Christian Association Sunday evening, at 7.30 o'clock.

On account of the communion service in the college chapel, the Bible classes will not meet next Sunday morning.

At a meeting of the freshman class, held Wednesday evening, the class pipe was selected. Mayer was elected manager of the class basketball team.

At a college meeting held in Jesup Hall Tuesday evening the speakers were, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Hatch, Manager Case, Jaeckel '02, Stocking '05, Day '06, Curtiss '06, McAllister '06, Hulst '06 and Morgan '06.

Numerals have been awarded for first places in the sophomore-freshman track meet, to the following men: 1908—B. P. Allen, Bowker, Clark, LaMont, Marshall; 1909, Horrax, Johnston, Mayer, Swain.

At a meeting of the directors of the Williams co-operative society held yesterday afternoon, the following officers were elected: President, Prof. King; vice-president, Pettit '05; secretary, Clark '07; treasurer, Griswold '06. Burnap '06, was elected superintendent. Constitutions were submitted, which will be acted upon at the next meeting.

First Classical Society Meeting

At the first fall meeting of the classical society, to be held Tuesday evening, Nov. 14, in the lecture room of the biological laboratory, Professor Seymour of Yale university will deliver an illustrated lecture on "Recent Archaeological Excavations in Greece."

The program for the year, which will include ten meetings, has not as yet been completed. Meetings at which illustrated lectures are to be given will take place in the biological laboratory, and all other meetings in the west wing of Lawrence Hall.

All students taking Greek III, Greek II, Latin III, and Latin II, who desire to take an active interest in the work, are eligible for membership. The officers of the society are: faculty advisor, Assistant Professor D. T. Clark; president, C. B. Wilbur 1906; secretary, H. C. Blagbrough 1907.

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Wesleyan Saturday

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The best feature of Wesleyan's game is that they invariably play better in the second half than in the first.

Wesleyan's best individual players are Van Surdam, the all-eastern quarter-back last year, a first-class man at the quarter-back run but prone to take the ball himself too often, and Capt. Dearborn, at right tackle, who has just returned to the game after an absence of a month. That Woodhead is good at fullback is evident from the fact that he has displaced Bailey, Wesleyan's fast line-bucking full-back of last year. The tackles are strong on the offense.

The officials will be as follows: Referee, Wallace of Penn.; umpire, White of Michigan. The head linesman and timekeeper had not been decided at 3:45 this afternoon.

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The scores of all Willams-Wesleyan football games to date are given below. It will be seen that since 1881 the two colleges have each won five games, with one a tie, in 1903. Williams has scored 94 points and Wesleyan 123. Williams has not lost to the Red and Black since 1900. It is of interest to note that Williams' first football game with the colleges now her chief rivals, was with Wesleyan, Amherst not being played until 1884, and Dartmouth not until 1888.

1881,	Williams 10,	Wesleyan	0.
1887.	6,		18.
1896.	6,		0.
1897,	0,		22.
1898,	0,		22.
1899.	5,		11.
1900,	0,		35.
1901.	11,		5.
1902.	28,		5.
1903,	5.		5.
1904.	23.		0.

Wesleyan Scores

Wesleyan 38,	Storrs 0.
Wesleyan 0,	Yale 27.
Wesleyan 0,	Columbia 0.
Wesleyan 19,	Vermont 11.
Wesleyan 31,	N. Y. U. 0.
Wesleyan 26,	Union 5.
Wesleyan 27,	Tufts 5.

Wesleyan Weights

Smith, l. e.,	150
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Seeley, l. g.,	202
Long, c.,	160
Taylor, r. g.,	198
Dearborn, r. t.,	201
Cunningham, r. e.,	149
Van Surdam, q. b.,	148
Hampson, l. h. b.,	168
Gildersleeve, r. h. b.,	157
Woodhead, f. b.,	172
Average	174

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STATEMENT BY COACH

Captain Hatch of 1903 Discusses Chances of Victory Saturday

Coach Hatch made the following statement regarding the Wesleyan game Saturday:—

"Wesleyan's team this year is better than any Wesleyan has had since the fall of 1901. Moreover, it is the best team excepting Harvard and Dartmouth, we have met this year. It is considerably better than Colgate—not heavier, but more aggressive. Wesleyan's team is both heavy and aggressive, and our line must be quicker than in the Colgate game.

"Wesleyan's back-field is strong. Van Surdam, quarterback, is the most to be feared. He is very fast and has been successful this year in his quarterback runs. Our ends, however, lead us to expect that he will not be so successful in this as in other games. Our attack must be more consistent against Wesleyan than in the Colgate game—there the team tore down the field five and ten yards at a time for thirty yards, then yielded the ball on downs. In addition there were three bad fumbles in the Colgate game.

"If the team on Saturday has improved as much over the form it showed in the Colgate game, as the game it played against Colgate showed improvement over any best previous form, we ought to win from Wesleyan. At best, the game will be nip and tuck from beginning to end. With the back-fields almost equal, Van Surdam making chances slightly in their favor there, with their heavier and more experienced line giving them advantage there, the ends will be Williams' stronghold.

"It seems probable at present that not more than one hundred and sixty will be able to go to the Wesleyan game. It is vital to the success of the team in Saturday's game that more men from college should go to Middletown."

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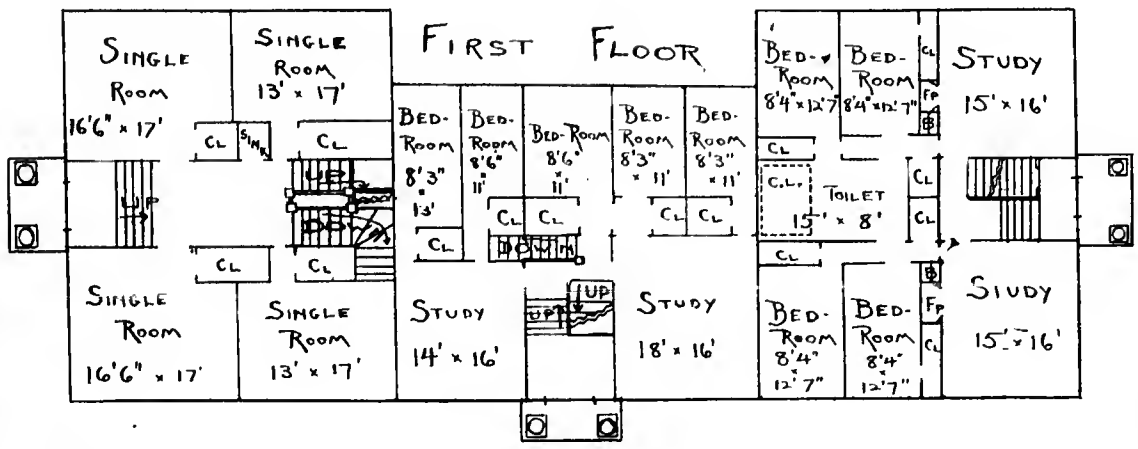
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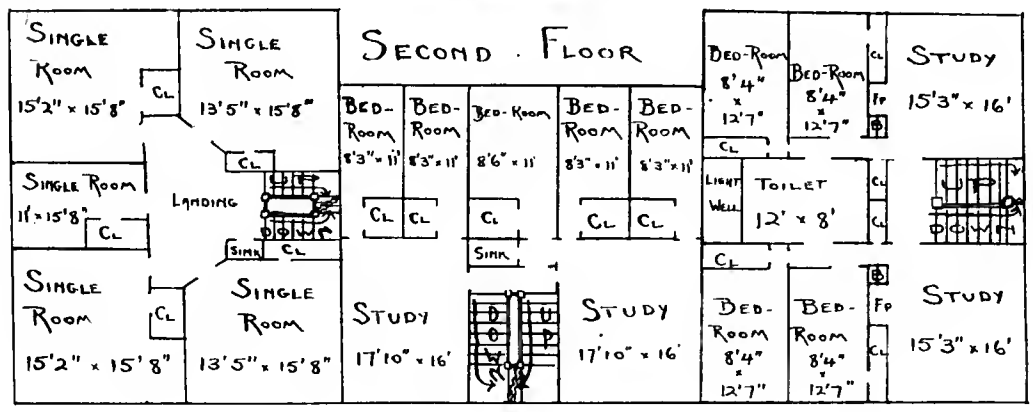
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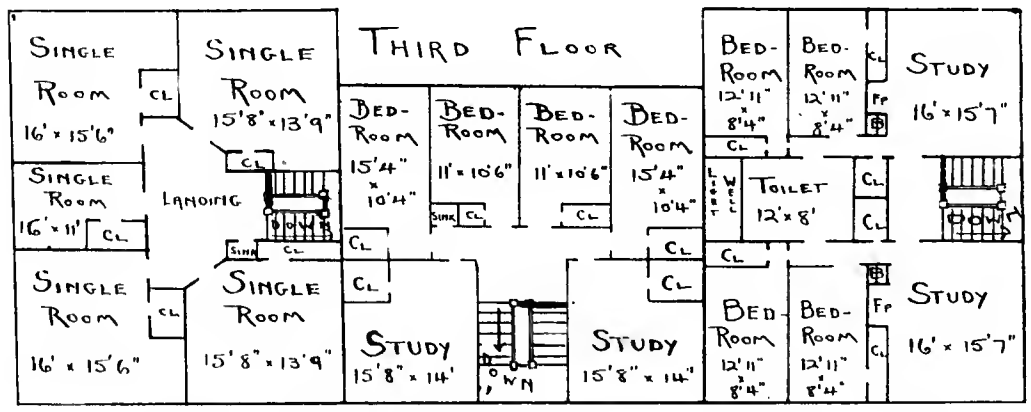
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DEBATERS DEFEATED

Sixth Annual Debate Won by Red and Black at Middletown

The sixth annual Williams-Wesleyan debate, held in the college chapel, Middletown, Friday evening, was won by Wesleyan. The debate was on the question of direct primaries, the question reading as follows: Resolved: that in the United States the nomination of candidates for minor elective offices should be by the method of the primary.

Williams was represented by Harold Adin Nomer 1906, and Roy Herbert Case 1907, with Lytel William Matthews 1907 as alternate. The Wesleyan representatives were Arthur Gerald Hubert Power 1908, and Charles Mabbett Travis 1906, with Charles Woodard Atwater 1906 and Harry Wellington Laidler 1907 as alternates. Williams upheld the affirmative. Wesleyan's presentation of arguments was more forceful, had greater smoothness, and retained a larger measure of its vigor in rebuttals than that of Williams. Williams' debate was clear, but at times lacked the convincing earnestness given by the Wesleyan speakers.

Bradford P. Raymond D. D., LL. D., president of Wesleyan, presided. Nomer '06 opened the debate for Williams, speaking in outline as follows:

First Affirmative

The prevalence of corruption in our politics is the greatest menace to our democratic institutions. Proper legal regulation will prevent corruption in the primary but can not remedy the convention because it has certain inherent evils which always attend the system under modern conditions.

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First Negative

In opening the debate for Wes-

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CALENDAR

MONDAY, NOV. 13
7:15 p. m.—1907 class meeting, J. H.
TUESDAY, NOV. 14
7:15 p. m.—1908 class meeting, J. H.
WEDNESDAY, NOV. 15
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WESLEYAN VICTORIOUS

By Score of 18 to 0—Sensational Run by Van Surdam

Those critics of football who have been complaining that the game is uninteresting to the general observer have evidently never seen Van Surdam, the Wesleyan quarter-back. His run of 76 yards in the second half of the Wesleyan-Williams game Saturday, scoring the second of the three touchdowns which defeated the Purple 18 to 0, was as brilliant a bit of the "open game" as the football spectator ever sees.

The game had been fairly even for the second half when Waters kicked to the Wesleyan quarter-back. Catching the ball on his 34-yard line on the north side of the field, he started towards the center. Quickly turning, he eluded the Purple ends, and, dodging back and forth on the slippery field, was by the entire Williams team in a moment. He touched the ball down directly between the posts. Hampson kicked the goal

Wesleyan's victory was caused by four things, the individual work of the slippery Van Surdam, an effective wing shift, a strong secondary defense, and great strength in the left side of the line. Hampson made several long runs. North and Woodhead made consistent gains. Williams found the wing shift formation particularly difficult to stop. Hampson's punts were high and long except when kicking from formation; Wesleyan held much and was frequently penalized.

The Williams backfield was slow. A. Brown played a good game. D. Brown gained little ground, largely owing to the fact that the left side of Wesleyan's line kept coming through on his cross bucks. Kelley caught and ran back punts well, but showed very poor judgment in running off plays. Waters, as usual, was the strength of the team, especially on defense, and, though outkicked, punted for long distances. All the backs were poor on interference. In the line Bixby played much the best game until he injured his wrist,

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The Wesleyan Game

The unexpected defeat by Wesleyan Saturday was a disappointment to the college. There is small consolation in the fact that the Red and Black has the strongest team in the history of the university. Williams was outplayed. Although the work of the eleven was fast at the beginning and the end of the game, it was on the whole inferior to the play in the Colgate game a week before. Only the quality of football exhibited by the Williams eleven can be criticised. The fighting spirit was there all the time. It was as much in evidence when the score was 18 to 0 as it was before either side had scored. The brilliant playing of Wesleyan's quarterback contributed six points to the total, and by straight football the Purple would have lost by two touchdowns.

The team was fairly well supported in numbers. The cheering from the Williams section, steady and strong throughout the game, was equal to that of Wesleyan. In singing, for which Wesleyan is famous, Williams was but little behind. The reception given the team on its return was more than creditable. The kind of loyalty was shown then that will help to win the Amherst game.

Debating

Williams has not been holding its own in debating during the past two years. Two debates have been lost to Wesleyan and one to Dartmouth. The last contest with Amherst, a sophomore debate in 1904, was decided against the Purple. These repeated defeats can best be explained by lack of interest in the student body. The college is not giving its strongest representation. The practical advantages of debating over other undergraduate interests make this disregard more surprising. This year the college has left two debates. Under the triangular agreement Williams meets both Dartmouth and Brown. If Williams is to compare favorably with other colleges, support in the form of active participation must be more general.

Two steps have been taken which we believe will help to accomplish this result. The old system of choosing debaters has been dropped, and in its place substituted an entirely new method, as outlined in a recent issue of The Record. Fairness is now assured and competition for positions on the team is open to the college. That the system used in the past was radically wrong is evident to anyone understanding the conditions. Student judges in the trials before the debating societies were not always impartial. Members of the faculty have consented to cooperate by acting in this capacity at all the trials under the new system. Since the negative and affirmative of any question are seldom of equal strength, the members on the weaker side were likely to be placed at a disadvantage in the preliminary debate before the college. Nor was the handicap confined to the team having to argue the less forceful side of the question, but was extended to the speaker whose lot it was to present the least important argument. These faults are corrected in the system recently adopted.

The change should tend to increase the number of competitors for the 'varsity teams. Formerly, membership in one of the two societies was required of a 'varsity debater. In opening the trials to the college, an opportunity is given the man who, though interested in debating, is not a Philologian or Philotechnian. Although rebuttal is allowed, it is worth noting that it is optional in the preliminary trials. The advantage to the man debating for the first time is evident.

The value of this new system cannot be proved until it has been given a trial. The second step to stimulate debating at Williams, however, is practical and has met with encouraging results. The college United States senate already has a membership of over forty. Its first session showed plainly that all the debating material in college has not been placed at disposal of the judges. The extemporaneous character of the discussions in the senate should prove valuable in promoting ease in rebuttal.

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Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION

Prof. Russell Delivered Principal Address on "Christ for Students"

The thirty-ninth annual convention of the Y. M. C. A. of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, closed at Westfield yesterday. At the business session Saturday morning, Mr. D. Chauncey Brewer, '86 of Boston was elected to the state executive committee for four years, and Prof. Henry D. Wild '88 for two years. In the College Men's Institute, Mr. William S. Pettit, '05 spoke for Williams. Saturday evening, the principal address was delivered by Prof. John E. Russell '72 who took as his theme "Christ for Students."

Prof. Russell spoke in part as follows:

"The students in our colleges and universities are in an environment distinctly hostile to the doctrinal beliefs of Christianity. Scientific methods, historical and literary criticism, have undermined for the most part the foundations of religious dogmas. The student who accepts modern science, its principles and methods of investigation, feels himself borne irresistibly away from the old moorings in traditional beliefs. The old faith has gone, the new faith has not yet come. From the lesser faith, through doubt, to the larger faith, is the history of the spiritual struggle through which great numbers of our best students are passing."

Prof. Maxcy at Teachers' Convention

Prof. Maxcy attended the Franklin County Teachers' Association convention in Shelburne Falls Friday and delivered two addresses. He spoke in the morning before the High school teachers' section alone, on "English in the Preparatory school," and in the afternoon before the entire convention on "Sincerity in Teaching."

Dr. Scott Spoke

Dr. Willard Scott '75 of Worcester spoke before the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall last evening. He emphasized the importance of making much of religious life in the world. We are lapsing from the old time interest in religion, when religion and business claimed all the time in a man's life. There are so many who call themselves Christians who are not thoroughgoing.

Coaches Coming Next Week

Coach Morris Ely will arrive in town in time for practice on Tuesday and will remain until after the Amherst game. Louis L. Draper 1900, captain of the 1899 team; Philip Draper, ex-'97, and Harry T. Watson, 1905, halfback and captain of the 1904 eleven, will be in town all week and William H. Murray 1905, tackle, is also expected to be here.

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Discussed by Presidents

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1. Fraternity houses: are they increasing in numbers? Do they become more and more luxurious and expensive? Are they on the whole advantageous to the college?

2. The educational value of the small division.

3. Does the experience of most New England colleges with their requirement for A. B. of from 120 to 230 "term hours," and the constant distribution of the student's time over a variety of subjects, suggest the advisability of concentrating the work for the degree upon a smaller number of subjects?

4. What is the result of the erection of fraternity chapter houses and how should such houses be controlled?

5. Is there such a decline in the study of Greek in the secondary schools as to call for protective action on the part of the colleges?

Class Cross-Country Run

The second annual class cross-country run will be held Wednesday afternoon, weather permitting. Each class will be represented by a team of five men. The runners will leave the gymnasium for South Williamstown at 1:15. Leaving South Williamstown the race will be run along the River road to Williamstown, finishing at the gymnasium. The method of scoring is as follows:—Each runner scores as many points against his class as the number of the place he takes in the race. The class with the smallest count wins.

Men from the four classes, who have completed the ten runs necessary to qualify for the cross-country final, will meet Mr. Seeley in the gymnasium Tuesday, and receive their instructions.

Massachusetts Historical Society

Professor T. C. Smith attended the meeting of the Massachusetts Historical society, held in Boston Thursday. Prof. William A. Dunning of Columbia university, spoke on "New Light on Andrew Johnson." He revealed the interesting fact that one of President Johnson's messages, instead of having been written by Secretary Seward, as was supposed, was the work of Bancroft, the historian. Frederick Bancroft spoke on the "Condition of the Free Negro before the War."

G. K. Smith 1903, Dennett 1904, A. P. Newell and Peckham 1905 have been in town.

Sercomb 1906 has left college, on account of ill health.

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leyan, Power '08 said in part:

The evils of the delegate system are not inherent in that system, but depend on human nature. The attendance is equally large in delegate system and primary, and in many cases is greater under the delegate systems. Fraud and corruption are not inherent in the convention system. If a man will sell his vote in a party caucus, he will do the same in the direct primary.

Second Affirmative

Case '07 closed the debate for Williams, as follows:

The abolition of the primary will bring the people out, because the people will feel a direct influence in the election. The delegate system has tended to keep the voters from the polls. If the people will come out and vote, they will become better educated in polities and will thus cast more intelligent votes.

As far as the candidates are concerned, this abolition of the convention will secure better nominees. Mistakes are watched and will be remedied, as practice has shown. Lastly, this direct primary system will make officials the servants of the people, and will free them from their reaponsibility to the machine.

Second Negative

Travis '06 concluded the main speeches for the Red and Black.

So corrupt a man as Ames of Minneapolis can be nominated under the direct primary. The delegate system is at the basis of American government. The people elect good men to make good laws and in the same way they must elect good men to make good candidates. We would not have laws made by the whole people.

If the people, as the affirmative claim, do not know the delegates, who live right around the corner, how can they know the candidates? The number of candidates is too great for the individual voter to choose from with intelligence.

In rebuttal Nomer opened for Williams and his points were the clearest of all. Power met Williams points well, but tried to answer too many. Case's arguments were good. Travis' speech was very forceful. He said in part:

The people do not deliberate in the direct primaries. The delegate system is not too complex, and you know whom you are choosing. The negative has based its debate on facts. There are as many bosses, less attendance, more corruption, and poorer nominations in the direct primary systems.

The decision of the judges, Prof. Geo. B. Adams of Yale, Prof. Geo. G. Wilson of Brown, and Hammond Lamont Esq., of the New York Evening Post, was unanimous in favor of Wesleyan. After the debate a reception was given to the debaters and Williams men present by the faculty and three upper classes, followed by a smoker, at the Psi Upsilon House.

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and followed the ball well. Johnson also did good work, but the center of the line was weak. Curtis and Elder had hard work in downing Van Surdam.

First Half

At 2:30 Woodhead kicked off to Waters, who ran the ball in 17 yards to the 22-yard line. Williams lost the ball on a fumble, and Wesleyan was held. A. Brown made 5 yards and Waters 6. Each side held for downs twice and Williams got the ball on its 17-yard line. At this point Williams' attack obtained its greatest force, and, on a succession of short gains, the ball was carried past the center of the field, to be surrendered on downs. After short gains by Wesleyan, Woodhead made 53 yards to the 10-yard line. Curtis pulling him down from behind. Williams held stubbornly, three tries netting 5½ yards. Woodhead took the ball over in two rushes and Hampson kicked goal, after 23 minutes. After Woodhead's kick-off Williams was forced to punt, but in turn forced the Red and Black to kick when 18 yards from score. At the end of the half Wesleyan had the ball on its 46-yard line.

Second Half

Bixby kicked off to Hampson in the second half, and on the first play North fumbled, Bixby getting the ball on the 22-yard-line. Three downs netted four yards. Wesleyan was forced to kick in turn and after line bucks, A. Brown slipped around right end for 15 yards. Williams fumbled, North picked up the ball and ran 90 yards, but was called back, as the whistle had blown before the fumble. Williams was forced to kick, but stopped Wesleyan after eight rushes. A. Brown made 6, Bixby 7. Williams was held, Waters punted, and Van Surdam ran for a touchdown, as described before. Wesleyan kicked off, and after a succession of penalties, secured the ball on Williams 39-yard line. From the 33 yard line Van Surdam made 16 yards, Hampson 5, North 4, and Hampson 9 for a touchdown. Hampson kicked goal. Wesleyan kicked off, and the ball changed hands several times, Van Surdam being thrown once by Elder for a 10-yard loss. Cunningham muffed a kick on Wesleyan's 24-yard line, but Williams was unable to gain consistently. After exchanges of kicks time was called with the ball in Williams possession on Wesleyan's 40-yard-line.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Fay 1907 has left college temporarily on account of ill health.

Ayers 1906 fell and broke his collar bone Thursday.

The sophomore-freshman football game will probably take place Wednesday, Nov. 22.

There will be a 1906 class meeting at 1:30 tomorrow in Jesup Hall.

President and Mrs. Hopkins will be at home Friday afternoons and evenings throughout the winter.

In the first match of the semi-finals in the fall tennis tournament Brady '06 was defeated by Linen '07, 6-3, 6-4. Linen thus qualifies for the finals.

The Nichols Cadet band of twelve pieces led by Mr. Edw. M. Nichols, North Adams, has been engaged by Williams for Saturday's game.

The squad taken on the Wesleyan trip was composed of Bixby, Blaisdell, Campbell, Loomis, Willcox 1906; Bates, A. Brown, Chapman, Jaeckel, Johnson 1907; D. Brown, Curtis, Elder, Eldridge, Kelley, LaMent, Marshall, Reid, Waters 1908; C. Brown, Harter, Robb 1909.

The Deutscher Verein will meet in three divisions, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, commencing Nov. 15. There will also be a monthly meeting of the three divisions. It is planned to give two short plays during the winter.

One of the results of the recent conference of college English departments is the adoption by Williams of Dartmouth's system of offering the best English themes for publication in newspapers. The best themes in English so judged will be sent from time to time as communications to the North Adams and Springfield papers.

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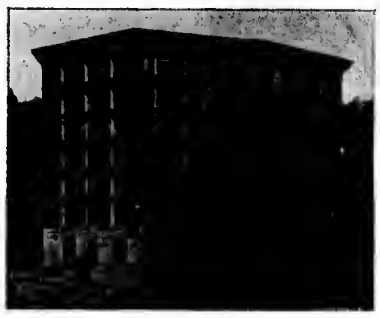
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CLOSING CONTEST

Season Ends for Williams and Amherst on Weston Field Saturday

Amherst and Williams meet in the final contest of the season for each team on Weston Field Saturday. The game will start promptly at 2:30 p. m.

The Williams seats will be on the west side of the field; Amherst's on the east side. The west bleachers will be divided into four sections. The three north sections will be reserved for the student body, without extra charge, but no student will be allowed to take any guests into these three cheering sections. These sections will seat 325. The fourth (south) section, to which an addition is now being constructed, will be reserved for students with friends, seating 160. Tickets for this section went on sale this afternoon. They will be on sale again tonight from 7:30 to 8:00, in Jesup Hall.

The college will meet at the gymnasium at 2:00 Saturday and will march to the field. The Nichols cadet band of 12 pieces has been secured from North Adams, will march with the students, and will be at the north end of the bleachers during the game. Six special policemen from North Adams have been hired, in addition to the Williamstown force. Absolutely no one will be admitted within the sidelines without a badge. The admission to the game will be 75c, and the reserved seats will be 50c.

The officials will be as follows: Referee, Pendleton of Bowdoin; umpire, Vail of Pennsylvania; head linesman and time-keeper, Easton of Yale.

Amherst's line-up and weights are given on page 4. Williams will line up as follows: le., Elder; lt., Bixby; lg., Harter; c., Campbell; rg., Eldridge; rt., Johnson; re., Curtis; qb., Waters or Kelley; lhb., D. Brown or Willcox; rhb., A. Brown; fb., LaMent or Waters.

At the opening of the season Amherst did not look strong. Leighton, at center, had gone to Michigan, Palmer, Pierce and Rollins had graduated, as well as the best player on the team, fullback Coggeshall. Shannon, end, died last spring. Nor did the earlier games of the season give promise of strength equal to Williams. Two weeks ago, however, Foster Sanford of Yale was called to Amherst for a week to assist head coach Hart and the results of his coaching were apparent in the Dartmouth game Saturday.

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1907 WINS

In Cross-Country Championship Run—B. P. Allen '08 First

1907 won the second annual class cross-country run yesterday afternoon, thus duplicating its success of last year. B. P. Allen 1908 won the cup offered for first place, finishing well in advance of the other competitors. The teams were driven to South Williamstown and started from there over the river road for the Gymnasium at eight minutes to three. Allen's time was exactly 27 minutes, 57 seconds slower than that of last year. Davis and Hompe had an exciting race for third place, Davis winning out in the last ten yards. As 1906 entered only one man and 1909 had but four, eighteen points were scored against each class for every blank. Every man finished in good condition. This was a result of the excellent training which the regular runs during the fall have given.

The summary follows:

1906		1907	
Miller	12	Lesser	2
——	18	Davis	3
——	18	Hompe	4
——	18	Wilder	5
——	18	C. B. Stewart	8
	—		—
	84		22
1908		1909	
B. P. Allen	1	Holmes	9
Goodbody	6	Rowland	10
Bullard	7	Loomis	11
Johnson	13	Coleman	14
Anderson	15	——	18
	—		—
	42		62

Lecture by Prof. Ostwald

Through the liberality of one of the alumni there will be an opportunity on Monday next to hear Professor Wilhelm Ostwald, of the university of Berlin, deliver his lecture on "The Growth of Scientific Research Through the Centuries."

Professor Ostwald's work in the fascinating problems of Physical Chemistry has placed him among the leaders of thought and work in natural science, and his European rank as a philosopher is second only to his high reputation as a brilliant investigator. Professor Ostwald is lecturing at Harvard this semester. The lecture will be given in the biological lecture room at 8 o'clock. The entire college is invited.

A college meeting will be held Friday evening, at 7:30, in Jesup Hall.

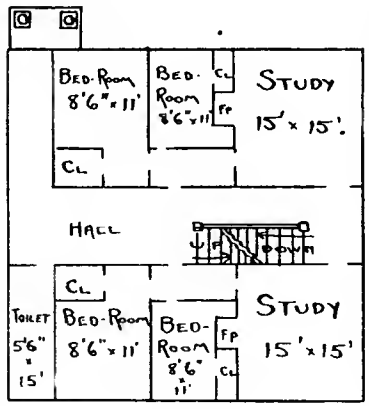
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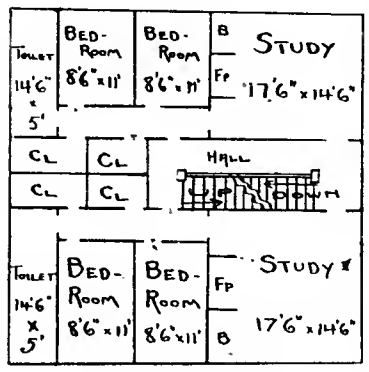
The construction of the two new dormitories, Berkshire Hall and South College extension, is being pushed as rapidly as possible, in order to complete the ground work before frost hardens the earth. Blasting has been going on for two weeks, and the excavation for South college is practically completed.

The concrete foundation base of Berkshire Hall has been laid and the stone foundation is now being set. The building extends from Jackson Hall, north to the old site of the Sewall house.

Work on the swimming pool is at a standstill, as the steel beams, ordered six weeks ago from the New England Architectural Steel



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Co., of Boston, have not yet arrived. When they come, the posts now supporting the ceiling in the middle of the pool excavation will be removed, and the steel beams will be erected in the partition between the pool and the locker-room. The contracted metal pool, and the glazed tile with which it will be lined, are ready for shipment, and will be installed as soon as the beams are received. Contractor Smedley expects to have the pool completed by the end of the Christmas vacation.

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CALENDAR

THURSDAY, NOV. 16

7.30 p. m.—1909 Class meeting, J. H.

FRIDAY, NOV. 17

7.30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H.

SATURDAY, NOV. 18

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Amherst football, Weston Field.

SUNDAY, NOV. 19

10.30 a. m.—College chapel.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

4.45 p. m.—Organ recital by Mr. Salter, chapel.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H.

MONDAY, NOV. 20

8.00 p. m.—Lecture by Prof. Wilhelm Ostwald on "Growth of Scientific Research Through the Centuries," T. B. L.

LAST HARD PRACTICE

'Varsity Scores Six Touchdowns on Scrub

The last hard practice of the 1905 football season was held Wednesday, the last practice with the bonfire and songs taking place this afternoon. The 'varsity offense rarely failed to make five yards at a down and the defense held well against the Amherst formations of the scrub. The 'varsity play was marred by frequent fumbling, Marshall, Lament and A. Brown being the worst offenders. Willcox played well, except for punting.

The 'varsity scored three touchdowns in each half, and frequently punted on first down. LaMent scored five of the touchdowns and A. Brown one. The original 'varsity line-up, with Waters at quarter, Willcox at left half and LaMent at full, may start the Amherst game. The teams lined up as follows:

'Varsity	Scrub
Elder le.,	re., Halley
Bixby, Conover lt.,	rt., Conover
Harter lg.,	rg., Reid
Campbell c.,	c., Loomis
Eldridge rg.,	lg., Roberts
Marshall rt.,	lt., Westbrook, M. Brown
Curtis re.,	le., Chapman
Waters, Kelley qb.,	qb., Scarritt
Willcox lhb., rhb.,	Hill, Winslow
A. Brown rhb.,	lhb., Bradley
LaMent fb.,	fb., Bates

Sunday's Minister Undecided

President Raymond of Union, who was to have addressed the student body next Sunday morning, telegraphed President Hopkins early in the week that he could not be present. An attempt was made to secure President Flavel S. Luther of Trinity, and, though unable to be present next Sunday, he has promised to be here some Sunday in the immediate future. Up to 4.00 this afternoon no one had been definitely secured.

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Amherst Saturday

Saturday afternoon will take place the biggest event of the first term. Williams meets Amherst on Weston Field to decide which college has the better football team for 1905. Since Williams has resumed athletic relations with the Purple and White, the athletic contests at home with Amherst have occurred at times when it was impossible for that college to send a large student delegation to support its teams. This year it is understood that the Amherst eleven will be accompanied by at least three hundred undergraduates, who will try to cheer their team to victory in the first game with the Purple at Williams since 1901. During their short stay it will be the privilege of every Williams man to extend to them the best the college affords.

It must be admitted that Amherst has a better chance of winning than Williams. The Purple will be outweighed about fifteen pounds a man. Amherst comes to Williams after a tie game with the team which defeated Princeton 6 to 0, and Williams by four touchdowns. The two instances in which direct scores can be compared are against Williams. The Purple is favored by indirect comparison, having won from Colgate. It must be remembered that the Holy Cross game has shown that Amherst is not invincible. While these facts must not be forgotten in considering the probable outcome, they lose their ordinary value in a Williams-Amherst game. As was stated in the college meeting Tuesday night, experience has proved that the result of a contest between the two colleges was never assured before the game was played.

An appeal for the support of the student-body at the game is unnecessary. A suggestion, however, is needed in regard to the singing and cheering. Both lack unity and volume. The college must follow the cheer-leaders more closely if the right results are to be obtained.

College Deacons

In reply to a request for information concerning the proposed election of college deacons, their purpose, and what can be accomplished by this new institution, President Hopkins has written to the Record the following letter:

Editor of The Williams Record,

Sir:—It has been proposed that deacons be chosen by the two upper classes. The name indicates a religious office and the choice of deacons by the classes to which they belong will be a recognition by the student-body of the fact that there is a religious life in the college in which all are more or less interested. Religion in college is a fact as it is a fact in the world outside, and every friend of the college must desire that this religion, to be real and vital, a life and not a mere form, be genuine and practical. It is believed that class deacons of the right sort will help to make it so. This is the first object sought for in their election.

The choice of these men by the students from among themselves will also be a new expression of the democratic character of the college. This is an agency to stimulate and guide to right living, not let down from above by ecclesiastical or academic authority, but coming up out of the student-body.

In addition to this the movement will be a new step in carrying out the cherished purpose of entire co-operation. As "democratic" is the one word which describes the fundamental basis of the life here, so "co-operative" is the one word which describes the method of administration which it is hoped will prevail in all departments. When faculty and students are together actively interested in everything that can promote the good of the college, we shall have reached our ideal. We have need to develop in both faculty and students a sense of responsibility for our common religious life. On the student side, the class deacons, chosen on the broad catholic creed of manly living, will naturally become the leaders in almost every form of student religious activity. Chosen by the students themselves, they can

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HENRY HOPKINS.

Coming from the trustees through the president, the proposal to elect deacons is of vital importance to the student-body. The first paragraph of the letter from Dr. Hopkins explains why this plan has been offered to the college. Sufficient reason cannot be found elsewhere for the proposal to create these offices. Simply to give expression to the democratic spirit of the college, or to further a much desired plan of co-operation in the life of the college, would hardly be cause, separately or together, to justify the adoption of the plan. We can only conclude that it is felt that religion in Williams is unreal and insincere. We believe there is truth in this, and that the remedy which has been found right at Yale, can be applied here as well.

If the deacons are to have any influence, the student-body must take hold of the plan, and complete the system itself. In the next issue of The Record a suggestion will be made in regard to the mode of election. Any other method offered will be received and given notice in these columns.

It is of course necessary that a question, so close to the students as this evidently is, should come before the college-body for decision. Action could be taken in college meeting, or the matter referred for investigation to a committee from the four classes.

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Closing Contests

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Dartmouth had the ball in Amherst's territory exactly twice during the game, so good was the Purple and White's defense. Amherst had a good attack, and made consistent gains always until the 25-yard line was reached. Shattuck's goal from field from the 35-yard line, of no account because but five men were in the rush-line instead of the regulation six, practically gave Amherst a victory.

Amherst has two freshmen in its line-up, Kilbourn and Bryant, and two members of its 1903 team, Priddy, re., and Lewis, qb., the 1903 captain. Capt. Hubbard is unquestionably the star of the eleven. He gained half the ground for the Purple and White against Dartmouth, and no man on the team is his equal on the defense. Shattuck, left half, at quarter last year, is also good on the offense. Lewis, at quarter, is playing his fourth year at that position.

The team is strongest in the back field. The ends are fast, the tackles good on the offense, the guards only fair, and, on the same descending ratio as you approach the center of the line, center is the weakest place on the team. However, Hubbard's work at secondary defense nullifies this weakness.

An attractive program has been gotten up by the management and will be sold on the field. Besides the usual cuts of the two captains and squads, and this year's scores, the book will contain a line-up of the two teams as they will face each other on the field, and scores of Amherst-Williams games since 1884. The cover, in purple and gold, is original and tasteful.

Amherst Line-up and Weights

The probable line up, and the weights of the Amherst eleven are given below. It will be noted that from tackle to tackle the team averages 211, the backs average 174, and the team 191:

R. Crook le.,	180
Kilbourn lt.,	183
Bryant lg.,	235
Gildersleeve c.,	200
Osborne rg.,	210
Connell rt.,	225
Priddy re.,	170
Lewis qb.,	160
Shattuck lhb.,	170
F. Crook rhb.,	180
Hubbard fb.,	185

Wesleyan Games

In addition to the list of games with Wesleyan published in The Record of Nov. 9 should be mentioned a game played in Springfield in 1889, won by Wesleyan 20 to 17. Wesleyan has now two more games than Williams.

The first Williams-Dartmouth game was played Oct. 27, 1883, Williams winning by a score of 5 to 2.

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AMHERST GAMES

Purple and White Victorious Six Times in Twenty-one Contests

Williams and Amherst first met at football in 1884, and have played 21 games, of which Williams has won twelve, and three have been ties. Williams was strongest up to 1889, the teams were on an even footing until 1891, and, after a bad defeat in 1892, Williams kept on top for two years more. Until 1898 the games went Amherst's way, but since that date the Purple has been undefeated until last year. Williams has scored 358 points, Amherst 181. Williams won from Amherst 57 to 0 in 1885, the Purple and White surpassing this with a 60 to 0 victory in 1892.

1884,	Williams 15,	Amherst	2.
	Williams 11,	Amherst	0.
1885,	Williams 57,	Amherst	0.
	Williams 18,	Amherst	15.
1886,	Williams 4,	Amherst	6.
	Williams 30,	Amherst	0.
1887,	No game.		
1888,	Williams 53,	Amherst	0.
1889,	Williams 0,	Amherst	0.
1890,	Williams 6,	Amherst	0.
1891,	Williams 0,	Amherst	0.
1892,	Williams 0,	Amherst	60.
1893,	Williams 30,	Amherst	12.
1894,	Williams 34,	Amherst	10.
1895,	Williams 4,	Amherst	16.
1896,	Williams 4,	Amherst	6.
1897,	Williams 6,	Amherst	6.
1898,	Williams 5,	Amherst	16.
1899,	Williams 38,	Amherst	0.
1900,	Williams 16,	Amherst	5.
1901,	Williams 21,	Amherst	5.
1902,	No game.		
1903,	No game.		
1904,	Williams 6,	Amherst	22.

Amherst Scores for 1905

Amherst	23,	Bowdoin	0.
Amherst	10,	Columbia	10.
Amherst	16,	Vermont	6
Amherst	0,	Holy Cross	9.
Amherst	0,	Dartmouth	0.

Class Prayer Meetings

The regular class prayer meetings will be held Friday evening, at 7:30 p. m., in Jesup Hall, on the subject, "A lesson from athletics"—1 Cor. 9: 24-27. The leaders are as follows: 1906, Reid; 1907, Russell; 1908, Cole; 1909, Noehren.

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Classical Society Addressed by Prof. Seymour of Yale

At the first meeting of the classical society, held in the Biological Laboratory Tuesday evening, Dr. Thomas Day Seymour, professor of the Greek language and literature at Yale university, spoke on "Recent Archaeological Excavations in Greek Lands." The lecture was illustrated by stereopticon slides. Although no reference was made to the more recent work done by excavators, an interesting, instructive explanation was given of the problems to be solved and of the methods employed in clearing a site. A comparison was made, by means of the slides, of the appearance of the spots of archaeological interest today and a hundred years ago.

In his introduction Prof. Seymour traced the history of the Acropolis at Athens from earliest times. The first excavations in Greek lands were made simply for the purpose of identifying sites, or in the interests of architecture. The last stage has been reached now, when investigators are clearing entire towns, and studying the life and customs of their former inhabitants. The views explained were from the Acropolis at Athens, Corinth, and from Tellene.

Program

The program of the classical society for 1905-6 is as follows:

Nov. 27—Some points of interest in Comparative Grammar and Sanskrit: Dr. Gerig.

Dec. 12—Roman Sculpture: Professor Rice.

Jan. 9—Reading of the Acharnians of Aristophanes, by members of the society. Introduction by Professor Hewitt.

Jan. 23—Greek Religion: Dr. Pratt.

Feb. 13—Lecture or paper by Professor Howes.

Feb. 27—Symposium upon Greek Science: (1) The work of the Greeks in Natural History: Professor S. F. Clarke. (2) The work of the Greeks in Mathematics: Professor Ferry. (3) The astronomical conceptions of Aristotle: Professor Milham. (4) Physics: Dr. Porter. (5) Aristotle's contribution to Biology: Dr. Woodruff.

March 13—Reading of the Mostellaria of Plautus, by members of the society. Introduction by Morrill, '07.

March 27—Annual report upon classical periodicals, by members of the society. Question-box.

April 9—Greek Athletics: presentation of different phases by members of the society.

April 24—(1) A few comparisons of Roumanian, Umbrian, and classical Latin: Dr. Gerig. (2) Aristotle's contributions to the theory of the state: Mr. Preserved Smith. (3) Greek Music, with piano-forte and vocal illustrations: Mr. Salter.

May 8—(1) The development of Roman tactics and Roman contributions to the art of war: Durfee, '07. (2) History of the gladiatorial shows: Buffinton, '07.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Leland '06 is teaching German in the Hoosick school.

The Taconic club was closed for the season on Tuesday.

Asst. Prof. Perry spoke at the college meeting Tuesday evening.

DeCamp '00, Draper '00, and Watson '05 have been assisting in the coaching this week.

Steel lockers are being placed in position in the locker-room of the gymnasium.

Dr. James B. Pratt '98 is preparing a treatise on "The Psychology of Religion."

The senior class has voted to hold class-day elections before Christmas.

A student band has been organized at Amherst and will play at the game Saturday.

Elections of class basketball captains have resulted as follows: 1906, Barlow; 1907, A. Mitchell; 1908, Watters.

Dr. Parsons is compiling a locality directory containing a register of all living alumni, classified according to residence.

Forty-eight men have signified their intention of taking part in the Dartmouth and Brown preliminaries.

Kenney '06, Lapham '07, and Westcott '08 have been elected managers of their respective class basketball teams.

At a meeting of the directors of the co-operative store yesterday afternoon it was decided not to admit townspeople into membership.

NOTICES

—Thursday, 7:30-8:00 p. m. Sale of reserved seat tickets for Amherst game, J. H.

—Thursday, 8:00 p. m. Organization meeting of Connecticut club, 17 J. H.

—Friday, 7:30 p. m. College meeting, J. H.

—The Bible classes will meet again as usual next Sunday.

—Basketball candidates will be called out Monday. E. I. Cowell, Capt.

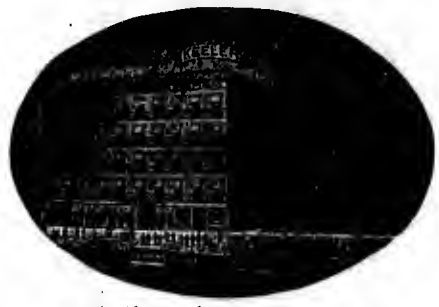
—Monday, 7:30 p. m. Meeting of men from Essex County, N. J., to form Essex County Club, 16 J. H.

Memorial Windows

The Sanborn Tenney memorial window, formerly in the old chapel, may be placed in Clark Hall. While this has not been definitely decided, it is thought that the window could be used appropriately to beautify that building, since for nine years Prof. Tenney was head of the departments of geology and natural history.

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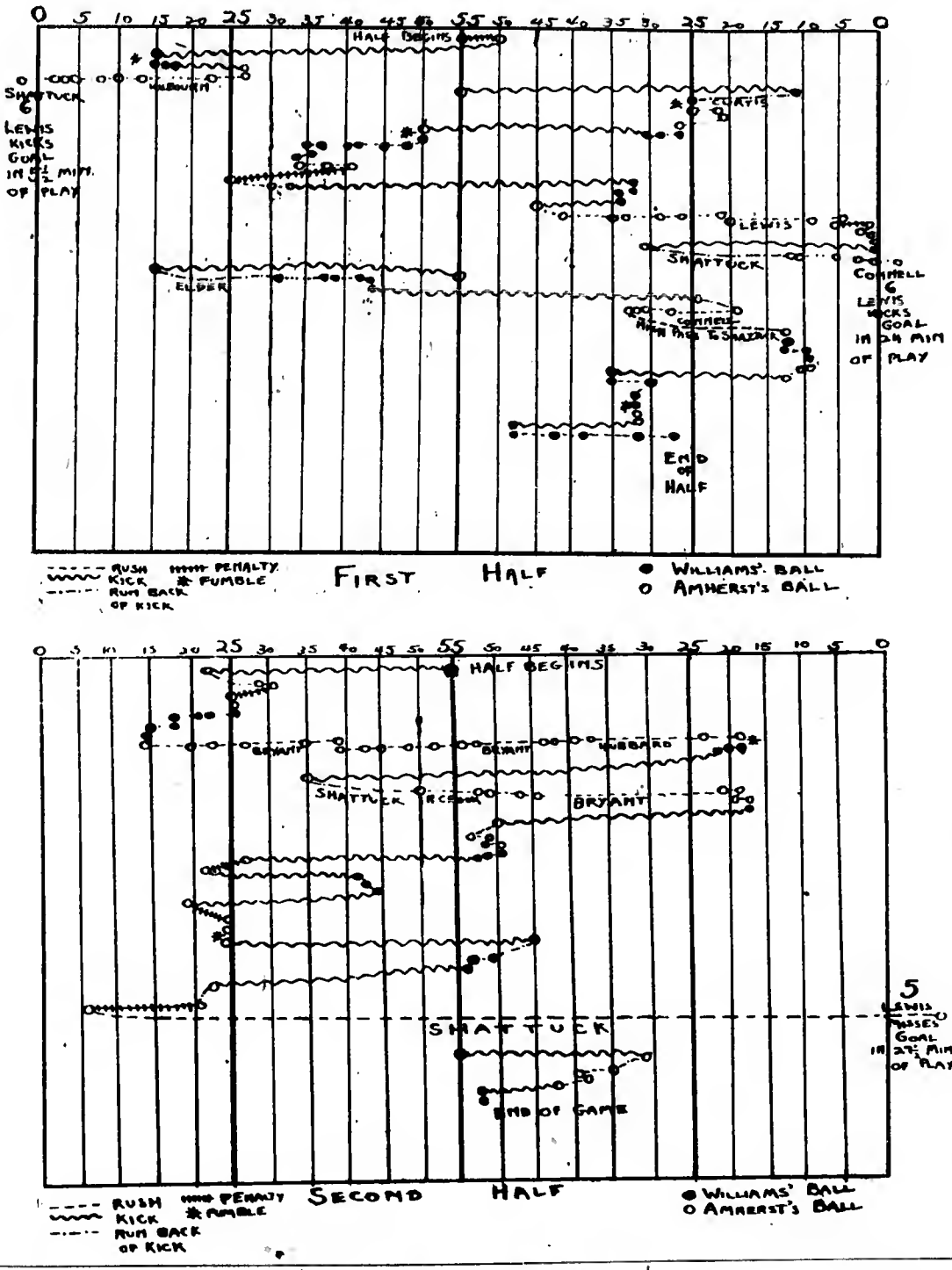
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CHART OF THE AMHERST-WILLIAMS GAME



Alumni in Town

The following alumni have been in town since Friday: Chapin '69, Abbott '72, Geer '79, Bassett '81, Leonard, Brewer '86, Ludlow Fitch, Van Wormer, Wilson, Marsh '92, Opdyke, Starr '93, Hopkins '94, Drysdale, Hall, Hedges, Bliss '97, J. F. Bacon, Ide, Wood '98, Lehman, Rutter, Conger, Doughty '99, Stoddard 1900, Park, Lathrop, Menkel 1901, Pickard, McKean, Berking, Lord' 1902, Palmer, Wentworth ex-'02, L. L. Brown, Clark, Callan, Honston 1903, Barker, J. F. Brown, Chase, Clarke, Erskine, Griswold, Heermance, Johnston, Jones, Judson, Mitchell, Newborg 1904, Hard, Townsend, ex-'04, Austin, Copping, Eldred, Judson, Osborne, Wellington 1905, Boice ex-'05, Tomlinson ex-'06, Grinnell, Leavitt, Welch, Wilson ex-'07.

Program for Thompson Course

The program of the annual Thompson entertainment course, has been completed as follows:

November 23, Adamowski Trio.
December 14, Ellen Bowick.
January 16, Manning Glee Club.
" 25, Grace Aspell Dunn.
February 9, Kneisel Quartette.
March 1, Gwilyn Miles.
" 22, Leland Powers.

Class Basketball

The list of games for the class basketball series is as follows:

Nov. 25, 1906 vs. 1908.
Afternoon, 1907 vs. 1909.
Nov. 28, 1906 vs. 1907.
Evening, 1908 vs. 1909.
Dec. 2, 1906 vs. 1909.
Afternoon, 1907 vs. 1908.

Contents of November Lit.

The November number of the Williams Literary Monthly will appear this week. The contents will be as follows: Frontispiece, Meeting House of 1796, from "Williamstown and Williams College," by Arthur L. Perry, LL. D.; 1905 Class Poem, William Smith Pettit; Two Men and a Fly, Story, William Richmond Witherell; On Guido's 'Beatrice Cenci', Verse, Charles Henry Brady; Count Rumford, Apostle of Practicality, Essay, William Mansfield Clark; Avaron, Verse, Bernard Westermann; The Secretary and the Gunboat, story, Gerald Mygatt: Suggestions, Success, S. B. L.; On Gloucester Downs, B. W.: Williams of Yesterday, II, Meeting-House of 1796, J. A. L.: Sanctum: Chat, S. A. M.: Sign of the Shears: Book Reviews.

CALENDAR

MONDAY, NOV. 20

8.00 p. m.—Lecture by Prof. Wilhelm Ostwald on "Growth of Scientific Research Through the Centuries," T. B. L.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 22

2.30 p. m.—Freshman-Sophomore football game on Weston Field,

7.30 p. m.—Adelphic Union Senate convenes, 4 G.

THURSDAY, NOV. 23

8.00 p. m.—Thompson Course Entertainment, Adamowski Trio, J. H.

A STUBBORN DEFENSE

Williams Defeated by Amherst on Weston Field Saturday

Amherst Scores Two Touchdowns in First Half—Shattuck's Sensational Run the Length of the Field in the Second Half—Score 17 to 0—Williams Makes Brilliant Defense at the Goal Line—Amherst Gained Mostly by Tandem Formation—Williams Offense Weak

The football world generally regards a 17 to 0 score as a sign of great difference in playing strength, but if they interpret the score of Saturday's Williams-Amherst contest on Weston Field as a walk-over for the Purple and White, they err far. Not that the best team did not win. Amherst's overbearing weight, powerful tandem formation, and brilliant secondary defense alone must have worked out the victory, but it is largely owing to left half-back Shattuck that the score is 17—0, instead of 6—0. His fine dodging run-back of a punt after Williams had held for downs 2 inches from its goal, followed by an equally elusive sideline rush on a delayed pass, put the ball 5 yards from Williams' goal in the first half, and in the second half, with Amherst holding the ball on its 7-yard line and but three minutes to play, his 103 yard run gave the Purple and White its last 5 points. Amherst's first touchdown came early and it continued to outplay the Purple until the second score. The last ten minutes of the half told a different story, and the visitors were at times swept off their feet. Again, after 10 minutes play in the second half, the Purple braced, and held Amherst even until the end.

Amherst averaged 185, 12 pounds more than Williams, and

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An Amherst Victory

The last game of the football season has been played. The unexpected did not happen, for Williams in a desperate but fruitless struggle against overwhelming odds, lost a memorable contest to Amherst on Weston Field, yielding its hopes and claims of supremacy on the gridiron for 1905 to a superior team. We feel safe in saying, and the coaches will agree, that the Purple played the best football of its season in Saturday's game. The full strength of the team and its best knowledge of football, together with that spirit which an Amherst contest alone brings out, was arrayed against the Purple and White. The best football players in college were in the line-up. The fact that no substitutions were made until the last minute of play, and then not on account of injuries, shows that there is no truth in talk of an overtrained team.

From the beginning of the season every circumstance favored Amherst, and its victory Saturday was the logical result, after the games with Columbia and Dartmouth. To defeat a team of Amherst weight, and coached in the game as well as (but no better than) the Purple, would have been possible for Williams only by extraordinary football luck. When this is considered, the keen edge of disappointment in losing to Amherst is dulled a little.

It is a satisfaction to know that the game was not marked by roughness and was played fairly by both sides, and to feel that there is no criticism of the coaches or the team.

Method of Electing Deacons

The following method of electing deacons has been proposed:

As each class enters its junior year it will elect from among its members four men who will hold office as deacons during the two college years following. A preliminary meeting will be held to make nominations. At this meeting there will be a nominating ballot and the three men who receive the highest number of votes on that ballot will be considered nominees, and will form a committee to submit other nominations. These nominations will be published in The Record, and within two weeks after the class has met for its nominating ballot, the junior class will meet again, to elect from the list of nominations four men.

This method seems to be the best that can be offered. Although two meetings are called for, the system is not complicated, but is as simple as the character of the office of deacon will allow. The choice of deacons cannot be made in the same way as that of other class officers, whose preferment is usually the result of popularity. Nor should the office be considered as a reward, as is often the case in senior class-day elections. And lastly, the spirit of thoughtlessness and carelessness with which men select their candidate for the list of nominations cannot be employed in this case, if the new officers are to accomplish any good in the college.

There are special qualifications of fitness for the position of deacon, unlike any other in college. Prominence in any branch of undergraduate work is not essential, nor is it necessary that the candidate be identified with the Y. M. C. A. In fact, in view of the present unfortunate indifference or a majority of the college towards that organization, it would be detrimental to the new institution, if membership in the Y. M. C. A. were considered a requirement. If the exact duties of the deacons have not been defined, enough has been said of their purpose, and the place it is intended they shall occupy—to make "religion real and vital, a life and not a mere form," in college. If this can be accomplished by the deacons, their influence will come in one way only—through their personal qualities. To be eligible for the office, we believe a man should be known for two things above all others. He should be marked for his sincerity and should be respected.

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will tend to elect the right sort of men. The final choice of deacons properly rests with the class. Nevertheless, by holding a second meeting and giving to the first three nominees the power to make other nominations, a hasty choice from a few candidates is avoided.

Two additions could be made. It might be advisible from the nature of the election and to insure full attendance, to hold the meetings in the college chapel, after the morning service. Secondly, if the preliminary nominations were not announced, the elections would be more likely to be unprejudiced.

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas; It has pleased God in His infinite wisdom to take to Himself the mother of our friend and classmate, Alfred H. Appell, be it

Resolved: That we, the class of 1906, extend to him and his relatives our deepest sympathy in their bereavement, and be it further

Resolved: That these resolutions be sent to him and his relatives and also be published in the Williams Record.

For the class:

Chauncy Hills,
Nathaniel H. Egleston,
Eugene I. Cowell.

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While many of the ninety seats in the new college senate chamber are still open for applications, the membership has been growing so rapidly that every state will soon have its full representation. Below is given a copy of the official call:

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Elkins, W. Va., Snowden '08.
Spooner, Wis., Nomer '06.
LaFollette, Wis., Case '07.
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ALUMNI NEWS

'62—Professor George L. Raymond, who recently resigned his position as professor of aesthetics at Princeton, has become professor of aesthetics in the graduate school of George Washington university at Washington. Prof. Raymond is delivering a course of lectures there on the "Essentials of the Artistic," which are attracting widespread attention.

Ex-'79—Rev. Everett T. Tomlinson has published an historical novel "The Red Chief."

'85—Rev. David S. Herrick, who is stationed at Battagnnder, India, in the Madura Mission, is in the United States on leave of absence. He will sail for Liverpool Nov. 25, on his way back to India.

'88—Rev. Charles O. Eames, who for five years has been pastor of the South Congregational church of Rochester, N. Y., has resigned and accepted a call to the First Congregational church, Athol.

'92—Alfred P. Perkins is manager of the Borough Bronze and Consolidated Brass Fixture Co., of New York city.

'92—Andrew P. McKean was elected president of the common council of Troy on the Republican ticket at the last election.

'92—James E. Peabody was chairman of the committee which recently reviewed the syllabus of physiology and biology for use in New York city and regents' schools.

'99—Albert L. Andrews, formerly instructor in German at Dartmouth, has resigned that position. He spent the summer abroad, studying the old Norse literature, and has just commenced study in the Teutonic languages for the degree of Ph. D. at Berlin.

'99—Announcement is made of the engagement of Sydney Tucker Jones, of Albany, to Miss Gwennola L. Smith of Flint, Mich. Mr. Jones is engaged in the manufacture of carriages at Flint, but after his marriage will remove to Albany, where he will be associated with his father in the Hudson Valley Paper Co.

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COLLEGE NOTES

George '08 is ill at the infirmary.

'Varsity basketball practice started today.

Crawford has been chosen captain of the freshman basketball team.

The annual fall musical club concert will be held in Jesup Hall on December 8.

Harold H. Wilcox 1909 left this morning for New York, with a serious attack of appendicitis.

Griswold '06 has resigned from the managership of the musical clubs. Wooster '07, the assistant manager, has been elected to succeed him.

The Connecticut state club was organized Thursday evening, with the following officers: Gates '06 president, Hart '07 secretary, Demond '06, treasurer.

Prof. Rice gave an illustrated lecture Thursday afternoon in Hopkins Hall on "Colonial Architecture" before thirty members of the Research club of North Adams.

The Senate will hold its second meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the senate chamber in 4 Griffin Hall. The discussion will be on a bill providing for increased appropriations for naval defense.

The following football directors have been appointed: Barlow, Knox, Wooster, 1906; Allen, Butler, Hurburt, 1907; Currier, Douglass, McClellan, 1908; Jenkins, Sayre, Maclay, 1909.

At a concert to be given for the benefit of the M. E. church in the Opera house this evening, Mr. Lewis will give several readings. Peaver '07, LaMent '08 and Slattery '08 are on the program for musical numbers.

Mr. Salter gave an organ recital in the chapel at 4:45 yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Howard J. Rogers, of Albany, who was to have assisted, was unable to be present. The program was published in the last issue of The Record.

Mission Work in China

At the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall Sunday evening Mr. William B. Pettis of Columbia, spoke on mission work in China. Mr. Pettis, who has recently been appointed travelling secretary of the Christian Association to the colleges in China, told of the large opportunities in China at the present moment, and the growth of the student volunteer movement.

NOTICES

—'Varsity football picture tomorrow at Kinsman's at 1:15 p. m.

—Election of 'varsity football captain, Wednesday, J. H.

—The Lit board will meet Friday evening, November 24, to consider manuscript for the December Lit. All contributions must be handed to a member of the board or left at 6 East College before 5:30 p. m. of that day.

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A Stubborn Defense

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its heavy men were as fast as its light men, in marked contrast to the Purple. Quarter-back Lewis, the best field general opposed to the team this year, ran his team so as to use every ounce of this weight. A tandem formation, with Bryant and Connell leading and generally carrying the ball, made most yards for Amherst. Capt. Hubbard, on offense was used rarely, largely, doubtless, owing to the fact that he played the game with water on the knee. At defense he met Williams' center plunges single-handed and threw men back time and again, after they had dashed through holes in Amherst's line. His interference was fine. Shattuck, running in punts, at times was slippery, although he was often tackled for a loss. Priddy also played well. The best feature of Amherst's game was the way in which the whole eleven pushed and pulled and shoved as one, on their tandem mass plays.

On offense the Williams team often found it easy to get through Amherst's line but could rarely get by the secondary defense. LaMent bucked the line well, excelling for the Purple in this department of the game. On defense Amherst's gains were mostly through Harter and Campbell, and were due to the fact that the line played too high. At times the defense stiffened and a brillisnt exhibition was given in the first half, when the Purple and White, in three plunges after a first down on the 3 yard line was stopped 2 inches from the goal line. Waters ran the plays well, showed judgment in punting, and out-kicked Shattuck in the second half. His two punts out of bounds in the first half however gave Amherst its chances to score. In the line Johnson and Bixby did good work.

The charts of the two halves show every play.

First Half

Amherst kicked off at 2:40. Williams was held for downs, and Waters punted into touch on Williams' 27-yard line. Hubbard made 5 yards, Kilbourn 8, and Shattuck 3. In four rushes Hubbard took the ball to the 2-yard line, and Shattuck took it over after 5½ min. of play.

Curtis ran back Amherst's kick-off, but fumbled when tackled on the 25-yard line. Amherst was held and Williams was forced to punt. Shattuck fumbled and Elder fell on the ball. A. Brown made 2, LaMent 3, 3½, A. Brown 1, LaMent, 3 A. Brown 2, D. Brown 0, Bixby 1. Later Waters' short punt went to Amherst on Williams' 45-yard line. A varied attack brought the ball to the 20-yard line, and a quarter-back run

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made 11 yards. Kilbourn got 4 and Hubbard lost 1. A penalty gave Amherst 3 yards, but Priddy, Kilbourn and Hubbard failed to put the ball over. Shattuck dodged down the field for 15 yards, in returning Waters' punt and got 6 on a side-line run on delayed pass. Connell scored the touchdown.

With 6 minutes to play Williams got the ball on the 13 yard line, on Gildersleeve's high pass to Shattuck, but was held for downs. At the end of the half A. Brown made 5, D. Brown 4½, LaMent 5½, D. Brown 3½, and when time was called, Williams had the ball on Amherst's 28-yard line.

Second Half

Williams kicked off in the second half at 4:44, held the Purple and White, and half-blocked Amherst's punt on the 25-yard line. LaMent made 4, A. Brown 1, Ls Ment 3, 0, A. Brown 3, LaMent 1, and Amherst secured the ball on her 14-yard line. Using Connell and Bryant back, Amherst ploughed through for 4 and 5 yards to Williams' 18-yard line, where Harter fell on the ball after Bryant's fumble. Waters punted and Shattuck ran the kick in 15 yards. After short gains, Bryant got through for 24 yards. Williams held.

After three exchanges of kicks, Amherst got the ball on her 22-yard line but was penalized. From the 7-yard line Shattuck started on an end run. Elder drove the play in, Bixby and D. Brown were boxed, LaMent, playing back, missed his tackle and Shattuck ran 103 yards for a touchdown. The half ended soon after, Williams holding the ball on Amherst's 53-yard line.

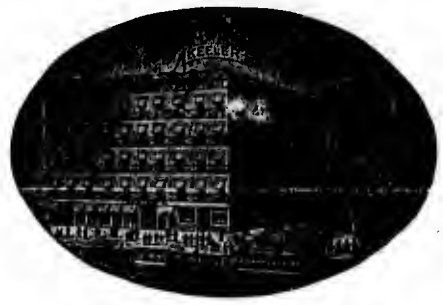
The summary:

WILLIAMS		AMHERST
Elder, le		re, Priddy
Bixby, lt		rt, Connell
Harter, lg		rg, Osborne
Campbell, c		c, Gildersleeve
Eldridge, rg		lg, Bryant, Leadbetter
Johnson, rt		lt, Kilbourn, Bryant
Curtis, Blaisdell, re		le, R. Crook
Waters, qb		qb, Lewis
D. Brown, Wilcox, lhb		rhb, F. Crook
A. Brown, rhb		lhb, Shattuck
LaMent, fb,		fb, Hubbard

Score, Amherst 17, Williams 0. Touchdowns, Shattuck 2, Connell. Goals from touchdown, Lewis 2. Umpire, Vail of Pennsylvania. Referee, Pendleton of Bowdoin. Head linesman and timekeeper, Easton of Yale. Linesmen, Storke of Amherst. Park '01 of Williams. Time 35 and 30 minute halves.

1903—Clarence McMillan has resigned his position as instructor in Smith academy, St. Louis, and has returned to his home in New York city. He is now in the law office of Charles T. Terry '89, in that city, and is studying at New York Law school.

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LUCK GIVES VICTORY

Sophomores, Outplayed, Defeat 1909 6 to 0 by Blocked Punt

Greatly underrated by the sophomores and the entire college, the freshmen played 1908 to a standstill in the underclass football game on Weston Field yesterday afternoon, and, opposed by eight W players, were defeated by a single touchdown, scored in the second half on a fluke. The victory of 1908 was due to luck and not superior playing. In the second half Mayer 1909 punted on the 1908 30-yard line. The punt failed and Waters secured the ball on the 17-yard line, and ran the few yards for the only touchdown of the game, before the freshmen could reach him.

The sophomores, relying on the work of individual men, showed lack of team work. During most of the first half, the ball was in their territory, and, in fact, 1908 made first down but seven times in the entire game. Team work was responsible for the good showing of the freshmen. The 1909 backs were fast and made consistent gains, especially through the tackles. With a strong defense, the freshmen were also superior when 1908 had the ball. Wadsworth, Williams, C. Brown and Harter did good work for them. Wadsworth made three attempts at drop kicking from near the 30-yard line, but was unsuccessful. At another time, with a clear field, he got the ball on a fumble, but slipped after a run of 12 yards.

Brown rushed the first kick-off to the 1908 25-yard line, and on the first line-up Kelley made 11 yards. After a gain of 7 yards the sophomores were forced to punt. The freshmen rushed the ball to 1908's 27-yard line, where Wadsworth failed at a goal from the field. Waters punted out and the freshmen advanced to the 18-yard line, where Wadsworth again failed at a drop kick. Waters punted, the freshmen worked the ball to the 28-yard line, Wadsworth's drop kick was almost good, Waters punted out, and the ball was kept between the sophomore 35 and 50-yard lines until the half ended, when the sophomores had it on the 50-yard line.

A fumble when 1908 kicked off in the second half gave the ball to them on their 20-yard line. They gained 5 yards, then lost it on downs. The freshmen made 25 yards in 11 downs, and Mayer's punt resulted in the only score of

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SUCCESSFUL SESSION

Navy Voted Down 11 to 10—U. S. Senate Copied Closely

The second session of the collegiate branch of the U. S. Senate was held in 4 Griffin Hall last evening, and was devoted to the discussion of increased naval appropriation. The session was fully as interesting as the sensational meeting of two weeks ago, serious debate and weighty arguments mingling with airy persiflage and witty flashes of repartee in true Senatorial style. The success of the Senate is assured if the discussions of the future sessions can keep the same plane.

Before taking up the business of the meeting, a committee, consisting of Senators Newlands (Wilder '07), Brandegee (Stanley '07) and Lodge (Perry '06), was appointed to investigate the charges against Senator Mitchell (McCuen '09), of land fraud fame, to report at the next meeting.

The debate on the bill for increased naval appropriation was spirited. Senator Brandegee, the leader of the party upholding the bill, showed how necessary an increasing navy was to this country, with its expansion policy, and stated that "eternal preparation for war is the price of peace." Senator Beveridge (Dodd '09) eloquently reiterated that he, too, was "heartily in favor of this appropriation," and Senator Morgan (Scholle '06), showed in a logical argument how the United States had increased in might and responsibilities, and needed an increased navy to safeguard its increased power.

The first speech on the negative came from Senator Dolliver (Scott '08), who claimed that the increase asked was too large, that we could not allow our youth to be sapped for naval service and that this militarism would strike at the roots of democratic government." Senator Bulkeley (Westermann '08), ably answered these contentions by stating that "we are under an administration favoring a rapid increase of population." Senator Hale (Matthews '07), spoke to the point for the negative, and, after a sharp tilt with the eloquent Brandegee, finally succeeded in picking flaws in both the logic and statistics of his opponent. The debate became general, but Senator Hale's party at length succeeded in defeating the bill 11 to 10. As there were 29 men on the senate floor, the efforts of senators to secure record for their votes caused momentary chaos, but the stern hand of Vice-President Fairbanks (Hulst '06) quelled the disturbance.

DEBATING TRIALS

Will Take Place Dec. 5 and 6—Entries Close Tomorrow

It has been decided to hold the first series of trials for places on the Dartmouth-Brown debating teams on Tuesday and Wednesday, December 5 and 6. As the question for the triangular league has not yet been selected by the Boston committee, that for these trials will be the one which was submitted by Williams, printed in the Record for Nov. 9, on page 4.

The total number of contestants will be reduced to sixteen, from whom eight will be chosen some time before the Christmas vacation, to compose the Williams teams.

All entries must be in by Friday, at which time drawings will be made for positions in the preliminaries. Candidates may either sign the notice on the Hopkins Hall bulletin board, or notify manager Scholle.

Prof. G. W. Knox Will Preach

Prof. George William Knox, D. D., of Union Theological seminary, will preach in the chapel next Sunday morning. Dr. Knox is a man of varied talents. He spent eleven years in Japan and there is probably no man in America today more thoroughly posted on Japanese life. He is the author of several works in English on Japan, and works in Japanese on ethical subjects. Dr. Knox has been a professor in the Union Theological seminary at Tokio and the Imperial university of Japan, and is at present professor of the philosophy and history of religion in Union Theological seminary, New York city.

He will also address the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall at 7:30 Sunday evening on "Results of the Russo-Japanese War."

Football W Awarded

At a meeting of the athletic council, held at 2:00 p.m. Monday, the following men, having played in the Wesleyan and Amherst games, were awarded the football W: 1906, Bixby, Blaisdell, Campbell, Wilcox; 1907, A. Brown, Johnson; 1908, D. Brown, Elder, Eldridge, Kelley, LaMent, Marshall, Waters; 1909, Curtis, Harter.

Insignia for Second Team

Through the generosity of two alumni sweaters will be given to the following men who have been awarded the "2nd", Bates, Halley, Loomis 1906; Bradley, Chapman, Conover, Hill, Jaeckel, Winslow 1907; Fowle, Reid, Roberts, Scarritt, 1908; Bargfrede, C. Brown, Robb, Westbrook 1909.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, NOV. 23

8.00 p. m.—Thompson course entertainment, Adamowski trio, J. H.

SATURDAY, NOV. 25

2.30 p. m.—Class basketball games, Lasell Gymnasium, 1906 vs. 1908, 1907 vs. 1909.

SUNDAY, NOV. 26

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Prof. George W. Knox, D. D., of Union Theological seminary, will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible study.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Prof Knox will speak on "Results of the Russo-Japanese war."

MONDAY, NOV. 27

7.30 p. m.—Classical society, west wing, Lawrence Hall. Prof. Gerig will speak on "Some points of interest in comparative Grammar and Sanskrit."

FOOTBALL CAPTAIN

Clyde M. Waters 1908 Elected to Lead Team for 1906

Clyde Merleton Waters 1908, of Oberlin, O., full-back and quarter-back on the 1905 'varsity eleven was yesterday elected captain for 1906.

Waters prepared for college at Oberlin High school, where he played four years, as quarter-back, full-back and end. Entering Williams in the class of 1908 he immediately secured the position of quarter-back on the eleven, and this year played first at quarter-back and for a time at full-back. Waters is also prominent in baseball, where he played at catcher on his class team last year. He is twenty years of age, weighs 165 pounds, and is 5 ft. 9 in. in height.

Hockey with Princeton

The schedule for the hockey team has not as yet been completed but the following games have been arranged:

Jan. 20, R. P. I. at Williamstown.

Jan. 23, Searles H. S. at Williamstown.

Feb. 3, Collegiates at Albany.

Feb. 20, Collegiates at Albany.

Games have also been arranged with Princeton in Albany, with Amherst in Williamstown and with Columbia in New York, but the exact dates have not been definitely fixed.

Gargoyle Regulation

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Evening Lectures

The curriculum, as it now stands, serves well the needs and aims of the college. The elective and group systems have proved satisfactory in every way, giving to the student the privilege of specializing in the subjects of his choice, and at the same time prohibiting him from neglecting other courses which are essential to a collegiate education. The curriculum offers the necessities, but it can also be so pursued that it furnishes one with little more. In this case the fault would rest with the student. Nevertheless, we believe it could well be supplemented to arouse a more real interest in the courses and add to the four years of study here at Williams something that the courses themselves cannot give:

The daily routine of work, and the schedule of required recitations, if offered as the only means of intellectual development, are barely sufficient. The system smacks too much of a duty done and over with. It seems almost as if the student were "putting in his time," and drawing his wages in the form of a degree at the end of his senior year. The work done that is not required is the kind that counts. In college the principle means intelligently embracing the opportunities offered outside the regular courses of study.

At Williams the evening lecture is a most uncommon occurrence. In many of the courses offered the instruction is limited to the classroom. There is evidently need of a series of lectures open to the college, both by members of the faculty and by men from outside. Williams scarcely ever hears the lecturer of national reputation, or is granted the privilege of listening to the speaker who is an authority in his line. The subjects that could be treated range from the particular, referring especially to the courses in the curriculum, to those of general interest. Of the latter kind are the weekly lectures given on current events at Trinity college. Perhaps Yale may not be cited fairly in this respect. Nevertheless, a glance at the weekly bulletin of that university reveals some interesting facts. Every day in the week, except Sunday, lectures are given, open for the most part to all the students of the university.

The classical society offers an incentive for outside work that might be an example to some of the other departments. The program of that organization is so far ahead of last year's that it deserves notice. Thirteen members of the faculty will speak or read papers before the society this year, six more than in 1904-5. Four more meetings will be held. In its scope and variety the program far surpasses the last one. The interest which the student-body has in the evening lecture was manifested by the large attendance at the first meeting last week.

The classical department, however, is the exception. We do not lose sight of the fact that lack of resources in the other departments may be the reason for this; the occasional lecture in some departments is often the result of private donation. It also happens that the funds granted by the college must be used for some other purpose. Furthermore, it may be true that others have no resources at all.

Whatever the means, the establishment of a regular system of lectures, to be given by members of the faculty and others, would be an advantage to the college and would stimulate the intellectual life of the students.

COMMUNICATIONS

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

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Sir:—Through your columns I wish to call the attention of students to the custom that has become prevalent of crossing the lawns on the Campus, at any point, regardless of the paths which have been provided. This, coupled with the practice of walking on the turf at the edge of the walks and cutting corners, is fast making our lawns unsightly.

At this time of year especially, with the alternate freezing and thawing, the damage thus done becomes very great. I therefore wish to ask the co-operation of the students in an effort to better the present conditions and to help to maintain the beauty of the Campus, of which we have long been so justly proud.

May I ask that each man will bear this in mind and in the future use the sidewalks and paths that have been provided.

Willard E. Hoyt.
Treasurer of Williams College.

Lecture Date Cancelled

Professor Wilhelm Ostwald, who was to have lectured Monday evening on "The Growth of Scientific Thought Through the Centuries," was unable to leave Cambridge at that time. He will deliver the lecture in Williamstown early in December.

Catalogue Number of Bulletin

The 1905 college catalogue, No. 1 of series 3 of the Williams College Bulletin, appeared yesterday. The book is the same in general appearance as last year's, but contains 134 pages against 128 last year. It shows a teaching force of forty-nine members, against forty-four last year.

After Thanksgiving the vacations for the year are as follows: From Wednesday noon, December 20, through Wednesday, January 3; February 22; from Wednesday, April 11, through Wednesday, April 18; May 30. Recitations end June 9, and Commencement will be held June 27.

The registration shows 5 resident graduate students; 79 seniors, 106 juniors, 99 sophomores, 134 freshmen and 25 in partial courses, making a total of 448. The number last year was 477, counting 35 non-resident graduate students, who are not entered in the 1905 catalogue.

According to states, there are 173 from New York, 94 from Massachusetts, 31 from Illinois, 29 from New Jersey, 18 from Ohio, 17 from Connecticut, 14 from Pennsylvania, 9 from Vermont, 8 each from Indiana, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Africa, Hawaii, India and Japan have one each.

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the game, Waters kicking goal from his touchdown. For the remainder of the time, 1908 had the ball in freshman territory, but could not cross their 20-yard line. Short punts were frequent. When the whistle blew, 1908 had the ball on the freshman 30-yard line.

The summary:

1908		1909
Elder, le		re, Mayer
Eldridge, lt		rt, Westbrook
Reid, lg		rg, Bargfrede
Roberts, c		c, Morse
Campbell, rg		lg, Harter
Marshall, rt		lt, Crawford
Curtis, re		le, Rogers
Kelley, qb		qb, Wadsworth
D. Brown, lhb	rhb,	Gutterson, Williams
Waters, rhb.		lhb, C. Brown
LaMent, fb		fb, Robb

Score: 1908 6; 1909 0. Touchdown, Waters. Goal from touchdown, Waters. Referee, Bixby 1906. Umpire, Griswold 1906. Time-keeper and head linesman, Mr. Seeley. Linesmen, Hite '08 and Hormel '09. Time, 20 and 15-minnte halves.

Columbia Game Cancelled

The basketball management has been authorized by the athletic council to arrange a game with Columbia on a neutral floor. This necessitates cancelling the game scheduled between Columbia and Williams at Columbia court on Jan. 23.

Condition Exams

The schedule of condition examinations at the close of the Christmas recess has been announced as follows:

TUESDAY, JAN. 2: 2:00 p. m.; Mathematics (entrance). 7:00 p. m.; German 1, German 2, History 1b, Biology 1, Latin (entrance).

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 3: 9:00 a. m.: French 1, Greek 1, English (entrance), French (entrance). 2.00 p. m.: Mathematics 1, Mathematics 2, Mathematics 3, German (entrance), History (entrance). 7:00 p. m.; English 1, English 3, French 2, French 3, German 4, Latin 1, Philosophy 4, Greek (entrance).

All the examinations will be held in 4 H. H.

Individual notices of these examinations have been sent to students concerned. Should any student who is to take such examinations fail to receive notice of the time and place, he should report that fact at once at the Dean's office.

Frederick C. Ferry, Dean.

NOTICES

—A meeting of the Lit board will be held tomorrow evening, Nov. 24, to consider manuscript for the December Lit. All manuscripts must be handed to some member of the board or left in 6 E. C. before 5:30 Friday night.

—The money deposit for keys to the old lockers in the gymnasium will be refunded at Mr. Seeley's office tomorrow and Saturday.

—There will be a gun club shoot on Saturday at 2:00 p. m. Members will meet at the Biological Laboratory.

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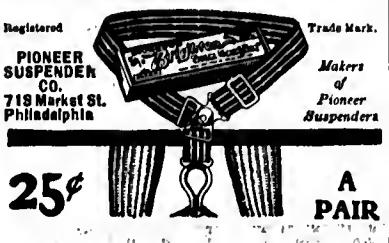
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The Garfield memorial window is being put in place in the west transept of the chapel.

Conch Hatch left town this morning for New York.

Wilcox '09 is at his home in Montclair, N.J. He has recovered from his first acute attack of appendicitis but will be operated on tomorrow.

The picture of the 'varsity football team was taken at Kinsman's Tuesday afternoon. Fifteen men who played in the Wesleyan or Amherst games were in the picture.

A member of the senior class has given gold watch fobs, in the form of a Williams seal, to the football mansger and the members of the team who played in the Colgate game.

The following men are entitled to wear the "HHC" of the hsre and hound club: Ayers, Miller 1906; Buffinton, Davis, Durfee, Hompe, Lawrence, Lesser, Morrison, C. B. Stewart, Wilder, 1907; Anderson, B. P. Allen, Bullard, Goodbody, Johnson 1908; Holmes, Loomis, Rowland 1909.

The New Jersey Essex county club was organized on Monday with sixteen members. A. B. Thompeon '07 was elected president and Bullard '08 secretary. Bullard, Douglass and Westen were appointed a committee of arrangements for the meetings.

A philosophical society was organized Tuesday evening by men taking philosophy courses. The following officers were elected: Ayers '06, president; Yarnelle '07, vice-president; Fitch '06, secretary and treasurer. Meetings will be held alternate Tuesdays in 17 Jesup Hall.

Exhibition of Photographs

The art department has placed on exhibition in the rack on the second floor of Hopkins Hall several pictures of scenery in the Rockies of British Columbia, about the towns of Glacier and Banff. The pictures include glacier and peculiar ice formations, among them the Great Glacier; the beautiful valleys of the Asulkan and Bow rivers in that region; Lake Louise and Mirror Lake; and, among the montains in the range, Cheops, Stephen, Victoria, and that peak well-known to mountain climbers, Mt. Sir Donald, called the Matterhorn of the Canadian Rookies. The pictures are very clear, and some of them are interesting from a purely photographic point of view, showing beautiful cloud formations.

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IN BASKETBALL

Outlook for 1905-1906—Four Veteran Players in College

The basketball team for 1905-1906 has a hard task before it to equal the record of preceding teams, but possesses remarkable initial strength. Williams has always starred at basketball. In 1903 the team lost but twice, and in 1904 defeated the best college fives in the east. In 1905 the Williams team reached a still higher point by winning a national championship, disputed to be sure, but by the evidence of comparative scores clearly Williams'.

To reach a similar goal is possible for the team for 1906. Four members of last year's five, Cowell, Neild, Gardner '06, and Tower '07 are still in college. Capt. Wadsworth alone has graduated. However, no more sensational point-getter than he was seen in Lasell Gymnasium last year. In no game did he fail to score a basket. To find a forward who can fill his place will be extremely difficult.

The material in the freshman class, though at present meager, shows promise, and Appell '06 seems to be entirely recovered from the illness which prevented him from playing his best game last year. More material is needed, however, especially from 1909, for both the fifth place on the 'varsity and the scrub.

If this freshman material shows up strong, the team should be successful. The four men in college have both experience and knowledge of each other's game. All of them have played together two years, and two of them, Capt. Cowell and ex-Capt. Neild, have been on the team since freshman year.

The strongest points of the team last year were guarding and passing, the weakest basket-shooting. The team is well-balanced. Cowell is one of the best, if not the best scoring guard in college basketball, and Tower outshot his opponents 2 to 1 last year. Neild, at the end of the season, had shot more baskets than the total of the best players opposed to him of other colleges—Dartmouth, Brown Yale, Holy Cross, Syracuse, Minnesota, Wesleyan—in all of which the best man was at center. Gardner had but 7 baskets made on him in the entire 22 games. Neild again proved himself an accurate shot from the foul line. The four veterans on the team could give a good account of themselves with but a mediocre fifth man. If, then, 1909 can supply as accurate a shot as Wadsworth at forward, the success of the season is assured.

1902—Orwell B. Towne, professor of oratory at Kansas university, was married recently to Miss Lucelia Clare of Junction City, Kan.

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'90—Arthur M. Wickwire, for many years a lawyer in St. Paul, a member of the Minnesota State Board of Law Examiners, has recently removed to New York city, where he has opened law offices at 30 Broad St.

'90—Theodore Whittlesey, Ph. D., formerly instructor in chemistry at Cornell, was married on September 18 to Miss Winifred Marsh of Forest Grove, Ore. Dr. and Mrs. Whittlesey will make their home in Evanston, Ill., where Dr. Whittlesey holds the professorship of inorganic and analytic chemistry at Northwestern university.

'93—Acosta Nichols, of the banking firm of Spencer Trask & Co., William St., New York, started on Oct. 28 on an extended trip through Mexico and the south, accompanied by Marshall McLean, ex-'92.

'96—W. R. Thurston has been suggested by the Illustrated Outdoor News as a member of an advisory committee to secure alumni management of a proposed union of college golfers.

'99—Alonzo E. Branch, formerly of Lawrence, has taken the position of assistant store manager with Wm. Filene's Son's Co., fancy goods, Boston.

1900—Rev. Franklin Boyd Edwards, until recently assistant pastor of the Tompkins Avenue Congregational church of Brooklyn, has become associate pastor in the South Congregational church.

1900—Dr. Michael F. Black has accepted a position offered to him as private physician to the Gould family during an extended cruise which they will make. Until recently Dr. Black was the house surgeon at St. Vincent's Hospital in New York.

Ex-'02—Sidney A. Graves has accepted a position with the United States Printing Co., of Brooklyn.

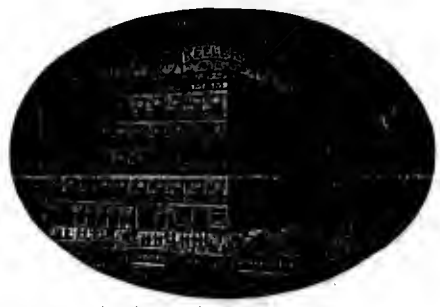
Ex-'02—Asa M. Parker was recently appointed field secretary for the Massachusetts Christian Endeavor Union. After leaving Williams he was connected with the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A., and during the past year has had charge of the boys' department of the association at Worcester.

1903—Walter T. Diack is secretary of the West Side Branch of the Y. M. C. A. in New York. This branch has prospered greatly through Mr. Diack's efforts, and the membership has increased to nearly three thousand.

'04—Sidney Newborg has been elected to the Columbia Law Review, standing among the first four men in a class of one hundred and forty-nine.

Ex-'06—Chapman was elected assistant manager of the Cornell 'varsity track team Tuesday.

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BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Two-thirds of the Games Will be Played at Williamstown

The basketball schedule has been announced as follows:

Dec. 13, Trinity at Williamstown.

Dec. 16, Worcester Polytechnic Inst. at Williamstown.

Jan. 4, University of Pennsylvania at Williamstown.

Jan. 6, Mass. Institute of Technology at Williamstown.

Jan. 12, University of Rochester at Rochester.

Jan. 13, St. Lawrence University at Canton, N. Y.

Jan. 18, Tufts at Williamstown.

Jan. 27, Wesleyan, at Middletown.

Jan. 31, Fitchburg Y. M. C. A. at Williamstown.

Feb. 10, Yale on neutral floor.

Feb. 14, Brown at Providence.

Feb. 17, Colgate at Williamstown.

Feb. 21, Open, at Williamstown.

Feb. 24, Brown at Williamstown.

Feb. 26, Dartmouth at Williamstown.

Feb. 28, Hamilton at Williamstown.

March 7, Dartmouth at Hanover.

March 10, Wesleyan at Williamstown.

Change in Berkshire Hall Plans

It has been decided to make the entrances to the wings of Berkshire Hall on the west front instead of on the ends, as at first planned. This change was adopted since it was found that the hill fell away so sharply on the north end, that the construction of an entrance would necessitate the building of costly retaining walls and approaches, while an entrance at the south end of the south wing would be exceedingly inconvenient for all approaching the building from the west.

This change has necessitated a slight alteration in the ground floor, making several of the rooms smaller than called for by the original plans.

On Question for Debate

At a meeting Saturday evening of the men entered in the preliminaries for the Brown and Dartmouth debates, Prof. Nelson spoke on the question submitted by Williams to the alumni committee. It was decided to hold the first preliminaries December 6 and 8.

REV. DR. R. R. BOOTH

Death of Oldest Member of Board of Trustees of Williams

Rev. Robert Russell Booth, D. D., LL. D., one of the most prominent of Williams alumni, the oldest member of the Board of Trustees and one of the foremost clergymen of the Presbyterian faith in America, died at his home in New York city Thursday evening.

Dr. Booth was widely known to Williams men. His unbroken service of thirty-nine years on the Board of Trustees is one of the longest and most honorable on record. He has attended the Williams commencements for many years, and regularly led the annual prayer meeting held in Mission Park.

Robert Russell Booth was born in New York May 16, 1830, the son of William A. and Alida Russell Booth. Graduating from Williams college in 1849, the youngest of that notable class, he entered Auburn Theological seminary, studying under his uncle Dr. Hickok, the famous writer on metaphysics, and president of Union college. He also studied at the University of Halle, Germany. Receiving the degree of M. A. from Auburn, Mr. Booth became colleague to Dr. Beman, pastor of the old First Presbyterian church in Troy, remaining there three and a half years. In Oct. 1853, he married Miss Emma Louise Lathrop of Auburn, who survives him. Leaving Troy, he became pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Stamford, Conn., where he remained until 1857. In that year he became pastor of the Mercer Street Church in New York, and during his pastorate there he visited Europe three times, traveling in Egypt, Palestine, Turkey, Spain and Russia. In 1864, he received the honorary degree of D. D., from the University of the City of New York. From 1861-'70, he was pastor of the University Place church, and from 1870-'83 of the Rutgers Riverside church. Lafayette college conferred upon him the degree of LL. D., in 1895.

Since 1886, Dr. Booth was chaplain (emeritus) of the 22nd Regiment, N. Y. N. G.; he was chairman of the General Assembly committee on Foreign missions; a member of the Prudential committee of the American Board of Education; director of Union Theological seminary, director, trustee and vice-president of Princeton Theological seminary, was a member of the Union League, Century and

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REVIEW OF LIT.

Prof. Spring Comments on November Issue of the Monthly

The Literary Monthly for November begins with Mr. Pettit's class poem for 1905. It is in praise of "eager hope"—a fitting theme for the occasion—and describes its mission in well-built, musical quartrains. The sketch, "Two Men and a Fly," has a nervous, rapid movement. The scene is laid in a café into which late at night come two men—one of them slight, thin, with grey hair and chalky skin, the other big, hearty, self-satisfied. A fly troubles the first, persistently buzzing about him and alighting on the back of his hand, and he manages to crush it. The other, watching the operation, seeing in it some symbol of his own situation and fate, suddenly escapes from the room through an open window and flies from financial sharpers who were weaving their toils about him. Though the sketch leaves a good deal to the imagination of the reader, it presents a lively picture of a man in financial extremities suddenly resolved to elude the promoters who are to meet him at the café, and suppose that he cannot escape them.

The idea which underlies the sonnet on Guido's Beatrice Cenci—the parallel between the sad beauty of certain phases of the moonlit sea and that of Beatrice—is decidedly poetical. The phrasing, however, does not always keep quite up to the level of the general conception. The essay on Count Rumford presents the salient features of his remarkable career in a direct, perspicuous, though at times a rather staccato fashion. The most notable article in this number of the Monthly is Mr. Westermann's Avaron—a monody on a king's son who died in his youth. The music of the verse—sweet, varied, solemn yet without sadness—fits the theme. Besides, there are in the poem elements of spiritual insight which we seldom find in undergraduate work. We noticed one inadmissible rhyme—shore and Minotaur. There is rarely any jolt in the verse, but the word unprison in the last two lines gives us something of the sort—

"Till the slowly fading sunset's bars
Unprison the angelic stars."

"The Secretary and the Gunboat" is written with a good deal of dash and *elan*, but some of the sentences need revision, as for example phrases put in the mouth of

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CALENDAR

MONDAY, NOV. 27

7.30 p. m.—Classical society, 5 G. H. Prof. Gerig will speak on "Some points of interest in comparative Grammar and Sanskrit."

TUESDAY, NOV. 28

7.30 p. m.—1906-1907 basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

7.30 p. m.—1908-1909 basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 29

12.30 p. m.—Thanksgiving recess commences.

FRIDAY, DEC. 1

2.00 p. m.—Thanksgiving recess ends.

SATURDAY, DEC. 2

2.30 p. m.—1906-1909 basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

2.30 p. m.—1907-1908 basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

SUNDAY, DEC. 3

10.30 a. m.—College chapel; Rev. Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall, president of Union Theological Seminary, will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Hall will speak.

DR. KNOX ON JAPAN

Problems of Japan and Results of War With Russia

Prof. George W. Knox, D. D., gave an unusually interesting talk on "Results of the War with Japan" at the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall last evening. Dr. Knox lived in Japan eleven years, is intimate with Baron Kaneko and others of the Japanese statesmen and nobility. He said in outline:

In days to come the Japanese will look upon the recent peace as their greatest victory. By this peace Japan won a place among the great powers, the first won by any Asiatic power in 500 years. The ghost of the yellow peril is laid forever by the terms which Japan made. Yet Japan secured by the terms of the treaty three times the amount demanded in its ultimatum, and won all that common sense could demand.

Japan's problems of peace are now greater than ever were its problems of war. In Japan party strife is intense. The groups are able to coalesce for attack in war, but in time of peace it is almost impossible to make parliamentary government successful.

As for Korea, the country cannot reform itself. This work remains for Japan, and is a task as hard as that of the United States in the Philippines. Japan also has another problem, to make itself rich, so that it can compete with the billionaire nations, and in securing this materialistic success, to solve the problem of preserving its national, ethical ideals.

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The next issue of The Record will appear on Monday, Dec. 4.

President Roosevelt on Football

"It would be a real misfortune to lose so manly and vigorous a game as football, and to avert such a possibility, the authorities in each college should see to it that the game at that college is clean." These words of President Roosevelt express exactly the feeling of college men generally on the subject of football, and his opinion should check much of the hasty, sweeping criticism that has been so common lately. It also should silence many of the extremists who offer a solution that is impossible, the abolition of the game. In doing away with football altogether, its good characteristics, which far outnumber the others, would be sacrificed with the bad features. Besides, football has too firm a hold and is too great a part of college athletics. Nor has a satisfactory substitute been offered.

The President believes in permanently abolishing brutality and foul play, by increasing the severity of penalties and giving more power to officials. He believes that if necessary, the umpire should order off the field not only individual players, but whole teams. Every one seems agreed that football reform is needed, and a majority suggest a revision of the rules. The solution, then, rests with the football authorities, to make the necessary changes, and make them radical enough.

The Basketball Schedule

The list of basketball games for 1905 6 appears in this issue. A manager has many problems to solve, and many restrictions, in arranging a schedule. Rules by faculty committees and athletic councils must be observed. First of all, a certain number of games with recognized rivals must be included. At the same time, even at the expense of omitting desirable games, the management must guarantee itself against financial loss. These considerations should be taken into account in criticising a schedule, as the problems of a season in commenting on a financial report.

A decided advantage is given a basketball manager, because games may be played on any date and are not limited to Wednesdays and Saturdays, as the case is in football, and usually in baseball. After the record of the 1905 basketball team, a better chance is offered this year of a strong schedule. For this reason a fair comparison cannot be made with last year's.

The 1905-1906 list is good, but not exceptional. No serious objections can be made, however, if the management succeeds in its efforts to play Columbia on a neutral floor, to add a practice trip during Christmas vacation, and to secure a game with Minnesota for the open date on Feb. 21.

By faculty ruling the schedule contains three less games than usual. Basketball is properly kept from assuming a position, in relation to the three major branches of athletics, out of proportion to its real prominence. We are glad to note that Williams will not meet Columbia on the home floor of the Blue and White. It is also to be noticed with approval that the only game with a non-college team, the strong Fitchburg five, takes place at Williamstown. The feature of the schedule, however, is the number of home contests with some of the best fives in the country. Pennsylvania, Colgate, Dartmouth, and Brown are reputed better than ever this year.

There are apparent defects in the schedule. In view of Williams' record last year, it is to be regretted that the management was unable to secure more games with members of the intercollegiate league, for example Princeton, Harvard and Cornell. In this the management was hampered to some extent by faculty ruling, as can be seen in Harvard's cancelling a game scheduled at Williamstown. If Williams' claims of last year are maintained, the Purple is justified in refusing to meet these teams on their home floors. The management must have been influenced by very strong reasons to omit Syracuse from the schedule. Last year the Syracuse five was nearly as strong as Williams, the

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The trio of Rubinstein in B flat was played in its complete form of four movements, and the warmth of the applause following each showed the keenness of the pleasure it gave. The playing in this and the Andante and Scherzo from Saint-Saëns' trio in F was characterized by extreme delicacy and refinement, particularly effective in the Andante of Rubinstein and the two movements by Saint-Saëns. The 'cello playing of Mr. J. Adamowski was notable for its life, purity and sympathetic quality of tone infused into the Rubinstein melody and Popper Tarantelle. Mme. Szumowska is an artist to whose temperament the genial nature and delicate texture of Wagner's Spinning Song is perhaps more suited than the breadth of song and intensity of feeling in the Chopin G minor Ballade.

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Dr. Booth's funeral was held at 1:30 this afternoon at the Rutgers Riverside Presbyterian church. Dr. Hopkins and several members of the board of trustees attended.

Systematic Giving

It has been suggested that an explanation of the work and needs of the Christian association systematic giving committee be published in these columns. The money collected by the committee is used partly to relieve poverty in the immediate vicinity of Williamstown, partly to help support the White Oaks chapel, and chiefly as a contribution to the support of Pasumalai college in Pasumalai, India. This institution is one which was founded by a Williams man and to whose work Williams men have long contributed. In the industrial education of the natives the school is especially interested, but its success is largely hampered by lack of funds.

The school includes a college, high school, training institution, middle school, and primary department, with a total enrollment of 549. The school's total expense for the year is now about $8,000, giving an average expense per student of about $14.50 per year.

Plays for Deutscher Verein

The members of the Deutscher Verein are now reading the following short plays: "Post Festum" by Ernst Wickert, "Eigensinn" by Roderich Benedix, "Wie Man Sich Bildet" by Ernst Schmidt, "Der Schlusselband" by Oscar Herrmann, and "Jagderfolge" by Roderich Benedix. One of these plays will be presented after the Christmas vacation.

1901—Charles F. Park is in the bond department of Spencer Trask & Co., William and Pine St., New York.

Ex-'03—Julius E. Waller has been appointed assistant office manager of T. A. McIntyre & Co., members of the New York Stock Exchange, at 71 Broadway.

1905—William C. Johnson is studying medicine at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York.

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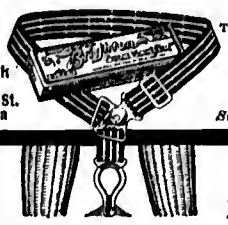
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the frothy, ranting swashbuckler Lucardu, in which words are needlessly repeated.

Mr. Westermann in his "On Gloucester Downs" has caught the spirit of the region with its wonderful sea-line of cove and inlet, of massive ledge and gigantic boulder. Mr. Lowe writes pleasantly and suggestively of the old white meeting house in "Field Park" where the college and the town held their Sunday services together for many years.

Sanctum rejoices in the revival of college spirit and in the increased number of contributors to the Monthly while Chat seems to have been stirred by the vision of a "little woman," managing a migration of fresh air children which dawned upon him last summer.

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ALUMNI NEWS

'58—John G. Ames, chief of the document division of the Department of the Interior at Washington, has published, in two volumes, "A comprehensive index to the publications of the United States government from 1881 to 1893."

Ex-'98—Walter E Orton, of Schenectady, will be married on December 1, to Miss Eva C. Whitney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey L. Whitney, of Williamstown.

'99—Grosvenor Grannis has resigned his position in New York, and has commenced farming on a scientific basis near Tenafly, N. J.

'99—Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Charlotte E. Fish of Salamanca, to George Hanford Ansley of the same city. Mr. Ansley graduated from Columbia Law school in 1902, and is now practicing law at Salamanca.

Ex-'02—Richard S. Lord, who has been on the staff of the New York Sun for the last few years, is now head of the circulating department of that paper.

1902—Richard Jaeckel won the annual middleweight wrestling championship of the New York athletic club this fall. This is the second year that he has held the title.

1902—William H. Stanley is in business with the Kelley-Clark Co., wholesale grocers, at Spokane, Wash. He has been elected secretary, and member of the board of directors, of the University club of that city.

Ex-'08—Leland Jewell Clark of Grand Rapids, Mich., was married on November 14, to Miss Marianne Gordon Peyton, at The Plains, Va.

Ex-'08—Crombie, who left college last spring on account of illness, is at present on a ranch in southern California. He expects to return to college next year.

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1906 did not show their last year's form in their game with 1908, although they had occasional moments of brilliant passing. 1908 did not guard closely, and were unable to pass the ball except under their opponent's basket. Capt. Watters played much the best game, while Casey shot most baskets for 1906.

The summary:

1906	1908
Griswold, lf	rg, B. P. Allen
Cowperthwait rf.	lg, Watters
Casey, Barrett, c	c, Johnson
Barlow, Barrett, Wright, lg	rf, Harman
Blaisdell, rg	lf, Fenno

Baskets from floor: Casey 5, Blaisdell 3, Cowperthwait 2, Barlow 2, Griswold; Harman 2, Watters. Basket from foul, Watters. Point awarded 1908 for foul made on Harman while shooting. Referee and Umpire, Cowell '06. Timekeeper, Macnutt '06.

1907, 20; 1909, 12

The junior-freshman game was hard fought in the first half, the first basket being shot by Warren after seven minutes of play. 1907 was unable to get its passing game going in the first half. In the second half Stewart made several good shots from under the basket, after accurate passing down the floor. Swain and Crawford played best for the freshman team, but failed at times to guard closely.

The summary:

1907	1909
Warren, lf	rg, Tifft
Stewart, rf	lg, Swain, Crawford
Durfee, c	c, Horrax
Morrison, Allen, lg	rf, Crawford, Swain
Mitchell, rg	lf, Royce

Baskets from floor: Stewart 6, Warren 2, Durfee, Allen; Swain 4, Crawford 2. Referee and umpire, Cowell '06. Timer, Macnutt '06.

Good Government Club

The Good Government club was reorganized Friday evening with twenty-nine members. The following officers were elected: President, Nomer '06; vice-president, A. H. Thompson '07; secretary, Stanley '07; treasurer, Hart '07. Member of executive committee in addition to the president and the vice-president, Loomis '06.

It was voted to accept the offer of the Y. M. C. A. of financial assistance in securing speakers. The constitution was amended so that underclassmen as well as upperclassmen are eligible to membership.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Ide '98, Hatch '03, and Griswold '04 were in town over Sunday.

The Gun club held a shoot on the Taconic club range Saturday afternoon.

The second illustrated lecture in connection with Latin 2 was given on Saturday morning by Prof. Wild.

Prof. and Mrs. Spring entertained members of the English 8 class Saturday evening. "The Merchant of Venice" was read.

The freshman class leads the other classes in the number of men not having any cuts to their credit, with five. 1906 and 1908 are next with one; 1907 has none.

The anthem, "Sun of my soul," sung at the vesper service yesterday, and the solo, "O, could I speak the matchless worth," sung by Mr. Lord '05 at the service of the week before, are recent compositions by Mr. Salter, published by Schirmer, New York.

Boston Alumni Association

The Boston alumni have combined the separate associations formerly conducting the annual dinner and the series of smokers, into a new one, to be known as the Williams Alumni Association of Boston. The first smoker will be held in December, the dinner late in January, and the second smoker in March.

The committee in charge consists of Judge James R. Dunbar '71, Bentley W. Warren '85, McGregor Jenkins '90, Irving McD. Garfield '93, Olcott O. Partridge '94, Rodney Spring '94, Edward A. Watson '97, James F. Bacon '98, and Philip R. Dunbar 1900. The annual membership fee is $5. Those desiring to join the association are requested to send their names to the treasurer, P. R. Dunbar, 70 State St., Boston.

Cap and Bells Play Chosen

Cap and Bells has decided definitely to present this year "The Man from Mexico." The first performance will be given at the Williamstown Opera House the second week in February. Mr. McDonald will coach the cast after Christmas vacation and parts will be assigned on a competitive basis.

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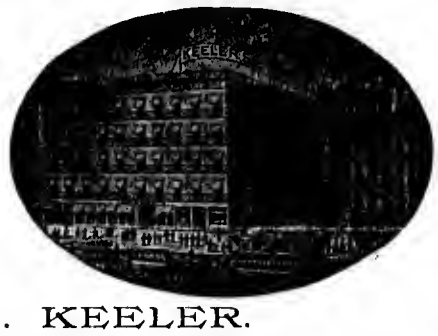
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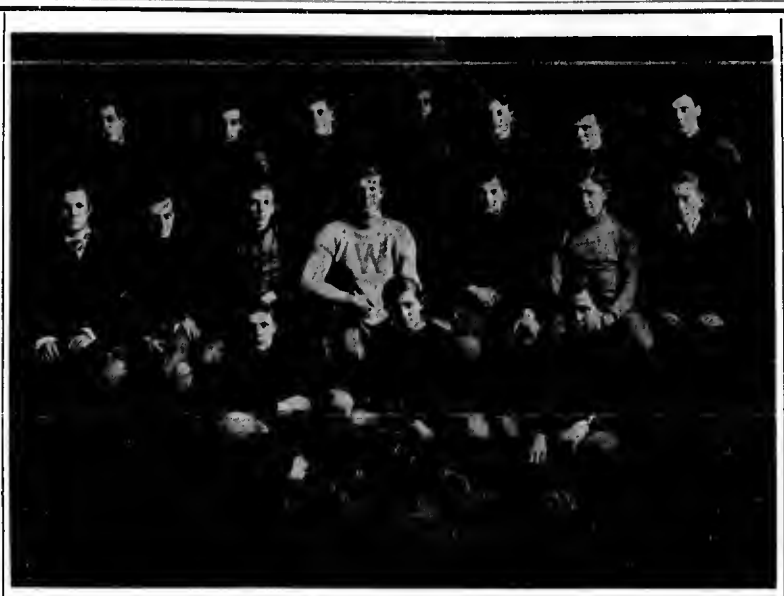
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FOOTBALL REVIEW

Eleven Games Played—Six Won and Five Lost

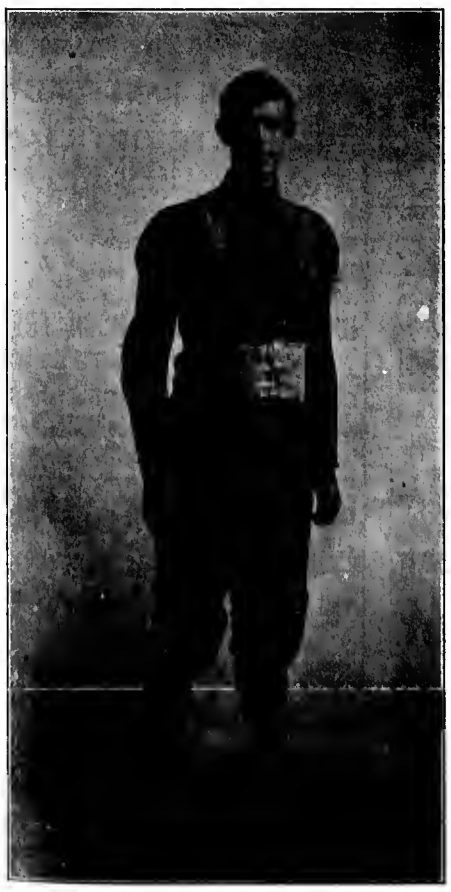
The 1905 football eleven, in spite of the loss of seven W men by graduation, won six out of eleven contests, and closed the season with excellent prospects for next year. A defeat by M. A. C. in 1904 was retrieved by a victory, Harvard and Columbia were held to lower scores, and the loss of the Dartmouth game was partially atoned for by a victory over Colgate, which had lowered the Green by a score of 16-10. The victorious Wesleyan team was one of the best in the history of that university, and in the Amherst game the score by no means reflects the relative playing ability of the elevens.

The schedule was excellently arranged for the team's development. Beginning with a victory over Williston, in which the Purple was not held for downs once, the eleven played good football at Harvard the following Saturday, holding them to the smallest score since 1902. The Union game at Schenectady saw the team at its poorest, for Union outplayed the Purple in the second half. Again offense was better than defense. The first third of the season closed with the M. A. C. game, in which brilliant end-running by the backs, with good tackle bucks in the second half, scored two touchdowns.



THE WILLIAMS FOOTBALL TEAM, 1905

Columbia's 11-5 victory was a disappointment, Williams' strong work being spoiled by constant fumbling. The work of the team on the offensive was still superior, but the defense play now began to improve, and Columbia was several times held for downs or forced to kick. A brace in the second half gave the touchdown that should have come earlier. At Dartmouth the next Saturday the Purple met a much stronger team, and was unable to gain until late in the second half. Following the game at Hanover, W. P. I. and R. P. I. were played in the same week and in each game a large score was made by Williams.



H. D. BIXBY, CAPTAIN

The Colgate game at Albany deserves careful review. Every man on the team played good football, and Waters, Bixby and the ends, were only the best where all played at the top of their game. Team play on the offense and a strong secondary defense gave Williams a victory by a score of 5 to 0 against a team outweighing the Purple 10 pounds to the man.

Against Wesleyan at Middletown the next Saturday the eleven, although fighting hard for every second of play, could not do as well. When the Red and Black's heavy backs and tackles could not gain, Van Surdam slipped around the ends, and his 76-yard run for a touchdown will be famous in Wesleyan football history. Again Waters excelled at defense.

The final contest against Amherst, on Weston Field November 18, saw the team in their Colgate form again, but against a team of better than Colgate caliber. Swept off their feet in the first few minutes of play, the eleven rallied finely, and held Amherst for downs 2 inches from the goal. In the second half the play of the teams was even, and only another long run, this by Shattuck, brought Amherst's score to 17.

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CALENDAR

TUESDAY, DEC. 5

7.30 p. m.—Class basketball, Lasell Gymnasium. 1906 vs. 1909, 1907 vs. 1908.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 6

2.30 p. m.—Class basketball, Lasell Gymnasium. 1906 vs. 1907, 1908 vs. 1909.

7.30 p. m.—First half of Dartmouth-Brown preliminary debates, T. B. L.



C. M. WATERS, CAPTAIN FOR 1906

SCORES

Williams	26	Williston	0
Williams	0	Harvard	12
Williams	12	Union	0
Williams	12	M. A. C.	0
Williams	5	Columbia	11
Williams	0	Dartmouth	24
Williams	23	W. P. I.	5
Williams	39	R. P. I.	6
Williams	5	Colgate	0
Williams	0	Wesleyan	18
Williams	0	Amherst	17
Total	122		93

The total number of minutes played was 450, during which Williams scored 22 touchdowns and kicked 12 goals. The touchdowns were made by the following men: C. Brown 7, D. Brown 6, Waters 5, Robb 2, A. Brown 1, Willcox 1. The twelve goals were made as follows: Bixby 11, Waters 1.

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Football Abolished at Columbia

The Columbia committee on student organizations has disbanded the university football association and passed a resolution which prohibits the present game of football at Columbia. College presidents and professors who have expressed their opinions on the action, are generally opposed to the abolition of the game. The Columbia Spectator voices the feeling of a great majority of college undergraduates, as well as its own student body, in saying that the step is "altogether too radical and far reaching."

The action seems to be a condemnation of the game, with utter disregard of its good points. The elements of value in the game must have seemed few indeed to the committee, when no attempt was made to preserve them. The faults which are manifest this year existed last year, and the year before. They have not sprung up in one season. It is not likely that influence has been brought to bear by the university authorities upon the rules committee, to make alterations in the rules that would eliminate these faults. If it has, and failed, opportunity was given then for the authorities to take the matter into their own hands. As it is, the game having been allowed to reach its present development unhindered, is done away with by a snap judgment, in which public opinion after the death of a player from football injuries, may have had a large share. With the game on trial, a decision has been reached before the defendant's case has been presented.

The committee's action is as unnecessary as it is premature. It seems to be agreed that the principal objections, of which brutality is the most important, can be removed by changing the rules of the game. Nine months will elapse before football is tried again. The fairer course would have been to await the revision of the rules, which is now inevitable. If Columbia were dissatisfied with the changes, it might then be justified in prohibiting the game.

Of all the colleges in the country Williams should be the last to abolish football. Little fault can be found with the way in which the game has been conducted in the college. Instances of brutality are most exceptional, and the injury sustained by players has been slight. The statistics from Williams for the past thirteen years, sent to Dr. White of the University of Pennsylvania, show that all who have been injured have recovered completely, and that there have been no marked cases of permanent deformity, nor has any injury interfered with further athletic exercise, or with a man's life work.

Football has never been so absorbing a topic of interest that it proved harmful to academic standing. In fact, there is occasion every fall to deplore, from a student standpoint, the lack of support given football by the college body, in not attending practice and games played out of town. On the whole, the undergraduate interest seems to be evenly divided among the different branches of athletics, and the amount given to football is not unreasonable. When a student's curriculum work suffers, the cause is most often individual laziness. Among the minor objections to football, professionalism and commercialism are the most important. They do not exist at Williams.

President Eliot says: "Deaths and injuries are not the strongest arguments against football. That cheating and brutality are profitable is the main evil." The objection is indisputable and may apply to every team that plays under the present rules. Though there may be no ground for prohibiting the game at Williams, the college could stand firmly for rule revision, for the reason quoted above, whether or not Williams players have been guilty of profiting by violation of the regulations of the game.

COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

At the request of The Record, President Hopkins has written, in the following communication, his views on the football situation:

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The wide public demand that the game be radically reformed or abolished is right and must be complied with. We have delayed too long. And yet the public are to blame for the demoralization of the game. The hysterical thousands who crowd the bleachers render sport for sport's sake impossible; they make the rival teams crazy for victory. The heavy betting intensifies and embitters the excitement; the one thing is to win. The coaches are employed just for that, the opposing alumni demand just that and put up their money to obtain just that. As human nature is constituted, the temptation becomes, in the excitement of play, irresistible to win at any cost. Honor, dignity, true sportsmanship and honorable rivalry are lost, and all the evils of which the magazines tell us come in with more or less power to discredit academic sports.

Football enthusiasm is fine. It creates healthy *esprit de corps*; but the football craze as it has come to exist is stultifying, is a sign of demoralization. It dominates in a ludicrous way the thought and conversation of student life, unsettles moral values, and at the great games possesses the multitudes in a way that suggests the decadent throngs of the Roman Circus or the Spanish bull-fight. It makes light of human suffering and is wickedly careless of human life.

Let us return to sanity and play football like gentlemen. This means radical reform. The rules proposed by the University of Pennsylvania are good as a beginning.

Henry Hopkins.

THE TEAM

Henry Dike Bixby 1906, captain and left tackle, prepared for college at Stone's school, Boston. Injuries prevented him from playing freshman year. In 1903 he was right tackle on the 'varsity and last year left guard. Bixby is good on defense, has gained much ground on the revolving play, and is one of the most consistent players on the team. Above all, he has exhibited the essential qualities of a captain.

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Arthur Milton Brown 1907, right halfback, came to Williams from the Troy High school. He has been on the squad three years, is fast on the offense and is a slippery man around the end.

Reginald Davis Johnson 1907, right tackle, prepared at the Morristown school, Morristown, N. J., and has played on the squad two years. His game is strong, particularly on the defense.

Downing Potter Brown 1908, left halfback, two years on the 'varsity, came from Andover. A consistent ground gainer, he excels on the offense.

Edward Frank Curtis 1908, right end, prepared for college at the Williamstown High school, and has been on the team two years. He played his best game this year, is fast down the field and a sure tackler.

William Niles Elder 1908, left end, from Exeter, is an accurate tackler, and quick to fall on a fumbled ball. He was a 'varsity player last year.

Lyman Eldridge 1908, right guard, from the Williamstown High school, made the team last year. Injuries have prevented him from playing up to his game, but he has been good on offense.

George Herbert Kelley 1908, quarterback, from Thayer academy, was on the squad last season. He handles the ball well and is good in interference.

Harold Hawkins LaMent 1908, fullback, from the Pittsfield High school, has speed and hits the line hard. He was unable to come out for the team last year. He promises to develop into a strong player.

Ernest Jones Marshall 1908, substitute guard and tackle, prepared at Exeter. Last year he was right tackle on the 'varsity; he is experienced and better on offense than defense.

Clyde Merleton Waters 1908, quarterback and fullback, came to college from the Oberlin High school. He is the best player on the team and has been elected captain for 1906. Waters is strong in bucking the line, is the mainstay of the secondary defense, a good field general and a brilliant individual player. This is his second year on the Williams eleven.

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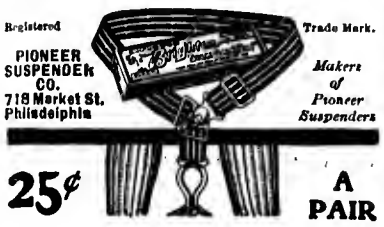


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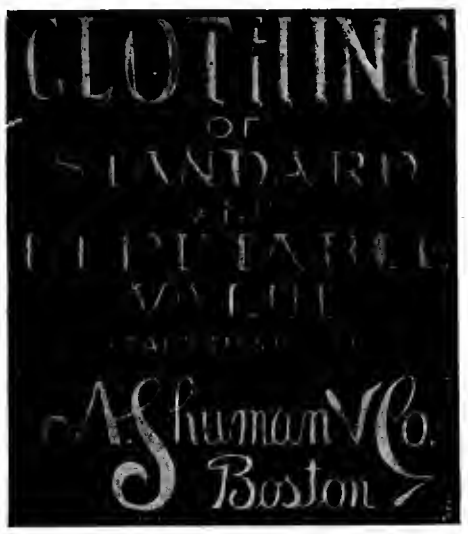
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Average		20.7	5.10½	172.4

Paper by Dr. Gerig

On Monday evening in Griffin Hall Dr. Gerig gave before the Classical society a comprehensive, scholarly, clear paper on "Comparative Grammar and Sanskrit."

The early work in linguistics dealt only with the mother tongue, and not until the 18th century was the affinity between different tongues properly treated. Franz Bopp was the founder of philology, doing for language what Linnaeus did for botany. Evidences of linguistic kinship come from congruence of linguistic material and inflectional correspondence.

Indo-European is at the basis of all languages. Sanskrit as a whole presenting its most primitive aspects. Phonetic rules governing words in the nine groups of Indo-European tongues were made by Grimm, supplemented by Verner and Grassman. Of especial interest is the work of Prof. W. D. Whitney, '45, LL. D., Ph. D., J. U. D., L. H. D., the greatest American philologist, who has shown the influence of false analogy on philological changes.

THE MINISTRY

Rev. Dr. Hall Gives Second of Series of Life-Work Talks

Rev. Charles Cuthbert Hall, D. D., LL. D., '72, president of Union Theological seminary, gave the second of the series of lifework talks in Jesup Hall last evening, speaking on the ministry. He said in outline:

An impulse toward the ministry is not proof positive of fitness for that vocation, but there must be other qualifications. Never has the ministry had so great an opportunity as afforded it at the present day. The ministry has just passed through a transition period marked by two stages, a suspicion that the Bible was a book that would not stand scientific investigation, and as a result of the critical processes brought to bear, a lack of faith among men. Now that this transition period is past, the result is a conviction that the Bible is more evidently divine, and that the fountains of inspiration lie so deep that questions of historical criticism may flit over the surface and have no effect.

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ANNUAL REPORT OF GRADUATE TREASURER, YEAR ENDING SEPT. 13, '05

Athletic Council Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance October 10, 1904		$1935.57
Dues from Alumni Association		733.05
Basketball Surplus, Season '03-'04		77.79
Basketball Surplus, Season '04-'05		12.11
Football Surplus, Season 1905		749.22
Baseball Surplus, Season 1905		414.10
Track Surplus, Season 1905		312.91
'05 Baseball Association		3.45
'05 Football Association		.25
Interest, Savings Bank		12.04
Total		$4250.49

EXPENDITURES

Postage and Stationery		$ 22.48
Printing		38.75
College Tennis Courts		332.77
Clerical Assistance		23.00
Track Association '03-'04		15.00
Safety Deposit Box		7.00
Interscholastic Association Banner		16.00
Commencement Records		113.20
Weston Field		498.76
Miscellaneous		.40
Balance September 13, 1905		3183.13
Total		$4250.49

Balance Sheet, Sept. 13, '05

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	1908 Baseball Association	$ 45.00
	1907 Baseball Association	12.60
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$3240.73		$3240.73

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Prof. Ferry, Dean, Forced to Leave College Because of Ill Health

Dr. Frederick C. Ferry, dean of the college, left Williamstown Tuesday evening, having been forced to give up his work by ill-health caused by overwork. Dr. and Mrs. Ferry are now at their home in Saratoga, N. Y., and will sail for Naples on December 7, by the White Star line from New York.

During Prof. Ferry's absence, Prof. Wild will act as dean; Mathematics 5 will be taken by Dr. Capron, one of whose Mathematics 1 divisions has been divided among his other divisions. Dr. Wetmore will take part of Prof. Wild's Latin work.

Dean's Notice

Until further notice the Dean's Office Hours will be as follows:

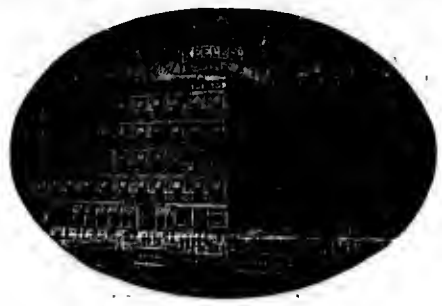
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Cars leave North Adams for Williamstown at 6 a. m. and every 30 minutes till and including 10.30 p. m. thereafter.

Cars leave North Adams for Blackinton at 6 a. m., and then every 30 minutes till 1.30 p. m., then every 15 minutes till and including 10.45 p. m.

Cars leave North Adams for the Union, the Beaver, and Briggsville at 6 a. m., and every half hour till and including 11 p. m.

Cars leave Adams for Cheshire, Pittsfield, North Adams, connecting for Williamstown, Blackinton and Briggsville at 6 a. m., and then every half hour till and including 10.30 p. m. Also to North Adams only, at 11 and 11.30 p. m.

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SECOND CHAMPIONSHIP

1907 Again Secures First Honors in Basketball—1906 Beaten 15-8

By winning the class basketball game with 1906 by a score of 15 to 8 yesterday afternoon the class of 1907 won the interclass basketball championship for the second time. Again a victory for 1906 would have given them first place, but the victory for the juniors came much harder this year than last. The game showed rare ability for class teams. Every man played brilliantly.

The two teams were evenly matched, fought hard, and from the referee's whistle to the middle of the second half there was but little difference in the play, the juniors at that time leading by two points. 1906 here took a brace and by fast passing kept the ball at their end of the floor, but three easy shots failed to bring a score. A foul on Blaisdell was converted into a point by Stewart, the juniors' play improved, and in a scene of intense excitement Durfee shot a fine basket one-handed from the side, followed a moment later by another when Allen broke away and, uncovered, tossed the ball through the net. Heady work by the 1907 guards prevented further scoring. 1907 excelled at shooting, and blocked brilliantly at all times, while what little advantage at passing rested with either team was with 1906. At the end of the first half the score was 4-4.

The summary:

1907	1906
Stewart lf,	rg, Barlow
Warren rf,	lg, Blaisdell
Durfee c,	c, Casey
Allen lg,	rf, Cowperthwait
Mitchell rg,	lf, Griswold

Score, 1907 15, 1906 8. Baskets from floor, Durfee 3, Allen 2, Stewart, Mitchell; Blaisdell 2, Casey, Cowperthwait. Basket from foul, Stewart. Referee and umpire, Cowell '06. Timekeeper, Macnutt '06. Time, two 15-minute halves.

1908 Loses Third Game

1909 defeated 1908 easily 20 to 9, with ability to catch and pass and good blocking under 1908's goal responsible. Horrax, able to get free from his man easily, shot with great accuracy, but Crawford was the mainstay of the freshman passing and blocking. Watters played the 1909 team practically alone.

1908	1909
Harman rf,	lg, Crawford
Watters lf,	rg, Waters
Johnson c,	c, Horrax
Allen rg,	lf, Swain
Fowle lg,	rf, Tifft

Score, 1909 20, 1908 9. Baskets from floor, Horrax 6, Swain, Tifft, Crawford; Watters, Harman, Allen. Baskets from foul, Watters 3, Crawford, Horrax, Referee and umpire, Cowell '06. Timer, Macnutt '06. Time, two 15-minute halves.

TUESDAY'S GAMES

Seniors Win From 1909 by Score of 21-8—First Half Close

Leading their opponents by only three points at the end of the first half, the senior team easily won from 1909 Tuesday night by a score of 21 to 8. Neither five showed exceptional team work and the large score was due to individual play. The freshmen started the game fast with three baskets while the seniors scored one.

The summary:

1906	1909
Cowperthwait lf, rg,	Royce, Lefferts
Griswold rf,	lg, Crawford
Casey c,	c, Horrax
Barlow lg,	rf, Tifft
Blaisdell rg,	lf, Waters

Score, 1906 21, 1909 8. Baskets from floor: Barlow, Blaisdell 2, Casey, Cowperthwait 5, Griswold; Crawford 2, Horrax, Tifft. Basket from foul, Casey. Referee, Cowell '06. Timekeeper, Macnutt '06. Time, 15-minute halves.

Sophomores Defeated

1907 easily won from the sophomores, 21 to 2. 1908 did well in the first half, holding their opponents to 3 points when Harman had scored the sophomores' only basket after a few minutes of play. The upperclassmen had it all their own way in the last half, using three substitutes in the game.

The summary:

1907	1908
Stewart lf,	rg, Watters
Warren, Lesser rf,	lg, B. P. Allen
Durfee, Hurlbut c,	c, Johnson
Allen lg,	rf, Fenno, McIntyre, L. Fowle
Mitchell, Morrison rg,	lf, Harman

Score, 1907 21, 1908 2. Baskets from floor, Durfee 3, Hurlbut, Lesser, Mitchell, Stewart 3, Warren; Harman. Basket from foul, Warren. Referee and umpire, Cowell 1906. Timer, Macnutt 1906.

Class Basketball Standing

	Won	Lost	Per Cent.
1907	3	0	1.000
1906	2	1	.667
1909	1	2	.333
1908	0	3	.000

FRESHMAN STATISTICS

Results of Physical Examinations—Comparison With 1908

The following statistics were obtained by Mr. Seeley in his recent physical examination of the freshman class. The corresponding figures for last year's freshman class are also given.

The average age of 1909 is 18 yrs., 10 mo., as compared with 18 yrs., 8 mo., for last year's entering class. The age of the oldest man is 22 yrs., 10 mo., and the youngest 16 yrs., 5 mo.

The average weight is 63.7 Kg. (140.1 lbs.), as compared with 62.47 Kg. (137.43 lbs.). The heaviest man weighs 100.2 Kg. (220.4 lbs.), and the lightest 44.3 Kg. (97.46 lbs.).

The average height is 174.32 cm. (5 ft. 8.5 in.). The tallest is 187.7 cm. (6 ft. 2 in.). The shortest is 160 cm. (5 ft. 3 in.). 1908's average is 173.7 cm. (5 ft. 8.4 in.).

The average strength of the back is 171.08 Kg. (367.4 lbs.), the strongest back is 250 Kg. (550 lbs.), and the weakest is 120 Kg. (264 lbs.). The average strength last year was 142.74 Kg. (314.3 lbs.).

The average number of "dips" is 5 9-25 and the average number of "chins" 5 11-25, as compared with last year's average of 4.86 and 4.5. The largest number of "dips" is 25 and "chins" 15. The smallest is 0 of each.

In total strength the freshman class averages 519.31 points as against 520.13 of 1908. The strongest man has a total of 952.2 points and the weakest 396.2. The strongest man last year reached a total of 818 and the weakest 292.6 points.

The average total development is 495.7 points, the highest 594.4, and the lowest 433.2. 1908's average was 504.1 points.

Senior Class Day Elections

In accordance with the vote of the senior class the election of class day officers will take place in Jesup Hall at 1:30 p. m. Saturday, Dec. 9.

The officers generally elected in previous years have been class-day president, two marshals, permanent class secretary, editor of class book, class day committee of five members orator to lower classes, pipe orator, prophet, prophet on prophet, class poet, ivy poet, historian, photograph committee of three members, class orator, ivy orator, library orator, and class baseball manager.

Joseph E. Perry.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, DEC. 7

7.15 p. m.—1908 class meeting, J. H.

FRIDAY, DEC. 8

7.30 p. m.—Second half of trials for Brown-Dartmouth preliminaries, T. B. L.

8.00 p. m.—Musical clubs concert, J. H.

8.00 p. m.—New York Alumni Smoker, Delmonico's, N. Y.

SATURDAY, DEC. 9

1.30 p. m.—1906 class meeting, J. H. Election of class day officers.

SUNDAY, DEC. 10

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Rev. Amory H. Bradford, D. D., of Montclair, N. J., will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Bradford will speak.

MONDAY, DEC. 11

7.30 p. m.—Lyceum of Natural History, T. B. L. Prof. W. E. Castle of Harvard lectures on "The Experimental Study of Heredity."

STUDY OF HEREDITY

Lecture by Prof W. E. Castle in Biological Laboratory

The Lyceum of Natural History has arranged for a lecture in the Biological Laboratory next Monday evening by Prof. W. E. Castle of Harvard on "The Experimental Study of Heredity." Prof. Castle will use lantern slides and the blackboard in his talk.

Prof. Castle has experimented for many years on animals, regarding the existence and action of heredity, and is an authority on the subject. A great impetus has been given to this line of study by the recovery in the last half century of the work of an Austrian priest, Gregor Mendel, who performed some valuable experiments on plants.

As yet no other lecture dates have been made by the Lyceum, but some time next term Prof. C. H. Chittenden, professor of physiological chemistry at Yale and director of Sheffield Scientific school, will give an address. There probably will be several other lectures on biological subjects during the spring term.

Musical Clubs Concert

The musical clubs will give a concert at 8:00 tomorrow evening in Jesup Hall. This is the first concert of the year. The program will be in two parts, with twelve numbers. Two of these numbers will be by the banjo club, which has been entirely reorganized and now consist of six banjos, six mandolins and two guitars. Pevear '07 will sing a solo and Cantwell '06 and Pierce '07 will read.

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Basketball Question Again

In the sporting columns of The New York Sun, Nov. 26, the claims of Williams and Columbia for the intercollegiate basketball championship last season are discussed. A general outline is given of the Williams side of the question, followed by a statement charging the Purple with inconsistency.

The article says: "Williams after having been beaten by Dartmouth at Hanover, after having first defeated the Hanoverians on the Williams floor, cancelled a game remaining to be played at Hanover. Of course explanation of a thing like this would be easy for Williams to make, and yet it would be as easy for Dartmouth to say that Williams was afraid as it was for the Berkshire collegians to cry 'coward' at the Columbia team."

The reason stated above is no proof, for it is not based on the truth. We have no desire to prolong a dispute to which there can be no possible settlement satisfactory to both sides, unless the two teams meet on a neutral floor. Nevertheless, it is no more than fair that the facts should be known. The game scheduled between Williams and Dartmouth for March 3 was cancelled by Dartmouth. The Williams management consented to this, and cannot be blamed, after the date had been crossed from both schedules, in refusing the Dartmouth manager's request to play the game as it was first arranged.

COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

The Editor of The Record,

Sir:—The excellent spirit of constructive reform, which has come over the college this fall, has crystallized into a multitude of organizations and schemes for new organizations. Without commenting upon the danger of too widely diversifying the undergraduate activities of a small college, I should like to express frankly what seems to be a grave defect inherent in two of these movements now under way or nearing completion. The first is the establishment of the "mock senate"; the second, and far more important, is the proposed affiliation of deacons.

Whatever may be the advantages offered by these organizations, are they not futile in that each will work parallel to an already well established institution?

The "mock senate" was constructed with the purpose of arousing interest in debating. But the adoption of the new system of debating had already accomplished this, before the senate was proposed, to the extent of enlisting more men for the trials than have participated for at least three years. If it is the further purpose of the "senate" to afford practice in the serious art of debate, which Williams needs, it is difficult to conceive how this will be accomplished by continuing the present practice of disputing with no knowledge in hand of the question for debate, and by vaunting the bombastic "oratory" which is there in fashion. The two debating societies afford a rich mine of opportunities for honest, solid, enthusiastic work without resorting to sensational means or a parallel organization.

Concerning the deacons the same principle seems to hold true; although this question is much more serious. Will these deacons have any duties not now performed or capable of being performed by the Y. M. C. A? If they are to have no work, but are to stand as figure-heads, the scheme ought to fail. But if their function is to be defined, wherein will it not conflict with that of the Y. M. C. A? They will be co-ordinate in that each will be supposed to represent the religious life of the undergraduates, so that the great danger lies in the tendency that there will be toward a division of energy and the frittering away of the present religious spirit. It is urged that the election of deacons will afford a more democratic expression of the religious life of the students. But cannot this be accomplished by tearing down the slight barrier of membership in the Y. M. C. A., and throwing its franchise open to the college body? If it is

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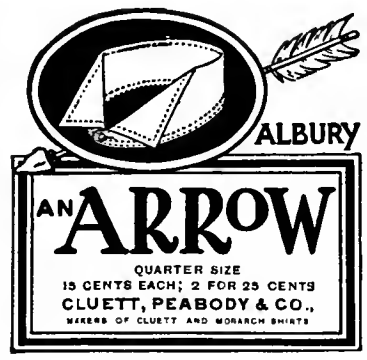
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felt that the men here ought to do more along religious lines, it would be best to concentrate upon an already well organized institution and make it accomplish what it ought.

We have witnessed in debating the establishment of a new system; we have had added to our Y. M. C. A. a general secretary. Let us see what these excellent innovations will accomplish before we plunge into complexities. What is needed now is not multiplicity of machinery but *steam*.

Yours sincerely,
William M. Clark.

The plan of establishing a board of deacons has been presented to the college through a communication in these columns, and a method of election has been suggested. It must be admitted that the exact duties have not been outlined. The purpose, however, has been stated clearly, in brief, to give to the college a genuine religious life. This the Y. M. C A. has failed to do. It has no influence in college outside its own membership. It is evident that the college cannot receive inspiration through the association. To make religion real the institution of deacons has been proposed, and, given a trial, its success at Yale should insure the same result here.

These officers cannot be bound down by rules. The personal nature of their work forbids that their functions be fixed; they must be guided as much by experience as by circumstances. However, it is easy to conceive how they can perform practical services which the Y. M. C. A. has not done in the past, or is not capable of doing. The deacons could arrange the list of college preachers in accordance with the wishes of the student-body. They could recommend changes in the daily morning chapel service. They could assist in the communion service.

Aside from these minor duties, the deacons could personally influence men whom the association is unable to reach. In this their efforts, rather than tending towarde a division of energy, would supplement that of the Y. M. C. A. If the college church were placed on a sound basis, it is needless to comment on the increased field of work open to the new officers.

A more democratic spirit in religious life cannot be obtained by the method suggested in the above communication. If the "slight barrier" refers to the requirement of church membership for active membership in the Y. M. C. A., the rule has never been observed at Williams. If the nominal fee paid by members of the association is meant, it is safe to say that no man would be denied a share in the work of the Y. M. C. A. if he refused to sign for the

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amonnt. The association is practically open to the college now.

We agree that it would be best to concentrate our attention upon the Christian association, if results could be secured. The fact remains that the work to be done is too great for the Y. M. C. A., alone. It must have co-operation. A feasible method of securing this is offered.

Conditions of Entrance

Williams has recently become a member both of the College Entrance Examination Board, and of the New England Entrance Certificate Board. In June, 1906, the entrance examinations will be those prepared by the former Board. The marks given by the Board to the papers submitted will be accepted by the college on the same terms as its own September examinations, which will be conducted by the college the same as formerly. The custom of sending Williams examination papers to the preparatory schools in June is discontinued.

The College Entrance Certificate Board's certificates of examination have been accepted by the college for the last five or six years, but Williams did not vote to join the Board until last June. In the 1905 catalogue the requirements are worded and the subjects lettered, to correspond with the same in the last document of the Board. Williams has not changed its requirements in any essential part by becoming a member.

The college catalogue, in regard to admission on certificate, reads in part as follows: "After 1906 certificates will be accepted from no schools in New England which have not been approved by the New England College Entrance Certificate Board; and Williams College will accept such certificates after that time only in accordance with the regulations of that Board."

Sunday's Preacher

Rev. Amory H. Bradford, D. D., pastor of the First Congregational church of Montclair, N. J., will speak in the chapel on Sunday. Dr. Bradford is an associate editor of the Outlook, and is known as a powerful preacher. Among his best-known works on religion, religion in art and religion in literature are, "The Sistine Madonna", "Spiritual Influences in the Work of Browning", Spirit and Life", and "The Age of Faith."

Dr. Bradford will also address the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall Sunday evening.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Gregory '05 and Stocking '05 were in town this week.

George '08 has left college on account of ill-health. He will return after the Christmas vacation.

The lookers in the gymnasium have been completed and can be obtained from Mr. Seeley.

Williams will play company E in basketball at Schenectady on Dec. 20.

Fay '07 has returned to college after an absence of six weeks due to trouble with his eyes.

On account of the Brown-Dartmouth preliminaries, the debating societies held no meetings Wednesday.

A new dynamo has been received by the chemical laboratory from the General Electric Co. It will be use to charge the storage batteries.

At a meeting of the philosophical society Tuesday evening the question under discussion was "Teleology." Dr. Pratt introduced the subject by a short talk.

The following men are entitled to wear 1908 football numerals: D. Brown, Campbell, Curtis, Douglass (mgr.). Elder, Eldridge, Kelley, LaMent, Marshall, C. D. Reid, Roberts, Watera.

Freshman football numerals have been awarded to the following men: Bargfrede, C. Brown, Crawford, Gutterson, Harter, Jenkins (mgr.). Mayer. Mitchell, Morse, Perkins, Robb, S. Rogers, Wadsworth, Westbrook, Westen, Williams, Woodruff.

The 'varsity basketball squad has been cut to twenty-one men; Appell, Barlow, Blaisdell, Casey, Cowell, Cowperthwait, Gardner, Neild 1906; Allen, Durfee, Mitchell, Stuart, Tower, Warren 1907; Watters 1908; Crawford, Gutterson, Horrax, Royce, Swain, Waters 1909.

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—No one will be admitted to the basketball game Wednesday night without presenting season tickets at the door.

R. V. Hobson, mgr.

—Alumni subscriptions to The Record are now due. Make checks payable to A. V. Osterhout, manager.

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Change in Debating Trials

The postponement of part of last evening's program for the Dartmouth-Brown preliminaries will necessitate some slight changes in the arrangement for the trials of to-morrow evening. A notice regarding these changes will be posted in Hopkins Hall to-morrow morning, and should be consulted as soon as possible by all who have not yet spoken.

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FIRST PRACTICE

Track Men Called Out for Relay Work—Entries in B. A. A. Meet

Sixteen men reported for practice for the 'varsity and class relay teams yesterday afternoon. Of last year's 'varsity team and substitutes only two are able to run this year, and a larger squad from which to pick the new men is necessary to insure a successful team. The work will be light, consisting of practice on the board track on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, with exercise in the gymnasium under the direction of Mr. Seeley on other days.

At the B. A. A. meet on February 10, Williams will be represented in the high jump, sprints and distance run in addition to the relay race. The interclass relay races will take place about February 1st.

First Recitations in Goodrich Hall

Rooms 3 and 4 in Goodrich Hall are now entirely completed and were used for the first time for recitation purposes Tuesday. Room 3, entered by the west entrance to the Hall, will be used by Prof. Maxcy for his divisions in English 1 and 2 and for English 5. Room 4, the large room on the east side, entered through the tower door, will be used for Mr. Rees' classes in English 1, and divisions of English 2.

Room 4 seats 89 men and room 3 37. Rooms 1 and 2, in the front of the chapel, will not be ready for use for at least three weeks. It is as yet undecided to what permanent use to put the upper floor of old Alumni Hall.

Pictures by Italian Painters

The art department has placed in the rack on the second floor of Hopkins Hall a collection of photographs of works of Italian painters. The most famous picture in the group is the "Annunciation" of Fra Angelico, the original of which is in the church of San Marco in Florence. Besides other works of Fra Angelico, the collection includes several sketches by Fra Bartolommeo, and works by Girolamo del Pacchia, Luini and Gian Bellini.

Hockey News

The new hockey rink on Weston Field, built at a cost of over $100, will be open only to members of the association. Membership can be secured by a payment of $2.00 to F. R. Schell, manager. The schedule, although not yet completed, will probably consist of four games in Williamstown and eight away from home.

First practice was held on Leake's Pond yesterday afternoon. Over 20 men reported to Capt. Rudd, among whom was some good new material from 1909. Practice consisted largely of passing, followed by a line-up.

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ALUMNI NEWS

'98—Arthur C. Twiehell is purchasing agent for the Temple Iron and Coal Co., of Scranton, Pa.

'98—Ernest Bamberger is manager of the Daly-West Mine, with headquarters at Salt Lake City, U.

Ex '98—Walter E. Orton of Schenectady, New York, and Miss Eva Chauncey Whitney of Williamstown were married Friday at the home of the bride's parents on Thomas street by Rev. Dr. James E. C. Sawyer, pastor of the Methodist church. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Orton left for their new home at 699 Windson Terrace, Schenectady. Both are graduates of the Williamstown High school and the groom attended Williams for two years with the class of '98.

1904—John S. Hamilton has recently been appointed assistant credit manager of the Van Norden Trust Co., Fifth Avenue and 60th St., New York city.

1904—Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Elsie Lincoln of Hartford, Conn., to Bertrand Rockwell Clarke. Mr. Clarke is in the engine construction business in Kansas City.

1904—Douglas G. Crawford is teaching the eighth grade in the Chicago Latin school.

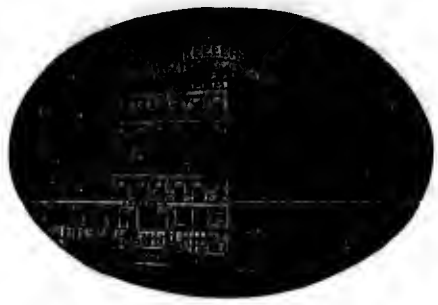
Ex-'06—Sercomb has entered the mining machinery business at Harrisburg, Arizona.

OBITUARIES

'63—Rev. Myron Samuel Dudley, secretary of the class of 1863, died suddenly November 17 at his home in Newington, N. H., where he had been minister for about four years. Rev. Mr. Dudley was born in Peru, Vt., Feb. 20, 1837, and prepared for college at Burr and Burton seminary, Manchester, Vt. Graduating from Williams in '63 he went to war, serving successively as private, sergeant, lieutenant and captain of the 5th Vermont regiment, U. S. V. He was wounded in the battle of The Wilderness. Mr. Dudley graduated from Union Theological seminary in 1869. Since that time he was a pastor at Otego, N. Y., Peacham, Vt., and Cromwell, Conn.

'94—Rev. Gavin Hamilton Wright died suddenly at his home in Fairfield, Neb., on Friday, Nov. 24. Mr. Wright was born in Fitchburg in 1872. He graduated from Williams in 1894 and from Andover Theological seminary in 1898. For five years Mr. Wright was pastor of the Greendale Union church in Worcester, and since 1903 has been pastor of a church in Fairfield, Neb. On June 15, 1903, he married Miss Bertha L. Gleason of Worcester, who survives him.

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FOR RATIFICATION

Gargoyle Presents Anti-Combination Agreement for Renewal

The agreement, under which the undergraduates of Williams bound themselves for one year to enter into no "deals" or combinations, expires on December 17, 1905.

Gargoyle still believes that the best interests of the college demand such a method for securing fairness in undergraduate elections, and presents the following form as a renewal of last year's agreement:—

It is agreed by us upon our honor, as students of Williams College, that neither as members of a fraternity or society nor as individuals will we enter into any "deal" or combination in regard to the support of any undergraduate for any undergraduate office. It is understood that a specific agreement between individuals or fraternities is not essential to the formation of such combination. Any violation of this instrument is punishable by the forfeiture of elegibility to any electoral office.

This agreement is to be binding when signed by an authorized representative of each of the twelve chapters and by four-fifths of the non-fraternity undergraduates.

This agreement is to be interpreted in the strictest spirit of the Honor System and is to be binding for one year from the date of its ratification.

This agreement represents the unanimous sentiment of Gargoyle, and the time of its ratification shall be determined by the Gargoyle Committee consisting of Morgan, Perry and Curtiss who shall then notify the college by publishing a statement to such effect in The Williams Record.

This agreement shall be binding upon members of each fraternity as soon as it is signed by their authorized representatives and upon each non-fraternity undergraduate as soon as he attaches his signature hereto, provided that the ratification as above specified shall have been completed before January 10, 1906.

Signed by Gargoyle.

Henry Dike Bixby.
Walter Summerhayes Case.
Edward Allison Clapp.
Eugene Irving Cowell.
William Hanford Curtiss.
Morton Daniel Griswold.
Shepard Ashman Morgan.
Frank Rollinson Neild.
Joseph Earl Perry.
Philip Rising Peters.
Floyd Reeves Smith.

CLASS-DAY ELECTIONS

Officers Chosen by 1906—M. D. Griswold Class-Day President

The senior class met in Jesup Hall Saturday at 1:30 p. m. and elected twenty-four class-day officers. The session lasted all the afternoon. All nominations were by ballot. The only vote that was unanimous was in the choice of Charles H. Brady of Rye, N. Y., for Ivy Poet. Morton Daniel Griswold of Wallingford, Conn., was elected to the position of highest honor, Class-Day President. His preferment was the result of popularity, and at the same time a recognition of his services to the college and his class.

A motion was passed requiring the class-day committee to submit, before Feb. 15, an itemized account of proposed expenditures. The result of the elections is given below. Chairmen of committees were elected by the committees.

Class Day President—
Morton Daniel Griswold.
Marshals—
Henry Dike Bixby,
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Albert Victor Osterhout.
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John Adams Lowe.
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Leonard Lord Campbell,
Alexander McAllister,
Frank Rollinson Neild,
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Shepard Ashman Morgan.
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Barnaby Matthew Hogan.
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George Duryee Hulst.
Class Poet—
Albert Francis Buchnnan.
Ivy Poet—
Charles Henry Brady.
Historian—
Edward Aloysius Kenney.
Class Orator—
Harold Adin Nomer.
Ivy Orator—
Joseph Earl Perry.
Library Orator—
Llewellyn Hartranft Andrews.
Class Photograph Committee—
Basil Dolivar Barlow, chairman,
John Barr Reid,
Albert Harold Wakefield.
Class Baseball Manager—
Richard Newell Barrett.

Philosophy 10 Notice

The final examination in Philosophy 10 will be held on Wednesday morning, December 20, 1905, at 8:30 in the lecture room in the Biological Laboratory. Members of this course who have conflicts will be excused from all recitations on that morning.

H. D. Wild, Acting Dean.

THE FIRST CONCERT

Given By the Musical Clubs in Jesup Hall Friday Evening

The annual fall concert of the musical clubs was given in Jesup Hall Friday evening before an audience which, though small in numbers, gave evident appreciation of the excellence of the concert. For the first concert of the year the clubs did well, only one or two numbers lacking in effectiveness. Every number on the program was encored.

The glee clubs were at their best in "The Little Red Drum" given as an encore to "The Bells of St. Michael's Tower." "A Chinese Tragedy" received much applause, and the substitution of "yes" for "no" in "My Flo" afforded a pleasing variation.

The ensemble of the mandolin club was firm, especially in the finale to the second number, and the encore to No. 1 of part two, "Moonlight, a serenade," was the best number on the program. The banjo club, enlarged and reorganized, showed much improvement over last year. Pevear '07 sang two solos in good voice and Pierce '07 gave interesting monologues on a fisherman's automobile ride in New York and a French Canadian's story of a shipwreck.

The program follows:

PART I

I (a) The Royal Purple Bartlett, '95
(b) Come, Fill your glasses up—Words by N. S. Patterson '96
Glee and Mandolin clubs.

II Sleepy Hollow (an Idyll) Allen
Mandolin Club

III The Bells of St. Michael's Tower Knyvett-Stewart
Glee Club

IV Solo Selected
Selwyn Reed Pevear '07

V Polly Prim S. R. Henry
Banjo Club

VI Fill Your Steins Mittell
Glee Club

PART II

I Spanish Dance Moszkowski
Mandolin Club

II Monologue
Arthur James Pierce '07

III A Chinese Tragedy L. F. Gottschold
Glee Club

IV Medley
Banjo Club

V The Mountains Washington Gladden '59
The Clubs and Undergraduates

CALENDAR

MONDAY, DEC. 11

7.30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H.

8.00 p. m.—Lyceum of Natural History, T. B. L. Prof. W. E. Castle of Harvard lectures on "The Experimental Study of Heredity."

TUESDAY, DEC. 12

7.30 p. m.—Classical Society, Hopkins hall. Prof. Rice will speak on "Roman Sculpture."

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 13

8.00 p. m.—Trinity-Williams basketball, Lasell gymnasium.

THURSDAY, DEC. 14

7.15 p. m.—Meeting of The Record board to elect assistant editor, and assistant manager.

8.00 p. m.—Thompson Course entertainment, J. H. Ellen Bowick.

NEW YORK ALUMNI

Williams Alumni Association Holds First Meeting of the Season

On Friday evening the Williams Alumni association of New York held its first meeting of the year—a smoker, at Delmonico's, New York city. Over two hundred Williams men attended. Mr. Dwight L. Elmendorf spoke on the subject, "The Edge of the Desert," illustrated with telephotographs in color, and moving pictures made by himself during the spring and summer of 1904.

Owing to the absence from town of the president and both vice-presidents of the association, Frances S. Hutchins 1900, secretary, opened the meeting. Dr. Hopkins made a short address, conveying the greetings of the college to the alumni. He also told of the work of the National Immigration conference, called by the Civic Federation in New York, which he had been attending.

Mr. Elmendorf's lecture was vivid and absorbing, and his photographs in color were clear and detailed. He told of his travels in the spring and summer of 1904, in Mohammeden regions along the the eastern border of the great Sahara. In order to secure pictures more easily and to make exposures of sights never before photographed, Mr. Elmendorf traveled in the disguise of a Syrian physician, carrying his telephotograph machine under his robe.

The secretary reported that the association included fifty new members this year.

At a sophomore class meeting held Thursday evening, Slattery was elected treasurer to succeed Waters, resigned.

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Concerning Deals

At the senior class meeting held Saturday afternoon for the purpose of electing class-day officers, the fact was revealed that two tickets, or lists of candidates, had been prepared, one by members of two fraternities, and the other by non-fraternity men. The matter was brought to the attention of the class in a resolution from Gargoyle stating that the anti-combination agreement ratified Dec. 17, 1904 had been violated, in the clause reading: "This agreement is to be interpreted in the strictest spirit of the honor system."

No one will question the intent or high purpose of the senior society last year in presenting the agreement to the college for approval. In ratifying it the undergraduates gave an endorsement to every provision, with the understanding that the maintenance of the contract rested with them. The great fault is that no penalty is imposed. At present public opinion is the only punishment. We therefore present the facts to the college; the incident is distinctly not a class matter. It belongs to the college.

The first list was drawn up Thursday night. The next day one of the three men involved sent the letter given below, to a member of another fraternity. In this way the list was made public. The letter read as follows:

"Dear ——:

"The following dope-sheet was worked out by —— ——, —— ——, and me as being a most worthy slate for class day elections. If you think it a good one present it to your delegation. Understand this is not a deal, as the year vote against deals has not yet expired, and no one pledges to vote for the slate; but in order to organize a good ticket against possible neutral organization, we respectfully present this to your approval. —— will see —— tomorrow. —— will see ——. and I will see ——." Here was inserted a list of the offices to be filled, and opposite, the candidates. The letter closed with these words. "Please don't leave this sheet exposed to the view of the idle and curious outsiders, who might think it is a deal.

"Yours truly,

— — —".

The non-fraternity ticket was drawn up Friday night and was not offered to anyone in written form. The only copy that existed was read in the class meeting.

The names and initials are omitted in the above letter in an endeavor not to do injustice to the two fraternities, several members of which were responsible for the ticket. There is no proof that these two fraternities entered into any agreement of mutual support. In fairness to the candidates, their names are not published. As far as has been ascertained the use of none of them was authorized.

The originators of both tickets are to be condemned for violating the spirit of the honor system included in the "no-deal" agreement. It is simply a difference in the color of the sheep. We can only make an attempt to "separate the gray from the black." Neither, it is evident, has been guilty of an infraction of the letter of the agreement.

There are two reasons why the first ticket is a violation of the spirit. These were presented to the class by Gargoyle. In the first place, the intent of the letter is obviously to defeat in an underhand manner certain possible candidates. This is shown in the combination of names on the same ticket, implying support, and by the fact that fraternities which were not represented were not approached. In the second place, the secrecy in which the matter is broached gives evidence of the underhand intent. It is only necessary in support of thia, to point to the last sentence of the letter.

It may be true that the non-fraternity "slate" was drawn up as a defense against existing organization. From past experience there certainly was ground for fearing this might be general among the fraternities. While the first seems to have been oligarchical and a close corporation, it is true that the second was the outcome of a caucus-like gathering of non-fraternity men, and no attempt was made at concealment. Although the second objection

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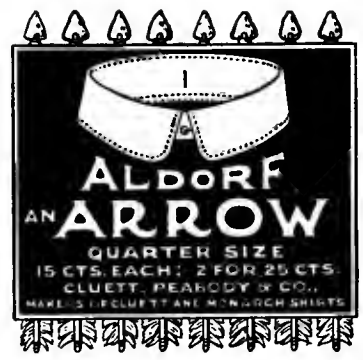
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does not hold, the non-fraternity ticket is open to the first.

In order that the college may look at this question from the other point of view, The Record will publish any statement tending to prove that there has been no violation of the spirit of the honor system. It must be understood that this is the only ground on which the two tickets are attacked.

The action of the senior class in declaring, by a vote of about 3 to 1, that the two combinations formed were an infringement of the spirit of the "no-deal" rule, cannot be too highly commended. The class has taken a firm stand in favor of elections that are fair and square, and, as a body, has shown that it will not countenance any combination that savors of the "deal."

In conclusion we believe that the anti-combination agreement exists for the best interests of the college, and must be strictly observed, if it is to have any force. The danger lies in loose interpretation, which, if allowed to go unpunished, may bring into jeopardy the Honor System itself. The anti-combination contract has been made more specific, and a penalty has been attached. As it now stands, the agreement should serve its purpose, and is ready for ratification.

Williams Scientific Society

The Williams Scientific Association was organized Thursday evening by the ten members of the faculty in the Natural Science department. The officers elected are Prof. S. F. Clarke, president, and Prof. McElfresh, secretary and treasurer.

The purpose of the organization is to to keep its members more easily in touch with the progress of work in their subjects, in the outside world. Meetings will be held monthly.

At the next meeting, Prof. Mears will speak on the chemical side of the science of physical chemistry. An effort will be made to have men of prominence in the scientific world speak before the association during the year.

Dean's Notice

The Christmas vacation commences at 12:30 p. m. on Wednesday, December 20, 1905 and extends through Wednesday, January 3, 1906, all regular college exercises being resumed at 8:15 o'clock Thursday morning, January 4, 1906.

Attention is hereby called to the clause in the administrative rules, referring to absence before Christmas and Easter vacations.

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Patton '07 and Price '09 have resigned from college.

Raven ex-'98, Coxe 1900, Squires 1901, Ely, Stanley 1902, were in town last week.

The New Jersey Essex County club held a smoker in 16 Jesup Hall on Saturday evening.

On Saturday afternoon Prof. Cleland and nine members of Geology 1 explored the Williams caves, near the tri-state corner.

Editorials written by members of English 2 have appeared in The Boston Herald, Buffalo Express, and North Adams Transcript.

The basketball game scheduled to be played at Schenectady on December 20 with the team of Company E. has been cancelled.

A basketball team composed of Durfee, Mitchell, Morrill, Wells 1907 and Watters 1908, was defeated at Pittsfield Saturday by the Pittsfield High shool five, by the score of 16 to 8.

The subject for discussion at the next meeting of the Philosophical club to be held December 19, will be "The Beginning of Morality." The discussion will be opened by Bowman '06.

Brady 1906 attended a general conference of the Student Missionary association of the Episcopal church at Cambridge from December 5 to 8. He represented the local college chapter made up of students who belong to the Episcopal church.

Mr. John W. Waters of the Fitchburg Y. M. C. A., will officiate for Williams in the opening game of the season on Wednesday, and Mr. H. D. Brigham of Pittsfield will be Trinity's official. Brady '06 will be time-keeper throughout the season.

Dramatic Cast Chosen

The parts for the Cap and Bells play "The Man from Mexico," have been assigned as follows:

Benjamin Fitzhew,
Alfred M. Botsford 1906.
Clementina Fitzhew, his wife,
Raoul H. Fleischmann, 1906.
Sallie Graice, her sister,
Clinton deR. Combes, 1907.
Lovenll, warden of the prison,
Albert Jaeckel, 1906.
Col. Rodderick Majors,
Everett L. Hazleton, 1909.
Nettie Majors, his daughter,
John H. Carlisle, 1909.
Von Bulow Bismarck Schmidt,
Walter S. Case, 1906.
Timothy Cook, Tammany deputy sheriff,
Arthur J. Pierce, 1907.
Richard Daunton,
Stillman F. Westbrook, 1909.
Edward Farrar,
Atkinson Allen, 1908.
Louis, a waiter from the Cleopatra,
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Samuel C. Wooster jr., 1906.
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The old class quartette will be here and this together with Gartland's band of Albany, will furnish music. In order to arouse some of the old time spirit, the class has challenged '85 to a game of baseball, which has been accepted. J. C. Hubbell who captained the '85 'varsity will captain the '85 nine, while J. B. Carse will captain '86. Each man in the class will receive a class cap with numerals. The dinner will be held at The Greylock and will be the closing event of the reunion.

The twenty year class graduated fifty-two, of whom four have since died. Members of the class reside in twelve states. Nine have entered the ministry; eleven are practicing law; six are teaching, six are manufacturers and one is a member of the New York assembly.

Result of Debating Trials

As a result of the debating trials, held in the Biological Laboratory Wednesday and Friday evenings, the judges, Professors Maxcy, Mears and Asst. Professor Clark, selected the following sixteen men to take part in the final competition to decide upon the make-up of the 'varsity teams: 1906, Hulst, Nomer, Perry; 1907, Case, Clark, Matthews; 1908, Byard, Groben, Murray, Westermann; 1909, Dodd, Ernst, Howe, Sayre, Toll, Wood.

At a meeting of these men, held Saturday evening, it was decided to hold the final contest for positions on the teams, Thursday, January 11. The question will be that chosen for the triangular league. Each speaker will be allowed ten minutes for his presentation, being unlimited in the time for rebuttal. Each contestant will prepare both sides of the question, and will not be informed which side he is to support until immediately before his appearance.

NOTICE

—There will be a meeting of the Western New York club on Tuesday at 7:15 p. m. in Jesup Hall for the election of officers. All men residing in Syracuse or west of Syracuse in New York state will attend.

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'93—Hugh H. Lansing has been appointed principal of Troy High school, in place of Principal Walrath.

'95—Winfred H. Babbitt has been appointed superintendent of education for the Hawaiian Islands. Formerly he was instructor of Latin and Civics at Oahu college, Honolulu.

'97—John F. Heffernan is manager of a large cotton plantation near Columbus, Ga.

'98—Herman White Fifer, the son of Joseph Fifer, ex-governor of Illinois, and now United States Interstate Commerce Commissioner, was married on November 28 to Miss Courtenay Harlan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cassius M. Harlan, of Bloomington, Ill. The wedding took place in Saint Matthews Church, Bloomington. Mr. Fifer is practising law at Bloomington.

'98—Frederick T. Wood is secretary and assistant to Orrin Root, general manager of the Metropolitan Street Railway system of New York city.

'99—W. M. Rutter is employed with Blodget, Merritt & Co., private bankers, 36 Nassau St., New York.

'99—Herbert H. Lehman is treasurer of the firm of J. Spencer Turner Co., cotton duck manufacturers, New York, and has been elected a director of the United States Cotton Duck Corporation.

1902—Royal E. T. Riggs has recently become assistant corporation counsel of New York city.

1904—Harold R. Barker is at present travelling in the interests of the Textile Tube Co., of Fall River, Mass.

1905—Frederick A. Judson is teaching in the correspondence school, Pittsfield, in addition to his regular employment with the Eaton-Hurlbut Paper Co. there.

Ex-'06—Becker has entered Syracuse university in the class of 1907 and is studying law.

Ex-'06—Westervelt is employed in the advertising department of Munsey's Magazine, with offices in the Flatiron building, New York.

Ex-'07—Pratt has a position with the Chicago offices of the New York Life Insurance Co.

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William Lloyd Garrison

Dr. Amory H. Bradford of Montclair, N. J., spoke before the Y. M. C. A. meeting yesterday evening on "William Lloyd Garrison." He outlined the fight for emancipation in which Garrison took so prominent a part and characterized him among the men of the period as "incontestably the greatest, the greatest as an agitator, and, as will be proved at the end, the greatest as a constructive thinker, always an optimist, though sorely persecuted, and a soldier of the pen, never of the sword."

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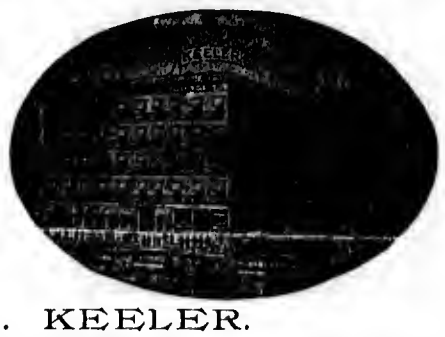
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"	III	1 Goodrich
"	IV	1 Goodrich
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CHRISTMAS MUSIC

Organ Recital Sunday Afternoon—Special Music at Vesper Service

An organ recital will be given by Mr. Salter in the chapel Sunday at 4:30. Mrs. G. E. Howes, contralto, and Mr. J. B. Lord 1905 will assist. The program follows:

Fantasia, "O Sanctissima" Lux.
Song, "Israfel" King.
Mr. J. B. Lord.
Vorspiel, "Hansel and Gretel" Humperdinck.
Christmas Pastorale Merkel.
Air. "He Shall Feed His Flock," —The Messiah, Handel.
Mrs. G. E. Howes.
Fiat Lux, Dubois.

Special Christmas music will be given at the vesper service.

The program:

Prelude, "Largo" Handel.
Anthem, "Nazareth" Gounod.
Curtiss 1906 and Choir.
Song, "The Child of Bethlehem" Salter
Pevear, 1907.
Hymn, "Holy Night" Gruber
Mr. J. B. Lord 1905 and Choir.
Postlude. "Marche des Rois Mages" Dubois

At the morning service the choir will sing "Arise, Shine, For Thy Light is Come," by Burdett, and the organ selections will include the Pastoral Symphony from "The Messiah" and a Christmas Offertoire by Griscon.

Nominations for Deacons

Nominations for the office of deacon from the senior class are the following: Bixby, Curtiss, Griswold, Hobson, Lowe, Morgan, Perry.

The nominations from the junior class are as follows: Clark, Domett, Johnson, Lapham, Matthews, McCleary, Pierce, Warren.

Thompson Course To-night

Miss Ellen Bowick, impersonator, and Miss Muriel Bowick, contralto, will give the second entertainment of the Thompson course this evening in Jesup Hall. They met with great success in this country last winter. Tonight's will be their second entertainment in the United States this season.

Debating Society Elections

The quarterly elections of the debating societies, held last evening, resulted as follows:

Philologian—President, Nomer '06; vice-president, Bowman '06; secretary, McCleary '07; critic, Perry '06.

Philotechnian—President, McAllister '06; vice-president, McGown '06; secretary, Stanley '07; critic, Hulst '06; quarterly orator, Scott '08.

THE DEACON SYSTEM

Adopted by the College—Cowell 1906 Representative at Wesleyan

At a college meeting held in Jesup Hall Monday evening Eugene Irving Cowell 1906 of Ashburnham, Mass., was elected to represent the college at the annual Washington's birthday banquet at Wesleyan university, where he will respond to the toast "Williams."

Dr. Hopkins addressed the college body, explaining the purpose of the election of college deacons. He said that the system had been proposed by the trustees, and has been most successful at Yale. Clark '07 opposed the adoption of the system, bringing as objections extreme indefiniteness of purpose, and encroachment upon the work of the Y. M. C. A. Matthews '07 spoke for the other side of the question. The motion was made, "That it is with the understanding and co-operation of the college body that the two upper classes be instructed to vote for deacons." It was passed practically unanimously.

Botsford '06 then spoke to the meeting, stating that he was one of the three men charged with violating the spirit of the honor system in the "no-deal" agreement in connection with the senior class-day elections Saturday. He outlined his position in the matter and stated that he considered the occurrence to be in no sense a "deal", but merely electioneering.

President Hyde Sunday

William DeWitt Hyde, D. D., LL. D., president of Bowdoin college, will speak in morning chapel next Sunday. President Hyde is the leading educational man in the state of Maine and is one of the strongest characters in the whole body of New England college presidents. He is a graduate of Harvard and received his degree of D. D. from that university, later being given the degree of doctor of laws from Syracuse. He has been president of Bowdoin since 1885.

A speaker whose words on any subject command attention beyond the limits of the audience he addresses, President Hyde has a personality which has won him unusual influence in the undergraduate life at Bowdoin. Williams hears him next Sunday for the first time since 1902.

President Hyde will also speak at the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall at 7:30 Sunday evening.

LECTURE ON HEREDITY

By Prof. W. E. Castle Before Lyceum of Natural History

Professor W. E. Castle of Harvard delivered an exceptionally interesting and instructive lecture on "The Experimental Study of Heredity" before the Lyceum of Natural History in the auditorium of the Biological Laboratory on Monday evening. Prof. Castle used his own extensive investigations on heredity as the basis of his discussion of Mendel's law of heredity, and illustrated his results by some thirty lantern slides. Dr. Castle's lecture may be outlined in part, as follows:

Francis Galton in 1889 was the first to recognize that in the case of certain characters the result of inheritance is a *blend* of the conditions found in the two parents, while in other characters inheritance is *alternative* between the conditions found in the parents. A good illustration of blending inheritance is found among rabbits which differ in size of ear. Lop-eared rabbits have ears two or three times as long and as wide as those of ordinary rabbits. A cross between lop-eared rabbits and ordinary rabbits produces offspring with ears of intermediate size.

Alternative inheritance is illustrated in a cross between the so-called Belgian hare and an albino rabbit, which results in offspring all of which have the Belgian coat. The effect of crossing a Belgian with an albino rabbit is comparable to that produced when two pieces of glass, one transparent, the other opaque, are held together. We see only the opaque one. Nevertheless, the two conditions are not blended, each retains its original distinctness, and the two can be separated again at will. So it is in the Belgian produced by cross-breeding with an albino. The albino character is there, though unseen, or "recessive", and will appear as a distinct entity when the cross-bred reproduces, for it will be represented in approximately half of the sex-cells formed by the cross-bred animal, the alternative or Belgian character being represented in the other half.

This simple principle that, in alternate inheritance, in every instance sex-cells of two sorts are formed by cross-bred individuals, was discovered by an Austrian monk, Gregor Mendel, and it marks an epoch in the study of inheritance. From the fact that

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CALENDAR

THURSDAY, DEC. 14

7.15 p. m.—Meeting of The Record board to elect assistant editor and assistant manager.

8.00 p. m.—Thompson course entertainment, J. H. Ellen and Muriel Bowick.

SATURDAY, DEC. 16

8.00 p. m.—Williams-W. P. I. basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

SUNDAY, DEC. 17

10.30 a. m.—President William DeWitt Hyde, D. D., L. L. D., of Bowdoin, will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

4.30 p. m.—Organ recital, chapel.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. President Hyde will speak.

TRINITY CANCELS

Visitors Miss Connections—'Varsity Plays Fast Game Against Scrub

The basketball game to have been played in Lasell Gymnasium last evening between Williams and Trinity was cancelled by the visitors. The Trinity five missed train connections at Springfield, and, while telegraphing to Williamstown to see if a game was possible later in the evening, missed connections which would have brought them here at 9:19. The place of the game will be taken on the schedule by a contest with some team in Williamstown on Jan. 24, the open date which was to have been filled by an out-of-town game, so that holders of season tickets will lose nothing by the cancellation.

The 'varsity and scrub played a practice game last evening for 35 minutes. Although the scrub played fast, after the first few minutes the 'varsity had everything their own way. The 'varsity was at times inaccurate in passing, but kept the ball near its own goal constantly. At breaking away and shooting the five were in good form, and few of the scrub's passes, after the center of the floor had been passed, were not intercepted. Cowell played a wonderful game, was everywhere on the floor, and passed, caught and shot with more than usual brilliancy. Of the many sensational baskets shot, his one-hand toss from a mix-up near the center of the floor was the best. Crawford '09, who played at guard on the 'varsity, although at times weak in comparison with the other members of the five in catching and shooting, in general handled the ball cleanly, passed coolly, blocked well as back guard and was at times nearly as fast as the four veterans. Appell shot a pretty basket for the scrub and Allen played well.

The line-up follows:

'Varsity		Scrub
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Tower c,	c,	Durfee
Crawford lg,	rf,	Stewart
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The Anti-Combination Agreement

The recent misunderstanding in regard to the interpretation of the anti-combination agreement made it evident that changes were necessary in the compact. Since the last issue of The Record the agreement has undergone several alterations and is now presented to the college in a more definite and tangible form. If it is ratified, we believe there should be no more opportunity of splitting hairs on electioneering and "deals." Every man should know exactly how far he can proceed in furthering the election of any candidate. If a violation of the contract is charged, the college should be able to reach a conclusion without quibbling over the meaning of a combination.

An exact definition of a "deal" could be framed to apply to all elections except the three athletic managerships. Electioneering could be limited or prohibited. In these elections by the college, however, electioneering in one form or another seems to be necessary. Assuming that fitness and not popularity should determine the choice, it often happens that the best man is defeated because his candidacy has not been made known to the college until just before the meeting. Too often electioneering transgresses the spirit of the anti-combination agreement, and takes the form of pledging votes. To obviate this, it has been suggested that the names of candidates be published in this paper. It is doubtful if this would entirely do away with the objectionable feature. Not to go farther into the question of managerships, the fault seems to lie in the present method of election, which should be, to some extent at least, competitive.

In smaller organizations, as a class or club, a candidate's qualifications for office should be known well enough not to necessitate electioneering in any form. In the agreement as it is now framed, no discrimination is made in the two classes of elections. We must assume, therefore, that the announcement that a candidate is "running" is allowed in both cases, as it has been in the past.

The first important change is seen in Article 2, which states that it is "possible for a 'deal' or combination to exist without any specific agreement between the parties concerned." This means that in announcing a candidate's name, support for another candidate in the same election or at some future time cannot be inferred. Pledging support is, of course, a direct violation. Furthermore, the compact must be interpreted to mean that votes cannot be solicited; it is not allowed to go beyond a simple announcement of candidacy.

That there has been no penalty was the principal weakness heretofore. With public opinion the only punishment violation of the agreement would not be checked. Article 4 now reads, "That violation of the compact be punishable by the forfeiture of eligibility to any electoral office." Obviously it is impossible to do more than this. Unlike the Honor System, the contract is solely a mutual agreement among the undergraduates. Since every office of value is elective, the penalty is not too light. The result in case of conviction would be ruinous to the standing of a fraternity. To the individual the loss of the practical advantages of taking part in undergraduate activities would alone be sufficient punishment.

The agreement need not be signed in the fall by non-fraternity members of the entering class, but can exist by custom on the same basis as the Honor System, which is applied before it is interpreted.

From Mrs. Thompson

J. A. Lowe 1906, chairman of the committee appointed to send to Mrs. F. F. Thompson a testimonial, as evidence of the appreciation of the student body for her gift to the college of the new chapel, has received the following letter:

283 Madison Avenue, New York,
December 11, 1905.

Mr. John Adams Lowe,

Dear Sir:

I thank you most sincerely for your kind note that came with the beautiful testimonial from the students of Williams College. Will you say to them that their testimonial pleases me beyond measure.

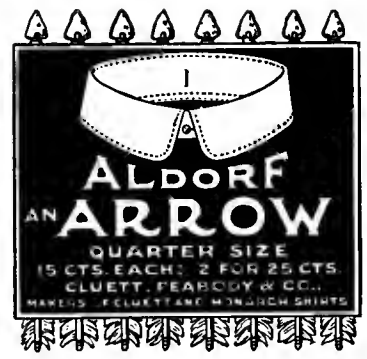
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ROMAN SCULPTURE

Prof. Rice Before Classical Society —Contrast with Grecian Art

The regular meeting of the classical society was held in 13 Hopkins Hall Tuesday evening, and wns addressed by Prof. Rice on the subject "Roman sculpture." The lecture was illustrated by stereopticon slides.

Prof. Rice introduced his lecture by a short resume of the theory of art, stating that the public demand in art an interesting story, while to the artist himself the story is of secondary interest. Again, modern Greek and Latin scholars look back with shame at the humanists, but no moderns are nshamed of Donatello. This shows that art is truly enduring. If the story was of the importance which the public give it, art would not have lasted. We cannot, then, obtain the utmost from a work of art if we do not see it with the artist's eye. For the artist, as Goethe said, the main thing is not the "was" but the "wie."

That Roman sculpture is popularly considered merely a tag end of Greek sculpture comes from the fact that writers have been more occupied by the "what", the subject, than the "how", the language of the subject. No art has ever suffered more in this way than the Roman. The subject matter of Greek sculpture is richer than the subject matter of Roman, and this has blinded us to the excellence of its own which Roman sculpture has. The Roman genius was practical and especially sensitive to the relentless power of matter itself, the power from realism.

In Greek portraiture of the classic period the face was not a very faithful likeness, and, although improvement was made in the later Hellenistic period, Roman portraits were almost modern in their realism. In relief work the Greeks worked on one plane, with no background or pers ective, while in Roman art, a sense of reality was introduced by the use of different planes. The beginning of actual perspective was marked by the shadow effects in the Arch of Titus, while in reliefs of the Antonine age an actual illusion of atmosphere was gained by the deft handling of the background. Even in the more minor point of the use of ornament, the Romans again showed a great advance in the technical handling of the subject. In these principles the Romans laid the foundations for Renaissance art as seen in the bronze doors of Ghiberti.

In conclusion, brief mention must be made of the aqueducts, characteristic as showing the Romans' sense of the power of matter, a sense greater than that of any other nation, even the Egyptian.

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Lecture on Heredity

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cross-bred animals and plants form sexual elements of two sorts, and that the two sorts are equally numerous, it follows that among their offspring, dominant and recessive individuals will occur in definite proportions. It has been found by experiment that when two cross-bred dominant animals are mated, the offspring consist of a mixture of dominant with recessive individuals in approximately the proportions. three dominant to one recessive, and further, when a hybrid dominant is mated with a recessive animal, half the offspring are hybrid dominants and half recessives. The proportions of necessity result provided neither sort has a greater affinity for one kind than for the other.

The lecture was followed by an informal discussion.

COLLEGE NOTES

Halley '06 has returned to college after a month's absence on account of illness.

A part of the electric lights in the gymnasium were in use for the first time last evening.

Dean Ferry has written that he hopes to be able to return from abroad in three months, when his health will probably permit him to take up his duties again.

The Church Students Missionary association met Tuesday evening and considered plans for a course of study in missions. Brady '06 gave a report of the Boston convention of the association, to which he was a delegate.

The Western New York club, composed of men living west of Syracuse, was reorganized Tuesday evening. The following officers were elected: Loomis '06, president; Hompe '07, vice-president; Groben '08, secretary; Cole '07, treasurer. A committee was appointed to make arrangements for a banquet to be held after the Christmas vacation.

NOTICES

—The Lit. Board will meet Saturday evening, December 16th, to consider manuscript for the January Lit. All contributions intended for this number must be handed to a member of the Board or left at 6 East College before 5:30 p. m. on the above date.

—Students! Stocking '07 wants to handle your trunks. Drop him a postal or call him up at 16-2, and your trunk will be at the station when you are ready to go.
(Adv.)

Class Prayer Meetings

The subject for the class prayer meetings to be held in Jesup Hall tomorrow evening, is "The child-like heart," Matt. 10:13-16, Luke 1:46-55. The leaders will be the following: 1906, Lowe; 1907, Wilder; 1908, Walker; 1909, Rowland.

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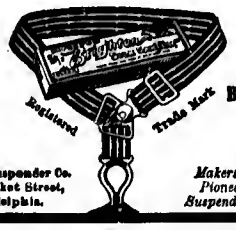
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ALUMNI NEWS

'59—Rev. Robert Weeks, D. D., the oldest living rector of St. John's Episcopal church of North Adams, delivered an historical sermon last Sunday at the exercises in connection with the fiftieth anniversary of the church.

'59—Dr. Washington Gladden has just written a book published by McClure, Phillips & Co., called "The New Idolatry." This volume includes the author's protest against "tainted money," and is a splendid appeal for a revival of ethical idealism in national life.

'70—Francis E. Leupp, commissioner of Indian affairs, reports that he is taking steps to preserve what is best in Indian music. A supervisor of native music has been appointed.

'72—Isaac Henderson has been appointed one of the five chamberlains in attendance on the Pope.

'98—Dr. James Thomas Buckley of Marlboro, Mass., and Miss Minnie E. Harrington were married in the church of the Immaculate Conception, of Marlboro, on Wednesday, November 29.

1901—A. L. Goodwillie was on Dec. 5 elected Mayor of Bend, Oregon, for a second term. The Portland "Oregonian" states that he is the youngest man west of the Rocky mountains holding this office. Goodwillie is interested in development work in central Oregon, and is president of the Bend Mercantile Co., the Bend Water Light and Power Co., and the Central Oregon Banking Co., vice-president of the Deschutes Telephone and Telegraph Co., and secretary and treasurer of the Bend Saw Mill Co., and of the Pilot Butte Development Co.

1902—Paul E. Emerson has recently been promoted to be assistant division superintendent of the Detroit United Electric Railroads.

1903—James A. Hatch has entered the law offices of Joline, Larkin and Rathbone, at 54 Wall St., New York.

Ex-'05—Wilson S. Boice has resigned his position with the Baldwin Locomotive Works at Philadelphia, and is now engaged in the lumber business.

Ex-'05—Ralph E. McMillin, editor of the sporting department of the Boston Record, has taken a position on the staff of the Boston Herald.

1905—Barrett R. Wellington has been elected president of the junior class at Albany Law school.

Ex-'06—The engagement is announced of Arthur P. Van Schaick, freshman president of the class of 1906, to Miss Helen Boulton of Highland Park, Ill., daughter of Mr. George D. Boulton, vice-president of the First National Bank of Chicago. The wedding will take place on January 15.

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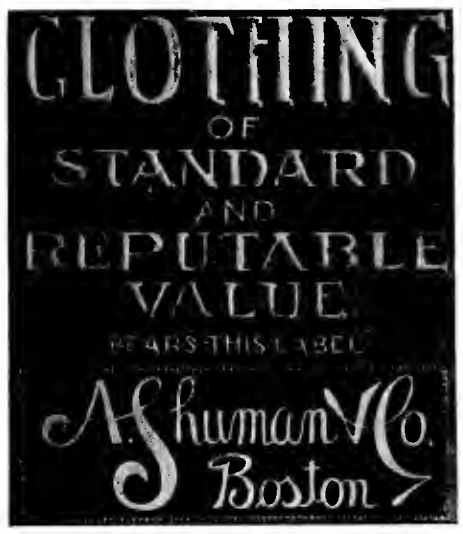
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8:30 a. m.
Art 2 13 H.
Germ. 1 6 & 10 H.
Phil. 1 16 H.
2:00 p. m.
Art 1 13 H.
Chemistry 1 T. C. L.
Geology 1 Cl.

FRIDAY, Feb. 2
8:30 a. m.
English 1 16 H.
Gov. 1 6 & 7 G.
2:00 p. m.
Chemistry 3a T. C. L.
Chemistry 4 T. C. L.
English 9 6 & 7 H.
Gov. 3 4 G.
Gov. 6 4 G.
History 3 6 G.

SATURDAY, Feb. 3
8:30 a. m.
Latin 1 16 H.
Latin 2 6 G.
Latin 3 5 G.
Phil. 2 10 H.
2:00 p. m.
Gov. 4 4 G.
History 4 7 G.
Phil. 3 10 H.
Mathematics 3 2 G.

MONDAY, Feb. 5
8:30 a. m.
History 1a 16 H.
History 2 6 G.
2:00 p. m.
Economics 1 6 G.
French 6 7 H.
Spanish 7 H.

TUESDAY, Feb. 6
8:30 a. m.
French 2 16 H.
French 4 6 H.
2:00 p. m.
Physics 1 T. P. L.
Physics 3 T. P. L.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 7
8:30 a. m.
Economics 4 4 G.
English 5 3 Goodrich
Greek 1 16 H.
Greek 2 16 H.
Meteorology T. P. L.

THURSDAY, Feb. 8
8:30 a. m.
Biology 3 T. B. L.
German 2 6 & 10 H.
German 3 16 H.
2:00 p. m.
English 2 3 & 4 Goodrich
English 8 6 & 7 H.
German 6 1 Goodrich
Government 5 4 G.

FRIDAY, Feb. 9
8:30 a. m.
Anatomy T. B. L.
Astronomy 1 T. P. L.
Biology 2 T. B. L.
Economics 2 4 G.
French 1 16 H.
Geology 2a Cl.
Greek 3 11 H.
History 5 6 G.
2:00 p. m.
English 12 6 & 7 H.
Ital. Renais. 7 H.
Mathematics 4 2 G.

SATURDAY, Feb. 10
8:30 a. m.
Mathematics 1 16 H.
Mathematics 2 8 & 10 H.
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Resolved, that it would be for the best interests of American colleges that no money should be expended for travelling expenses, maintenance, equipment and coaching of athletic teams engaged in intercollegiate contests, except from voluntary, bona fide subscriptions of the student body.

Change in Basketball Rules

Capt. Cowell of the basketball team has received a letter from R. B. Hyatt, chairman of the collegiate basketball rules committee, concerning a change in Rule 6, sect. 4, of the collegiate basketball rules, relative to passing out of bounds.

The letter states that "as the rules stand now * * * * no provision is made for two important cases: that of a player who, passing or knocking the ball out of bounds, regains it before it is touched by another player, and that of a player who passes from out of bounds to out of bounds at some other point and the ball is there gained by one of his own side. It is obvious that a man might take advantage of these omissions to place himself or his side in a position to make a free pass from out of bounds, which is manifestly unfair to the defensive team."

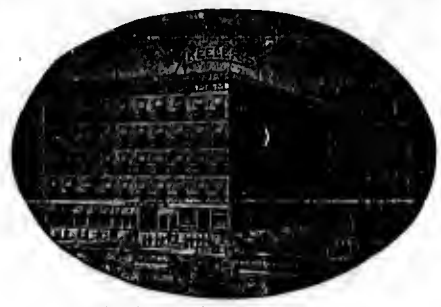
The committee has asked that all the colleges propose modifications on these points, and Williams' suggestions will be sent this week.

Committee of Class of '96

The class of 1896 has appointed a committee of fifteen men, to arrange a fitting celebration of the decennial anniversary of the class, which will take place at commencement. Among those on the committee are Horace G. Brown of Worcester, Edward C. Durfee of Philadelphia, Rev. Clarence W. Dunham of Warrensburg, N. Y., Edward M. Lewis of Williamstown, James W. Reed of Groton, N. Y., Dudley W. Strickland of Denver and Theodore H. Simmons of Providence.

Rev. Frederick A. Alden of Montours Falls, Neb., secretary of the class, assisted by Edmonds Putney, is preparing a class report which will be published in the spring.

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WILLIAMS DELEGATE

Prof. Wild to Represent Williams at Football Conference

Prof. Henry D. Wild will represent Williams at an intercollegiate conference which will convene at the Murray Hill hotel in New York city on December 28, at 10.30 a. m., for the purpose of discussing football reform. This meeting will be attended by delegates of the principal colleges of the country.

A meeting of the Williams athletic council will be held tonight, to discuss the matter. The athletic council believes that the game should not be abolished; the rules should be changed and reforms introduced. Dr. Hopkins' communication in a recent issue of The Record expresses the opinions held by a majority of Williams men. It is understood that Williams' attitude at the conference will be one of conservatism.

Two Faculty Weddings

The marriage of Miss Margaret Louise Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mitchell of New York city, to Dr. Lorande Loss Woodruff will take place on December 21, at the Hotel St. Andrew, New York. Dr. and Mrs. Woodruff will be at home in Williamstown after January 17.

The wedding of Miss Nona Burnett Mills, daughter of Mr. Isaac Newton Mills of Mount Vernon, N. Y., to Prof. James Graham Hardy, will be held on Friday evening, December 22, in Tamarton Hall, Mount Vernon. Prof. H. F. Cleland will be best man, and Mills '08 will be an usher. Dr. and Mrs. Hardy will return to Williamstown January 15.

Gargoyle Agreement Ratified

The Gargoyle agreement, by which the students of the college bind themselves to enter into no agreements of mutual support in undergraduate elections, has been ratified. Signed by authorized representatives of the twelve fraternity chapters, and by four-fifths of the non-fraternity undergraduates, the agreement goes into effect today, December 18, 1905, to be binding until December 18, 1906.

Shepard A. Morgan,
William H. Curtiss,
Joseph E. Perry,
For Gargoyle.

New Gul Manager

John Henry Lapham of New York city has been elected business manager of the 1907 Gul, to succeed Patton, resigned.

AN EASY VICTORY

First Basketball Game for 1905-1906 Won from W. P. I. 46 to 11

The first basketball game of the season, played in Lasell Gymnasium Saturday evening with W. P. I., resulted in a victory for Williams by the score of 46-11. Worcester played poorly, being unable to score in the first half, while the Purple scored ten baskets from floor and one from foul. In the second half with Swain substituted for Crawford, and, after the first five minutes, Stewart for Neild, poorer guarding gave Worcester chances to tally.

The team was fast, and the regulars all guarded closely. The passing was fair for the first game, rarely all that could be desired. The shooting averaged better than last year, except for a brief period in the middle of the second half. The weak point in the playing of the five was the prominence of individual play, especially manifest throughout the first half in a tendency to take too many long shots. Of the new men, Crawford did well for his first 'varsity game. Swain and Stewart did not guard closely, but Stewart shot with accuracy.

The ball was thrown up for the centers at the start by Prof. Russell. Neild scored first on a foul, and a moment after got free and added two points. Cowell shot a sensational basket, and soon tallied again on a pass from Gardner. Seven more tallies were made before the whistle blew. Toward the end of the half the game slowed considerably.

Worcester got its first point at the beginning of the second half on a foul by Neild, and, after three points made by Williams, tallied again when Lawley was left uncovered. Neild, stopping an opponent's pass, caged the most sensational basket of the evening on a straight shot from the side. Worcester got many shots later in the half, and converted three into points.

The line-up and summary:

Williams	W. P. I.
Gardner lf,	rg, Steimer
Neild, Stewart rf,	lg, Martin
Crawford, Swain c,	c, Lawley
Tower lg,	rf, Peters
Cowell rg,	lf, Butterfield

Score:—Williams 46, W. P. I., 11. Baskets from floor, Gardner 4, Neild 4, Stewart 3, Crawford 2, Tower 4, Cowell 4; Butterfield 2, Lawley, Martin. Baskets from foul, Neild, 4 Peters 3. Umpire and Referee, Murray, North Adams Y. M. C. A. Timekeeper, Brady '06. Time of halves, 20 minutes.

SECOND ENTERTAINMENT

An Indifferent Performance by the Bowick Sisters Thursday

The second entertainment in the Thompson course series given in Jesup Hall Thursday evening by the Bowick sisters, of London, was by no means up to the high standard of the entertainments given in previous years.

Miss Ellen Bowick, impersonator and reader, while not equal to Beatrice Hereford, Leland Powers and others who have been at Williamstown in the past, did well in spite of an extremely difficult program. Her voice, although of little power, possessed good emotional range, and met the demands of a program containing such widely differing passages as the scene of the death of Sir Richard Grenville in Tennyson's "Revenge," and the light comedy in the encores, depicting the hardships of family life.

To bring out the dramatic qualities of so descriptive a reading as Tennyson's "Revenge" is difficult. Miss Bowick did not make the common mistake of exaggerating the effect, but by dignified repression in the less dramatic parts, was able to place proper emphasis on the stirring passages of the decision to surrender, the proposal to sink the ship, and Sir Richard's defiant death on the deck of the Spanish galleon. From a purely critical point of view, Miss Bowick's work was here most satisfactory.

In "The French Woman's Story", almost the only number on the program as well suited to American audiences as to English, Miss Bowick at times showed superior character work, although lacking the ability to differentiate the actors instantly by mere intonation. The mimicry of an English woman's French was excellent. Indefiniteness in the placing of the characters on the stage marred the otherwise effective dramatic selection from Dickens.

Miss Muriel Bowick's work was poor. While a deep, harsh contralto voice has great popularity with English audiences, American tastes are different. Miss Bowick's voice had poor tone quality, lacked sureness of attack, and failed to give the proper expression to the numbers selected. The compositions selected (again adapted for English ears), were unsuitable and the amateurish effect was heightened by a poor stage presence.

The program follows. Nos. 3,

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CALENDAR

MONDAY, DEC. 18
7.30 p. m.—1909 class meeting, J. H.
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 20
12.30 p. m.—Christmas Recess begins.
THURSDAY, JAN. 4
8.20 a. m.—Christmas recess ends.
8.00 p. m.—Williams-U. of P. basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.
SATURDAY, JAN. 6
8.00 p. m.—Williams-M. I. T. basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

PERSONALITY

Informal Address to Y. M. C. A. by President Hyde of Bowdoin

President William Dewitt Hyde, D. D., LL. D., of Bowdoin, spoke before the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall last evening on "Personality." President Hyde spoke quite informally, illustrating his talk with numerous illustrations drawn from his experiences in Bowdoin.

The most interesting, most mysterious thing in the world is personality, that quality whose possession gives success, whose lack, failure. Its formula is found in the book of Ruth, "Whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge; thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God: where thou diest, will I die, and there will I be buried; the Lord do so to me, and more also, if ought but death part thee and me."

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Work is the best place in the world to get this secret. Whatever you are, be able to say "That thing and I are one from this time forth, its fortunes are my fortunes." There is no factory, store or business but will give better education than a college to a man who takes no interest in college, for we must, to get personality, find something to do that will draw us out of ourselves. Goethe's formula is "Wo du bist, sei alles," wherever you are, be all there, be sure that you're all at work.

In no place is this needed more than in Christian work. Christ stands for the best in every department of human life. When we see what Christ means to the world, we ought not to give him any half-hearted support. Paul gave him complete and final devotion, and for that reason is one of the greatest characters in history.

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Record Announcements

The next issue of The Record will appear Monday, January 8.

The Record Board announces the election of Carroll Atwood Wilson of Westfield, Mass., as first associate editor and Arthur James Pierce of Newport, N. H., as associate business manager, to succeed the editor-in-chief and business manager, respectively, on March 16, 1906.

Candidates for positions on the board will be reassigned to divisions after the Christmas vacation, and notice of assignment posted in Hopkins Hall. The first division will meet at 7:00 p. m. in the press room on Monday, January 8.

At the meeting of the board held this evening the candidate having the highest standing in the competition will be elected to membership. The name of the successful competitor will be posted in the press room after the meeting.

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Revision of Football Rules

Since the abolition of football by Columbia two events of importance to the game have taken place. On Dec. 8 a conference of representatives from twelve colleges and universities decided that football should not be abolished but reformed. This can be taken as a formal expression of the opinion of college authorities that the game be retained. The second event was the meeting of the rules committee, at which a resolution was adopted "leading towards opening of the game and the lessening of brutality."

By this action the rules committee shows a disposition to make the changes demanded by the public. The committee is not necessarily forced to do so, for it has been pointed out that, during the past eight years, this body has made every effort to lessen brutality and dangerous mass formations. If infringement of the rules has been due to inefficient umpiring, the blame rests in a greater degree on the coaches who have encouraged such violation, and in many cases on the players themselves, especially where there entered in the element of professionalism. The committee, acknowledging the existence of these evils, has announced its intention of adopting rules that will, in spite of the faults, meet the demand for a less dangerous and more sportsmanlike game.

In reforming football it is agreed that first of all roughness must be minimized and brutality eliminated. It is impossible to do away with roughness without abolishing the present game. The solution of this question evidently lies in severe penalty for intentional roughness. The problem is one of alteration of the rules and the addition of penalties. An Amherst graduate has made several good suggestions, among them placing seven men on the rush line when the ball is snapped. Captain Shevlin of Yale favors shorter halves. Dr. McCurdy's exhaustive plan, considered as a whole, cannot be taken seriously. To require a gain of ten yards on one down would create a new game. The penalties he offers for brutality, however, are not too radical, for strong measures are necessary: disqualification, and no substitute allowed for ten minutes, and two disqualifications to debar the player from all intercollegiate sport for one year. In a recent issue of The Washington Star, Mr. F. B. Whitney, a former Williams football player, makes a plea for the retention of the rush line. His suggestions for changes in the rules are pertinent and would do much to improve the game.

Of all the plans proposed, that by Mr. Bell of the University of Pennsylvania, is the fairest and the most definite. Neither team is placed at too great a disadvantage because of weakness in the kicking department, as is the case in the plan mentioned above. Individual work is not at a premium, but team play is still the test. Something tangible is obtained in the demand that the rules distinguish between "unnecessary" roughness and brutality. The penalties attached to the ordinary devices of "slugging," "kneeing," "piling up" etc., are adequate.

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Mr. Bell's proposal provides that ten yards must be gained on three downs or the ball forfeited. The credit for the ten yard rule, however, belongs to Mr. Camp, who made a plea for its adoption last year.

This at least is something the public can understand. The advantages of the ten yard rule are evident. If teams that are considered evenly matched fail to make the five yards by mass play nearly as often as they succeed, other methods of gaining ground must be used if ten yards are to be covered. End runs and punting are practically the only other methods. The game would then be opened to the spectator. Brutality could not take place except before the eyes of officials. The liability to injury would be greatly decreased, both from minimizing intentional roughness and from the less frequent use of mass plays. President Eliot's objection would be met, for cheating and violation of the rules would no longer be profitable.

It is said in objection that the tackle in the open has proved more dangerous than any other. Mr. Camp has proposed a remedy: "There should be a return to the old style of tackling, at any rate not tackling below the knees and the corollary of the rule, forbidding hurdling."

Christmas Music Sunday

An organ recital of Christmas music was given in the chapel yesterday afternoon. Aside from the instrumental numbers by Mr. Salter, the solos "Isrsfel," by Mr. J. B. Lord, 1905, and "Night of Nights," by Mrs. G. E. Howes, were excellent.

At the morning service Curtiss 1906 and Mr. Lord 1905, took the solo parts in the anthem "Arise, Shine, for thy Light is Come." Processional and recessional hymns were sung at the vesper service, the choir entering the chancel through the nave. Curtiss 1905 sang the solo in the anthem "Nazareth" and Pevear 1907 sang "The Child of Bethlehem." The solo part in the hymn "Holy Night" was taken by Mr. Lord, with humming accompaniment by the choir.

Absences Before Christmas Recess

The administrative rule in regard to attendance before Christmas and Easter vacations reads as follows:

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8. A First Attempt. Encore—A Billetdoux.

On Revision of Football Rules

In a communication to The Washington Star, Mr. F. B. Whitney '97, says of football rule revision:

"A few simple changes of rules would eliminate the evil—mass play—by providing that the full and halfbacks must be ten yards behind the rush line when ball is snapped, that two other men may be on the five yard line back of the rush line when ball is snapped, that no other men shall be behind line when ball is snapped except quarter, who shall not run with ball until passed to another player than himself, that the ball may be snapped directly back to half and fullbacks, that the ball may be passed forward any time before player is tackled, that every kick shall be a free kick, and that the ball shall be called "down" immediatey upon a player being tackled."

Contents of the December Lit.

The December number of the Literary Monthly will not be issued until after college closes. The contents will be as follows:

Frontispiece, Old West College, from "The Centennial Book": The Mercy of God—story, Shepard Ashman Morgan; A Prayer for Christmas, John Adams Lowe; Until He Cometh—verse, George Burwell Dutton; Iris' Well - verse, Willard Ansley Gibson; The Mission of Pietro's Amatis—story, William Mansfield Clark; The Hill Spirit—verse, Bernard Westermann; The Laureate of the Gentle Heart—essay, Stanton Budington Leeds; The Forest Path—verse, Willard Ansley Gibson; The Princess Ygraine—story, George Burwell Dutton: Suggestions, An Evening Reverie, S. B. L.: The Apparition, W. A. G.: Williams of Yesterday. III, Old West College, J. A. L.: Sanotum: Chat, S. A. M.: Sign of the Shears.

The cover will be in two colors and will be the regular design with a wreath of holly in the center, drawn by Hanchett '07.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Dumesnil 1909, has resigned from college. He expects to return next year.

The hockey rink on Weston Field is now open for skating and practice.

Narten 1906, will be an usher at the wedding of Miss Helen Boulton to Arthur P. Van Schaick, ex-'06, which is to take place on Jan. 15 in Chicago.

Prof. Maxcy was unable to meet his classes on Thursday, Friday and Saturday on account of illness.

Rooms 1 and 2 in Goodrich Hall have been completed and are being used by the German department.

Hubbard ex-'07 and Elliot ex-'07 were in town last week. Elliot expects to reenter college after midyears in the class of 1908.

Mr. Lewis spoke yesterday evening at the Methodist church on "Personal observations of the recent Welsh revival."

The freshman class pipes can be obtained from Young or at Bemis'. The pipes are small with "W '09" inlaid in silver.

The brick work on the baseball cage has been completed. The iron girders for the cage and the swimming tank have arrived and will be set in place at once.

The Philosophical society will meet in 17 Jesup Hall tomorrow evening. Bowman '06 will introduce as the subject for discussion, "The beginnings of Morality."

At the gun club shoot on the Taconic club range Saturday afternoon, L. V. P. Allen 1908, made the best score, 23 out of a possible 25. The shooting was at the 20-yard range.

Professor Henry Loomis Nelson will be in New York on February 5, for the purpose of debating against Martin Littleton, the advocate of municipal street railway control, before the People's Forum of New York city.

The tie in the high jump of the sophomore-freshman track meet was jumped off by Atwater, Matz and Horrax 1909, on Saturday afternoon in the gymnasium. Strobel did not enter the jump-off. All three men cleared the bar at 5 ft. 4 in., but missed at 5 ft. 5 in. The bar was lowered to 5 ft. 4 in., at which Atwater failed. After both men had failed again at 5 ft. 5 in., Horrax won the jump-off by clearing 5 ft. 4 in.

To be Opened in 1976

Librarian Charles H. Burr received last week an envelope marked "E-L-3—1776-1876—To Williams college to be opened in 1976." The envelope was received from Rev. John G. Davenport, D. D., '63, of Waterbury, Conn., and was among the papers of the late Rev. Myron S. Dudley, secretary of that class, which were sent to Dr. Davenport this fall. The package has been placed in the treasurer's vault in Hopkins Hall.

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CAPTAINS FOR 1906

List of Leaders of the College Football Teams for Next Season

The list of football captains for 1906 is nearly complete. A list of the captains in the principal colleges as well as in the institutions in which Williams has an interest follows:

Amherst has reelected John Houghton Hubbard '07, fullback, who for three years has been a strong ground gainer and the mainstay of the defense. Hubbard was given a place on four all-eastern elevens this year, among them that of the New York Sun.

Wesleyan's choice is Walter C. North '07, of Syracuse, N. Y., for three years 'varsity left tackle. North weighs 215 pounds, is fast, and effective with the ball in tackle formations.

Dartmouth has elected John Baldwin Glaze '08, quarterback, of Boulder, Col., brother of Ralph Glaze, last year's all-America end. Although he is the first junior captain since 1894, last year was his first on the 'varsity.

Of the "Big Six," Harvard and Columbia have not yet elected, the latter because of faculty restriction. S. F. B. Morse '07, right halfback, will lead the Blue in 1906.

Princeton chooses Herbert L. Dillon '07, left guard, a lineman of three years' experience. Captain J. L. Cooney '07 was renominated, but declined an election.

The University of Pennsylvania captaincy falls to Vincent M. Stevenson '08 C., the brilliant quarterback of the team, who made the all-America eleven as a freshman.

Ray Van Orman '08, left end, will captain Cornell.

In the Middle West Chicago's choice falls to Walter Eckersall '07, for three years quarterback, one of the greatest all-round players in American football. A sure tackler, long punter, and accurate drop-kicker, he was picked for all-America quarter in 1904.

The rival Maize and Blue of Michigan will be led by James S. Curtis, '07 E., who has for three years at left tackle been the strength of the Yost machine. He weighs 224 pounds, is 6 ft. in height, and 22 years old.

Other captains are as follows: Colgate, R. W. Knapp '07, left end; Hamilton, Schwartz, '07 left tackle; Brown, V. A. Schwartz '07, quarterback; M. A. C., F. A. Cutter '07, center; Holy Cross, G. S. Connor '07, left end; Trinity, P. Dougherty '07, left guard; Bowdoin, J. B. Drummond '07, left end; Army, R. C. Hill '07, halfback; Navy, H. L. Spencer '07, halfback; Exeter, Henry F. Vaughan '07, left end; Andover, Fred J. Daly '07, fullback; Syracuse, James P. Stinson '08, left halfback.

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ALUMNI NEWS

'49—Edward G. Beckwith, D. D., formerly pastor of the foreign church at Makawai, island of Maui, Hawaiian islands, has resigned on account of ill health.

'65—Dr. Rufus W. Clark, for twenty-sight years pastor of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal church of Detroit, Mich., has accepted a call to become departmental secretary of the Episcopal Board of Missions at New York.

'81—Dr. Homer V. Halbert is now head physician at Hahnemann hospital, Chicago, and professor of anatomy, and senior professor of theoretical and practical medicine in the Hahnemann Medical college.

'93—Alven E. Duerr, professor of German in the Penn Charter school in Philadelphia, has published a grammar of the German language, through Ginn & Co.

Ex-'00—Allyn R. Marsh has accepted a position with the Howard Waste Company of Springfield.

1900—Pierce H. Russell has been appointed assistant corporation counsel of Troy.

1901—George E. Cullinan is at the head of the shipping and traffic department of the General Electric Co., New York.

1902—Lewis C. Parker has purchased a part interest in the Westfield Times and News-Letter.

Ex-'02—Fielding Simmons, captain of the 1900 football eleven, who was formerly with the Adams Express Co., has entered the employ of the N. W. Halsey Co., 59 Wall St., New York.

1903—Theodore W. Dike is assistant superintendent of the steel furniture department of the J. M. Cornell Iron works, Cold Spring, N. Y.

1904—R. H. Ernst, who taught last year at the Millersville, Pa., Normal school, is now teaching at Culver Military academy.

Ex-'06—Tomlinson is with the newspaper syndicating department of Success Magazine, in New York city.

Dean's Notice

The examinations in Physics 1 and Physics 3 will be held in 16 Hopkins Hall instead of in the Thompson Physical Laboratory.

Henry D. Wild,
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FAST BASKETBALL

Williams Wins from Pennsylvania Five by a Score of 15 to 11

Williams defeated the University of Pennsylvania basketball team in Lasell Gymnasium Thursday evening by the score of 15 to 11 in the best and most exciting game since the overtime contest with Syracuse last season. The Philadelphia five was a shade better in the first half, but lost the game in the second, when Williams began to play harder and faster.

Kiefaber, able to advance the ball as well by dribbling as by passing, played best for Pennsylvania, and Captain Flint was an easy and accurate shot from the foul line. For Williams Tower, in addition to shooting two baskets, kept other men covered besides his own, and spoiled several Pennsylvania shots and passes. Both teams guarded so closely as to render a free shot for goal possible only by brilliant individual work. Williams shot poorly, and at times seemed unlucky. The work of the official was above the average.

Flint shot four fouls and Neild two in the first half before Kiefaber caged the first basket. Both teams missed chances for goals, Williams twice narrowly. Before the half ended Neild scored for the first time from the field for the Purple. Pennsylvania led 6 to 4 at the whistle.

The visitors kept up the pace at the beginning of the second half, scoring three points on baskets from floor and foul by Flint. Tower scored from a mix-up and Neild threw a basket on a long pass. Tying the score on fouls, and now fairly outplaying the visitors, Tower put the Purple two points ahead. Penn. cut the lead in two, but Cowell scored a clean basket on a long pass from Neild, and the game ended soon after Neild had caged another goal from foul.

Line-up and summary:

Williams		Penn.
Gardner lf,		rg, Kiefaber
Neild rf,	lg,	Striegel, McCrudden
Blaisdell, Tower c,		c, Ehlers,
Tower, Blnisdell lg,		rf, Flint, Fitzpatrick
Cowell, rg		lf, Keinath

Score: Williams 15, U. of P. 11. Baskets from floor, Neild 2, Tower 2, Cowell; Flint. Kiefaber. Baskets from foul; Flint 5, Keinath 2, Neild 5. Referee and Umpire, Hardy of Cushing. Timekeeper, Brady. Time of halves-20 minutes each.

THE CHRISTMAS LIT.

Review of the Last Issue of the Monthly by Asst. Prof. Perry

The December number of the Literary Monthly has about it a unique and thoroughly distinctive atmosphere of Christmas. The reader is struck by the fact that it is the more serious and beautiful side of the Christmas time which is brought out. The usual mistletoe story and the jingling-sleighbells poem do not appear and in their places come three excellent bits of work, "The Mercy of God," a story, "A Prayer for Christmas for College Men," and "Until He Cometh," a dramatic poem.

In the first we have a very strong character, John Turner, experiencing for the first time the feeling of dependence. The two things which struck the critic most in reading this story were the atmosphere and the clearness with which the man was portrayed. The method by which the man was lost does not quite seem to fit such a character as Turner. The conclusion however is extremely effective.

The Prayer for Christmas is beautifully expressed; a successful attempt in a most difficult field. There is if anything too much thought compressed into the lines which gives once or twice a somewhat beclouded effect. Absolute clarity is indispensable here.

It is difficult to keep from overpraise in discussing "Until He Cometh." The wandering Jew has always been a figure well adapted for literary treatment, though used a surprisingly few times in poetry. Mr. Dutton has availed himself of this striking character without allowing him to choke out the interest in the other personages of the poem. The management of the blank verse is excellent, the character portrayal of Ahasuerus, Anselm, and the soldier sharp and effective, and there are some really beautiful lines, such as the following:

Vague dreams of joys experienced long ago
Beguile me for a moment, then I wake;
Dim musings of that time when, yet a child,
I prattled in the shade of Judah's hills
And trod her leafy valleys aimlessly—
But that was long, long centuries ago.

The other poetry of the number

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BY A SINGLE GOAL

Williams Defeated by Columbia in a Hard-fought Hockey Game

On Friday evening December 29, the Williams hockey team played the Columbia university seven and lost by a single point, the score in twenty minute halves being 4 to 3. The contest took place at St. Nicholas rink, New York; the attendance was large and a majority of the spectators were supporters of the Purple. The ice was in poor condition.

Williams played a hard game from the start, and at one time in the first half led the home team. Columbia's work was rather loose in the first half, but in the second the advantage of early-season practice was shown by a decided improvement in team play. The game was in doubt until the end. The Williams forwards made a determined attack on their opponents' goal in the second half; only the brilliant work of Easton at the net prevented further scoring for the Purple.

Columbia scored first, shortly after play began, on Jackson's sensational lift almost the entire length of the rink. Jenkins, whose long runs were a feature, tied the score by a neat goal from the side. Rudd's score from a scrimmage placed Williams in the lead. Miller evened the count by a goal shot under the same conditions.

The second half was marked by rough play; Dederer, Miller, D. Brown and Frank were sent to the side lines. After five minutes of play Brady scored for Columbia on a pass from Armstrong. Just after resuming play, Dederer lifted the puck into the net making the score, Columbia 4, Williams 2. Jenkins took the rubber to the net three times, and as often missed by a few inches. Shortly before time was called he made the last goal for Williams.

The line-up and score:

Columbia	Positions	Williams
Easton	Goal	Stower
Harrington	Point	Mayer
Jackson	Cover point	D. Brown
Miller	Forward	Jenkins
Armstrong	Forward	(C. Brady) Rudd
Dederer	Forward	Frank
I. Brady	Forward	C. Brown

Score, Columbia 4, Williams 3. Goals—For Columbia: Jackson, Miller, Brady and Dederer; for Williams: Jenkins (2), and Rudd. Referee—H. Hornfeck, of the Wanderer Hockey Club. Time of halves, 20 minutes.

CALENDAR

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9

7.30 p. m.—Regular meeting of Classical Society, west wing, Lawrence Hall. Reading of Aristophanes' "Acharnians."

I. A. A. MEETING

Discus Throw Retained—Albany and Hoosick Falls Admitted

The annual meeting of the Williams college interscholastic athletic association was held in Jesup Hall Saturday at 2:00 p. m. Delegates were present from Drury academy, Adams, Pittsfield, Williamstown, Cambridge, and Ballston Spa High schools.

The meeting was called to order by Charles Stocking of Williamstown and Hinman '07 was elected secretary pro tem. An entirely new constitution was adopted, and it was decided, after discussion, to retain the discus throw on the list of events. New eligibility rules were also framed. Hoosick Falls High school and Albany High school were admitted to the association.

The following officers were elected for 1906-1907: President, Thomas Slattery of Drury; vice-president, Michael Lahiff of Adams; secretary, Hinman '07; treasurer, Peters '06.

Track Schedule for 1906

The track schedule has been announced as follows:

Feb. 10—B. A. A. meet, at Mechanics Hall, Boston.

Feb. 21—Indoor meet, evening, at the Armory, Troy, N. Y.

May 5—Dual meet with Wesleyan at Williamstown.

May 12—Dual meet with M. I. T. on Brookline Oval, Brookline.

May 18-19—N. E. I. A. A. at Worcester.

All events have been approved, except the meet at Troy, which has not yet been considered by the committee.

Election of Deacons

The election of deacons, held in the chapel the day before college closed, resulted as follows: from 1906, William Hanford Curtiss of Olean, N. Y., Morton Daniel Griswold of Wallingford, Conn., Shepard Ashman Morgan of Rochester, N Y., and Joseph Earl Perry of Shelburne Falls, Mass.; from 1907, Kenneth Stackpole Domett of Boston, Mass., Reginald Davis Johnson of Pasadena, Cal., Arthur James Pierce of Newport, N. H., and Lucius Parsons Warren of Chicago, Ill.

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Announcement

The Record announces the election of Samuel Mundy Meeker, jr., '08, of Brooklyn, N. Y., to membership on the board. The next election from the candidates will take place on the last Thursday of this month.

The Football Conference

The first meeting of the national conference of colleges and universities, called for the purpose of considering the football question, could hardly have been more successful than it was. The convention was very representative, and this coupled with the fact that its action was conservative and fair, and in no way antagonistic to the present governing authorities of football, must give to the new organization exceptional prestige. The conference must be granted the credit of having exerted a powerful influence towards restoring football to its proper place in undergraduate life. In fact, it is not going too far to say that, as a permanent organization, it may in the future be instrumental, if not a responsible authority, in eliminating the evils existing in other branches of athletics than football.

Since the necessity of football reform was first discussed, expressions of opinion that have had any weight have invariably been such as tended toward changes in the rules that would not destroy the present game. Sweeping condemnation of football, with its abolition, has in a great majority of instances, come from those who know nothing of the gridiron contest at first hand; views of this sort are evidently of no value in settling the question. To undergraduates, who naturally enough wish to see the game retained, the position taken by the conference on this point is decidedly gratifying. Captain Pierce expressed the sentiment of the meeting: "We want reform, not revolution." Thus the convention incidentally passed an indirect sentence of disapprobation of Columbia's hasty and unwarranted abolition of football last month.

The conference pursued the only course that was practical, in appointing a rules committee of seven to unite with the present committee. Chancellor MacCracken had a large following in favor of independent action and a committee of eleven. Such a step would have destroyed all hope of uniformity in the rules, and at the same time discountenanced a body of men who have always done their utmost to correct the abuses of football. With the college and university representatives of the country divided as to the best method of reforming the game, the advantage of harmonious, concentrated effort would have been lost.

There now seems to be a reasonable chance of amalgamation. At a meeting of the two committees held at Philadelphia Dec. 29, the general question of rule revision was informally discussed. The attitude of the old board was evidently friendly towards the conference appointees, though action in regard to union was postponed pending further instruction. If a combination is effected, a set of rules will be drafted that will solve the football problem for the coming year. It is not unlikely that the revision would be thorough enough to satisfy even the radical demands of Harvard. Even if the present rules committee is unwilling to unite, more will be accomplished than would be the case if that body had been antagonized and denied recognition. There would exist less chance of wide divergence in the two sets of rules. In fact, it is probable, judging from the unanimity of opinion at the informal gathering referred to, that they would be practically identical.

Though the size of the committee and its method of procedure were the subjects of hot debates, there was no difference of opinion on one point—the standard of ethics and sportsmanship on which the game should be maintained. The conference struck home on the right and wrong way to play football. The resolution concerning the practices "dishonorable and unworthy of an American college or university," are an authoritative expression that will

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The Hockey Team

It is a satisfaction to note that Williams is represented this year by a hockey team which need not confine itself to a schedule of preparatory schools. The recent game with Columbia proved that the college seven compares favorably with one of the best university teams in the country. Though defeated, Columbia won by only one goal, and there was practically no difference in the playing ability of the two teams. In view of the fact that the Williams team had had scarcely any practice, and the Blue and White was favored by almost every circumstance, the game should be considered as a successful beginning of the season.

Contests with strong opponents are necessary, in order to bring about the proper development of the team, and permit it to demonstrate its possibilities. It now remains for the management to provide a schedule, which it is hoped will include the universities and colleges that have in the past few years been ranked as the best in hockey.

Two Faculty Weddings

The marriage of Miss Margaret Louise Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mitchell of New York city, to Lorande Loss Woodruff, Ph. D., instructor in biology in Williams college, took place at the Hotel St. Andrew, New York city, on Thursday evening, December 21. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Ezra S. Tipple of Drew Theological Seminary, assisted by Dr. Harrower and the Rev. Hiram Hulse of St. Mary's church. Dr. Hopkins was among the guests and Mr. Elmer A. Green 1902 was one of the ushers. Dr. and Mrs. Woodruff are at home at 22 Southworth avenue.

Miss Nona Burnett Mills, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Isaac Newton Mills, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., and James Graham Hardy, Ph. D., assistant professor of mathematics at Williams, were united in marriage on Friday evening, December 22, in Tamarton hall, Mt. Vernon. The ceremony was performed by President Hopkins, who was attired in the academic robes of his degree, as were Prof. Hardy, Prof. H. F. Cleland the best man, and Asst. Prof. Perry and Dr. Charles E. Lyon, the ushers. A reception followed the marriage ceremony. Dr. and Mrs. Hardy are residing in the Fernald house.

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Held in New York Dec. 28—Rules Committee Appointed

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A rules committee of seven members was appointed and was instructed to amalgamate with the present rules committee, if possible, in order to make the rules uniform. E. K. Hall of Dartmouth was named as the New England representative. A permanent organization was effected, with an executive committee of seven, including the three officers: President, Captain P. E. Pierce, West Point; vice-president, Prof. H. D. Wild, Williams; secretary, Prof. Louis Bevier, Rutgers.

In the resolutions which were passed after a long and thorough discussion of the question, the conference recommended that "the academic authorities of the colleges and universities of this country hold themselves as ultimately responsible for the conduct of athletics within their respective institutions."

In case the present rules committee refused to unite with the conference committee it was provided that the latter formulate rules under which football shall be played by the institutions ratifying the action of the conference. This committee of seven was instructed to be guided in its action so as to secure (a) an open game, (b) elimination of rough and brutal playing, (c) efficient enforcement of rules, (d) organization of a permanent body of officials.

The morale of the game was discussed at length and a set of resolutions was adopted condemning professionalism, "rushing" and offering inducements to athletes about to enter college, and brutality. It was recommended that "the colleges and universities assume the responsibility for the violation of the letter or spirit of the resolution by our respective football organizations."

At Philadelphia on Friday, December 29, the old rules committee met the newly appointed intercollegiate conference committee and informally discussed the question of football rule revision. The old committee announced that its members could not unite with the new committee without first consulting their respective universities.

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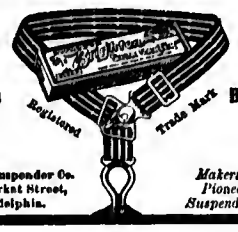
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is of good quality. "Iris' Well" is hurt by such a rough line as: "The mortals' miserable tears," and in "The Forest Path" a sure effect is gained with less effort. "The Hill Spirit" shows very plainly the influence of Shelley. Here a big theme is treated in a way which shows power, and did not vagueness creep in, and at least one slip in the metre, the effect would be quite stunning.

The essay of the number is thoroughly satisfactory. Mr. Dobson's poetry is treated enthusiastically, but appreciation is tempered with judgment. The style of the essay is attractive and the selections are those which a Dobson lover would chose.

There is no space in which to speak of the two stories: "The Princess Ygraine" and the "Mission of Pietro's Amatis." They both have interest, though the plots of both are somewhat conventional.

Lewis Perry.

Death of Ezra Fisk 1905

Ezra Fisk, a graduate of Williams in the class of 1905, committed suicide by hanging at his home in Greenfield, Mass., December 19. It is thought that overstudy and disappointment at being unable, for financial reasons, to enter Harvard Law school, brought on the nervous state which prompted his death. Mr. Fisk had suffered a severe nervous collapse; and on Tuesday morning, December 19, went to his closet and hung himself by means of the cord of his dressing gown.

Ezra Fisk, the son of Dr. Charles L. Fisk, was born at Greenfield May 16, 1881, and graduated from the Greenfield High school in 1900. After working a year in the agricultural store of the Wm. E. Barrett company at Providence, he entered Williams in the class of 1905. He received a Rice Book Prize, graduated with a commencement appointment with dissertation rank, and was manager of the sophomore debating team.

Golden Wedding

Dr. and Mrs. John Bascom today celebrate their golden wedding. Dr. Bascom married Miss Emma Curtiss, in Sheffield, Mass., on January 8, 1856. Mrs. Bascom is a daughter of Orin Curtiss and Caroline (Owen) Curtiss, and is a direct descendant of Miles Standish in the eighth generation.

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Williams Defeats M. I. T. Easily in Featureless Contest

From an M. I. T. standpoint, Dartmouth and Williams must be nearly equal in basketball, for Dartmouth's 30-2 victory at Hanover was almost equalled in Lasell Gymnasium Saturday night, when the Purple led at the first half by the score of 29-2 and at the close by the margin of 44-4. Deavitt 1904 was acting captain of the visiting team and played their best game.

What features the game afforded were given by the Williams five, who shot with much accurney in the first half. Two baskets from the center of the floor, by Gardner and Neild, started the scoring, and the best passing of the year, combined with the usual good blocking, gave the spectators at the Tech. end of the gymnasium nothing but a long-distance view of the game. Cowell knocked the ball in twice from a toss-up at the side of the basket.

In the second half, substitutions slowed up the game, and the shooting became poorer. Deavitt scored Tech's lone 'basket in this half. Cowell played brilliantly, getting free from his man at will, making sensational catches and shooting better than usual. Blaisdell, at back guard, showed much improvement, and used his height to good advantage in intercepting passes.

The summary:

Williams		M. I. T.
Gardner lf,	rg,	Lyons
Neild, Stewart, Appell	rf, lg,	Lamont, Whittemore
Tower c,	c,	Wentworth
Cowell rg,	lf,	Kennes, Belcher
Blaisdell lg,	rf,	Deavitt

Score, Williams 44, M. I. T. 4. Baskets from floor: Cowell 7, Gardner 5, Tower 4, Neild 3, Blaisdell 2; Deavitt. Baskets from foul: Neild, Gardner; Wentworth 2. Umpire, Hardy of Cushing. Referee, Blake of M. I. T. Timekeeper, Brady '06.

COLLEGE NOTES

Currier '08 is unable to return to college on account of illness.

Mr. Collier has been ill in the infirmary and unable to meet the History 1a divsions.

Soudant '09 has left college. He will enter Leland Stanford university.

A meeting of the Lit. board to consider manuscript for the February Lit. will be held Saturday, January 13.

At a 1909 class meeting held December 18 Sayre was elected manager of the class debating team, and Woodruff class baseball manager.

The meeting of the philosophical society to have been held Dec-

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ember 19 was postponed until after the Christmas recess. The date will be announced later.

The twenty-fifth convention of the New England intercollegiate press association will take place at the Copley Square Hotel, Boston, Monday May 21, 1906.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Marie Louise Hammond, of Allston, Massachusetts, to Mr. Elmer Alanson Green, 1902, secretary to the president and to the dean.

Rev. Arthur Gillett, of Hartford Theological seminary, who preached in chapel Sunday morning, addressed the Y. M.C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall Sunday evening on "Obedience."

Mr. Bainbridge Colby '90, of New York, and Mr. Irwin McD. Garfield '93, of Boston, have been appointed to choose the judges for the debates with Dartmouth and Brown.

Charles Noble '66, professor of the English language and literature in Iowa college, has presented the library with "Studies in American Literature," published recently by the Macmillan Co.

In the official ranking of the tennis players of the country, announced during vacation by the ranking committee of the United States Lawn Tennis Association, Asst. Prof. Lewis Perry was placed in Class 5, give 3-6 of 15, with the rank of 19th. R. C. Seaver '00 was ranked 16th, and B. B. V. Lyon '03 was ranked 28th. Asst. Prof. Perry, with G. H. Nettleton, of New Haven, was placed in class 4 in doubles.

Work on the Swimming Tank

The four large steel girders for the swimming tank were put in place during the vacation. Three of the beams weigh 4280 lbs. apiece, while the fourth, which supports the roof, gallery, and running track, weighs 7000 lbs.

The ground has been levelled and graded for the pool. The bottom will be covered with 4½ inches of concrete, this by 1 inch of cement, and will be finished with 1 inch tiles. The sides of the pool will be built of cement 2 inches thick and faced with tile to the ceiling. Along the north edge of the pool will be a platform, 60 feet long, and 4½ feet wide; the diving platform at the east end will measure 15 feet by 28 feet. The platforms will be of concrete, with granolithic finish.

The water for the pool will be let in from a 6-inch pipe at the street end, and will flow into a mixing chamber underneath the north platform. It will take 3½ hours to fill the tank.

The ceiling will be finished in wood covered with white enamel. The room will be lighted with fifteen electric light clusters. Work is at a standstill at present and it is impossible to say when the pool will be finished.

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FIRST BASKETBALL TRIP

Williams plays Syracuse Tomorrow and Rochester Saturday

The Williams basketball team left on its New York state trip at 5:13 this afternoon. The team will stop in Albany tonight, go to Syracuse tomorrow forenoon, and play the Syracuse five in the armory at that city at 8:00 tomorrow night. At 8:00 Saturday night the team will play the University of Rochester in the Rochester gymnasium and will return to Williamstown Sunday morning. The following men will be taken on the trip: Appell, Blaisdell, Cowell, Gardner, Neild 1906, Tower 1907, manager Hobson and trainer Barrett.

The Syracuse five, which Williams meets tomorrow, is one of the best in the country. Two years ago Williams won in Lasell Gymnasium by the score of 25-24, and last year, the score was 14-12, after five minutes of overtime play, with the spectators on their feet and cheering incessantly the last ten minutes. Of last year's Syracuse five all are in college, but Houseknecht is not playing this year. Redlein and Capt. Kirchgesser are former members of the Buffalo German Y. M. C. A. team, the fastest in the United States. Yale was beaten by Syracuse Tuesday night by the score of 19-15, with Powell in the line-up.

Williams defeated the University of Rochester, five at Rochester last year by the score of 30-16, 12 of the home team's points being scored from the foul line. But one man remains from last year and this is their opening game. Both games will be played under A. A. U. rules.

The line-up of the Williams-Syracuse game will be as follows:

Williams	Syracuse
Gardner lf,	rg, Powell, Scully
Neild rf,	lg, Dollard
Tower c,	c, Riehl
Blaisdell lg,	rf, Redlein
Cowell rg,	lf, Kirchgasser

Referee and umpire, Mr. V. V. Roseboro, of the Syracuse Y. M. C. A. Umpire and referee, Mr. Childs of Syracuse.

Mr. M. C. Laughlin will be the Rochester official at the game in that city, and Mr. Childs will serve again for Williams.

Class Relay Races

The interclass relay races will be held on the board track January 29. The captains of the teams are Osterhout 1906, Hurlbut 1907, B. P. Allen 1908, Johnston 1909.

CLASSICAL SOCIETY

Reading of Aristophanes' "Acharnians" Tuesday Evening

The third meeting of the classical society was held Tuesday evening, at 7:30, in the west wing of Lawrence Hall, different members of the society reading parts of Aristophanes' "Acharnians." A brief introduction to the play was given by Prof. Hewitt.

The "Acharnians" was brought out in 425 B. C., the sixth year of the Peloponnesian war, when Aristophanes was but 19, and thus is possibly the oldest extant comedy in any language. The play was the first of three produced to secure the return of peace. Much of the humor of Aristophanes is to modern tastes coarse, and naturally, after twenty-three centuries, some of the Greek plays on words, and sly local hits at Cleon and his demagogues escape us. There are, however, numerous passages in the piece that still raise a laugh, as the dramatist's digs at Euripides, "who made tragedy with his feet in the air," for, says Aristophanes, "that's why his characters go lame before they come before us."

Megarian girls made up as porkers, and a clever verbal sparring match between the warlike Lammachus and the festival-loving Dicaeopolis, add their share of fun, but the part of the comedy best brought out was the dialect of the poverty-stricken Boeotian market-gardener from "Thabes," translated by Hogan '06, ending in the merry scene in which an informer appears on the stage, and the "spalpeen" is tied up in a sack.

The "moral" of the comedy comes in the last scene. Dicaeopolis, who has been pleading for peace, has won over the men of Acharnae, whose vineyards were being laid waste by the Peloponnesians, and is now in a drunken revel. He meets again the wounded warrior Lammachus, the personification of the war spirit, who now exclaims "Oh, what a heavy cost of war have I sustained!"

The following members of the society took part in the program: Andrews, Hogan, Wilbur '06; Bennett, Blagbrough, Durfee, Hughes, Kanter, Loughborough, Murphy, Stanley '07; Aldrich, Ballard, Cole, Deyo, Hodgkinson, Lacey '08.

The next meeting of the society will be held on Thursday, Jan. 23, and will be addressed by Dr. James B. Pratt on the subject "Greek Religion."

THE RHINE

Prof. Rice gives Illustrated Talk Before Art Association

Prof. Rice addressed the art association yesterday afternoon, at five o'clock, in the art room in Hopkins Hall, on "The Decoration of a River Valley," as shown in the Rhine. The talk was illustrated with lantern-slides, mostly from photographs, the majority of which were in color tints. At a business meeting held before the lecture, W. E. McGown '06 was elected president of the association, and R. D. Johnson '07 vice-president.

The lecture was the first of a series of talks which Prof. Rice hopes to give before February. Prof. Rice did not attempt to describe fully the Rhine valley, but merely to give a general impression of the beautiful river, show the difference between photographs and similar scenes as caught by painters, and make clear the interrelation between the work of nature and the work of man. He spoke in part as follows:

The architectural decoration of landscape depends on the work of nature and the work of man. The combination of these two factors worked out in harmony is well shown in the way man has accomplished the decoration of the Rhine river valley from Switzerland to the sea. Even the upper Rhine contains such beautiful spots as the monastery of Reichenau, and the falls of the Rhine at Schaffhausen. The main industry of the valley, making green its terraced banks from Basel to Cologne, is the raising of the grape, although the innumerable sticks supporting the bare vine, trimmed so that all its strength may be put into the grape, give the vineyards a quite unusual appearance.

Above Basel lie the beautiful cathedral towns, Freiburg, with its open-spired church, Strassburg, Speyer and Worms. Mainz, the present starting point of the Rhine tourist steamers, possesses a dignified Romanesque cathedral in keeping with its high ecclesiastical position in the middle ages.

From Mainz to Bingen the country is level, but beyond Bingen come the more famous castles, Rheinfels, picturesque though partially restored, the lofty Rheinstein, Stolzenfels, still inhabited by members of the German royal family, the fortress of Ehrenbreitstein, where the Moselle, with its narrower, wilder valley flows into the Rhine, and Drachenfels, on the highest of the famous "seven mountains." From Cologne to the sea the country is level, and the river subdivides after it enters Holland.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, JAN. 11

7.25 p. m.—Final Dartmouth-Brown preliminaries, Biological Laboratory.

7.30 p. m.—Lyceum of Natural History, T. B. L.

FRIDAY, JAN. 12

8.00 p. m.—Williams-Syracuse basketball, Syracuse Armory.

SATURDAY, JAN 13

8.00 p. m. Williams-U. of Rochester basketball, U. of R. gymnasium.

SUNDAY, JAN. 14

10.30 a. m.—College chapel.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Mr. O. G. Cocks, of The Church of Sea and Land, New York, will speak.

FINAL TRIALS

Brown-Dartmouth Preliminaries to be Held Tonight

The final trials for the Brown-Dartmouth-Williams debates will be held in the Biological Laboratory at 7.25 to-night. Candidates who are not on hand at scheduled time will be disqualified. Speakers will not be notified in advance whether they have the affirmative or negative, but sides will be chosen by lot.

A statement of the question, which is to be the same as that chosen for the triangular league, and the method of selection, have appeared in recent numbers of The Record.

The judges of the contest will be Professors Mears and Maxcy, and probably Asst. Prof. Clark. The candidates will report as follows, in order: 7:25, Matthews, Perry; 7:35, Ernst, Westermann; 7:55, Murray, Nomer; 8:15, Dodd, Groben; 8:35, Byard, Sayre; 8:55, Case, Toll; 9:15, Clark, Wood; 9:35, Howe, Hulst.

The Manning Glee Club Jan. 16

The next number of the Thompson entertainment course will be given on Tuesday, January 16, instead of the usual Thursday, and will be presented by the Manning Glee Club of Boston, composed of a double quartet, a director, and a pianist. The program will consist of three parts, the first vocal selections, the second a minstrel performance, and the third a burlesque in costume.

Musical Club Dates

The Williams college musical clubs will give a concert at the Hotel Ten Eyck in Albany on the evening of February 21. A second concert will probably be given in Pittsfield on the following night. The management is also arranging a trip to New York for the musical clubs during the Easter recess and a concert in Saratoga, the date of which is not yet determined.

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Harvard's Recommendations

Harvard's special committee, appointed to recommend to the university athletic committee changes in the game of football, has made public the results of its work. Prof. White evidently understood the situation, when he said the special committee would "probably take some radical action."

In the rules submitted, it seems as if every possible method of opening the game thus far suggested is included. The ten-yard gain in three downs is of course one of the first. Mass play is prevented by requiring seven players to be at least five yards back of the scrimmage line. These two would together be sufficient to keep the game open, if the first alone could not do so. The others proposed by the Harvard committee seem unnecessary. And further, football would bear little resemblance to the present game, if played under rules in line with the plan from Harvard. Here is one of them. "The ball is to be passed in any direction when the play is between the twenty-five yard lines, provided the player has not advanced beyond the line of scrimmage"—football almost turned into basketball! From this it appears that the ball could be tossed about from one player to another until a suitable opportunity occurred to advance it.

Track Athletics

The schedule of meets announced by the track association for 1906 was published in the last issue of The Record. The list of events is one that will call forth the best efforts of the team. In addition to an admirable arrangement, every possible date of the short season is utilized. One more contest than in 1905 is included in this year's schedule. The advantage of two dual meets before the intercollegiates instead of one, is evident.

For the home event the first meet in May, it is a pleasure to note that the Purple meets Wesleyan for the first time on Weston Field since 1901. If, for financial or other reasons, it was thought inadvisable to place Amherst or Dartmouth on the list, the management has at least secured one of the strongest teams in New England. With M. I. T. at Brookline on May 12, Williams will face a team of such exceptional strength in second and third string men, that a victory can be scored for the Purple only by the hardest, most consistent work, and the most careful training.

With the prospect this schedule presents, it should be apparent to the college that *all* the material must be placed at the disposal of the captain, if Williams is to amount to anything on the track this year. We must admit that, as far as has been shown, there are left in college only a few athletes who are in the first rank. Two point winners at Worcester last spring remain. The Purple is handicapped by the loss of two first places at the intercollegiate contest. To meet the situation, a team must be *made*.

The winter track events are exactly suited to effect this development: class relays in January, the 'varsity relay at Boston and indoor meet at Troy in February, and early in March the Lehman cup contests. The reputation which has come to Williams in recent years through its relay team must be sustained by reversing last season's defeat in Mechanics' Hall. The Purple has again to repeat its victory of 1905, by capturing first honors in the Troy meet—this year an intercollegiate contest of the first order.

The underclass meet last fall is proof enough of the possibilities Williams has in track. It is perfectly evident that, with the present schedule, the season of 1906 will be a failure unless there is an instant and more general response to the call for candidates. At present less than twenty-five men have reported for the 'varsity relay team. We feel certain that the college must have its best representation, if it is to conclude a successful year in track.

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statement of its relation to the college life. The proposition is simple. The college in its nature and from its history must seek to develop in its students an education and culture whose culmination is character.

To the attainment of this end three more or less distinct elements contribute; these forces are classified as physical, intellectual, and spiritual, all somewhat interdependent but more largely separate. The college gives every encouragement to the physical and intellectual welfare of the undergraduates, but to our spiritual education, which includes religious vitality, it pays little direct attention. It is in order to stimulate the religious life here that the Christian association stands. Realizing that the problem of how to live is inevitably before every one of us and believing that upon its solution turns the real littleness or greatness of each man, it is convinced that Jesus alone has perfectly solved the question and among all dares teach men the art of living.

The association is no close corporation; it holds just this, and desires to bring every undergraduate to hold a faith in Jesus as rational as faith in one's father and to follow the life of Jesus as simply and as rationally as one might follow the life of his older brother or anyone else. No intricate questions of theology and no sentiments of mawkish piety enter the case. It is all downright common-sense, the living business of a man; indeed the aim of this association is only that every Williams man should adhere to the great ideal of life.

This is no babble for children. The question of the spiritual life of Williams is a mighty real one. Let no man think it is too simple for *him*; neither does it affect a few, it concerns the manhood of every one of us.

What then shall a man do? Grant in the first place that he has lived enough to care genuinely for the spiritual force of the college, and the question becomes real. The matter of an instrument must then be settled and the Christian association is the only form of united effort available.

It is not perfect, but it can be what men will make it. Its efficiency will depend wholly upon the energy which undergraduates put into it. It will respond absolutely to their touch. Doubtless men will object that they would be glad to put their power into it if only conditions were now as they were years ago. But who can fail to see that before any change can take place some men must take the situation as it is and by their own inspiring life transform it? And it is not to be

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Then if at the end of this term there has been no result why we will have to drop the association and get a better tool. But if more men of courage and determination *will* make this experiment, Williams will be an even better place in June.

To those men who accept no responsibility and to those who believe themselves too strong to care how the Great Captain lived, this will mean nothing; for the rest of us it is a call to serve the college with the best nerve and spirit we possess.

Yours truly,
Wm. Smith Pettit.

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas: It has pleased God in His infinite wisdom to call to Himself the mother of our esteemed classmate, Charles Frederick Gunther, it is

Resolved: That, for the senior class, we hereby express to him and his family our sincere sympathy in their deep sorrow, and it is further

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to him and his family, and also be published in The Williams Record.

Llewellyn Hartranft Andrews,
Charles Henry Brady,
Edward Allison Clapp.

Class Prayer Meetings

Instead of beginning at 7:30 as heretofore the prayer-meetings will hereafter begin promptly at 7:15 every Friday evening.

The topic for this week is The Study of the Bible: Deut. 6: 1—9. The leaders class are as follows: 1906, Perry; 1907, Clark; 1908, Deyo; 1909, Gutelius.

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Track News

Training for the relay teams was resumed after the holidays. Nineteen candidates reported. Hereafter practice will be held at 3 and 4 p. m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons, and at 3 p. m. on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

The class relay races will be held on January 27th, and the showing made in these races will enter largely into the selection of the 'varsity teams to be sent to the B. A. A. meet on February 10th, and to the Troy meet on February 21st. Men who have been in training will be allowed to enter the individual events in these meets.

The events to decide the possession of the Lehman cups will be held shortly after the close of the regular season.

Resolutions of the Faculty

The following message of congratulation was adopted by the faculty Jan. 8. 1906.

"To Dr. and Mrs. Bascom:—"The faculty of Williams college desire to express to Dr. and Mrs. Bascom their hearty congratulations on their golden wedding anniversary. It is with profound consciousness of what Dr. Bascom has contributed to the moral and intellectual atmosphere of the college, of the stimulus ever exerted upon the sympathetic mind, of the eminent services rendered here and elsewhere to varied public interests, of an unflinching devotion to lofty ideals, that these congratulations are offered in sincere and affectionate admiration."

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COLLEGE NOTES

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The senior pictures for the 1906 class-book are now being taken by Kinsman.

The 1906 'varsity basketball picture was taken yesterday afternoon at Kinsman's.

Edward Frank Curtis 1908, of Williamstown, has resigned from college.

The indoor track meet date at the Troy Armory on Feb. 21, has been approved by the faculty committee.

Dr. J. T. Porter has an article entitled "Selective Reflection in the Infra-Red-Spectrum" in a recent number of the Astrophysical journal.

Dr. James B. Pratt has an article, "The Place and Value of the Marginal Region in Psychic Life" in the current number of the Psychological Review.

The manager of the 1909 baseball team has arranged games with the Springfield High school and Hotchkiss school. The dates have yet to be decided.

A meeting of the scientific association will be held at 8:00 o'clock tonight in the Biological Laboratory. Prof. McElfresh will read a paper on "The Theory of Electrons."

Mr. Donald McDonald, coach for this year's Cap and Bells play, "The Man from Mexico," will arrive in Williamstown January 19, and will remain until after the first performance.

Men who are planning to enter individual or handicap track events in the indoor meet to be held at the armory in Troy February 21, must make entries and other arrangements with Mr. Seeley before February 9.

Prof. J. E. Russell has a new text-book, "Elementary Logic", in The press of Macmillan & Co. The book, to contain about three hundred pages, aims to cover its subject in a more tangible manner than has yet been done.

The hockey team had its first practice since the vacation on the rink yesterday afternoon, when twenty-five men reported. The ice was in good condition for fast play. The next game will be played in Springfield on January 19, with a picked team of Williams alumni.

On Monday afternoon Dr. Bascom was serenaded and cheered by students, who marched in a body to his home on Park street during the reception in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of his marriage. Dr. Bascom spoke briefly in reply, thanking the undergraduates for their good wishes.

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Lit. Meeting and Elections

The next Lit. meeting will be held Saturday evening, January 13th, to consider contributions for the February number.

The Lit. elections will occur immediately after the meeting for the April issue, and no man will be elected to the Board who has not fulfilled the qualifications required. These are that a candidate, to be eligible for election, must have five articles accepted, no more than two of which may be "suggestions", and at least one of which shall be prose.

There remain but three opportunities to have manuscript accepted. It would be advisable, therefore, for all men who are seeking the honor of an election to the Board to have contributions ready for each meeting. Those who have qualified should be especially careful not to relax their efforts, as work accepted above the amount required is an important factor in determining the result of the elections.

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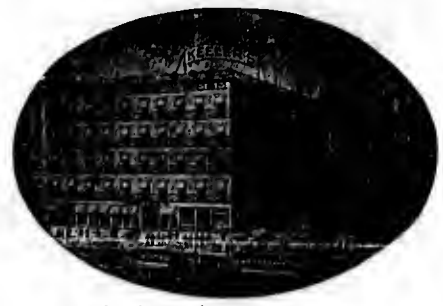
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Before the end of the competition each candidate will receive 2 assignments of editorials, 3 of news items, 3 of college notes. Alumni notes are due as follows: 200 words before noon of Jan. 25, 200 words before noon of Feb. 22, 200 words before noon of Mar. 15: 600 words in all, excess of words in one assignment to count as part of the next.

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FORFEITED TO SYRACUSE

Score 17-17 When Williams Captain Objected to Decisions

Dissatisfied with decisions made by the referee, Capt. Cowell withdrew the Williams basketball team from the floor of the State Armory at Syracuse Friday night, thereby forfeiting the game to Syracuse University by a score of 2 to 0. When the game ended the score stood 17—17 with six minutes more to play.

In both the first and second halves Cowell repeatedly requested the referee to take out time to discuss the question of ruling. This was in every instance refused. In the second half, Tower was pushed over the line by his opponent and a foul was called on him for "carrying the ball out of bounds." Cowell again asked for time to discuss the decision. His request was ignored and a foul was called on Williams for delaying the game. Capt. Cowell ordered the Williams players to leave the floor.

The Williams team played the fastest and most brilliant basketball thus far this season. Long throws to the basket from all parts of the floor and swift passing were features of the play.

The game began at 9:30 and within a minute and a half two fouls were called on Williams, from which Kirchgasser scored two points. Gardner threw the first basket for Williams, followed by another by Neild. Before the half closed Syracuse scored three more goals from the foul line, and Powell a basket from the floor. Baskets by Cowell, Tower and Neild made the score Williams 13, Syracuse 7.

Powell was the first to score in the second half, and Redlein soon added a point by throwing a foul. Cowell and Gardner scored, giving Williams a lead of seven points. Then three baskets by Syracuse, and a goal from foul, tied the score. At this point the dispute arose over the referee's decision. Mr. Rosebore, referee, and Mr. Childs, umpire, are both from the Syracuse Y. M. C. A.

The line-up:

Williams	Syracuse
Gardner lf,	rg, Dollard
Neild rf,	lg, Powell
Tower c,	c, Reihl
Blaisdell lg,	rf, Redlein
Cowell rg,	lf, Kirchgasser

Goals from floor, Syracuse 5, Williams 8. Goals from fouls, Syracuse 7, Williams 1. Goals from field, Powell 3, Reihl 1, Kirchgasser 1; Gardner 2, Neild 2, Cowell 2, Tower 2. Fouls, Redlein 4, Kirchgasser 3, Neild 1.

FOR FURTHER TAXATION

Movement to Tax College Property from which Income is Derived

State Senator W. H. Feiker of Northampton is preparing, for introduction into the Massachusetts Legislature, a bill providing "for some legislation for the taxation of the property of incorporated or unincorporated educational institutions, from which an income is derived." In support of this measure, petitions are being circulated in various college towns, to which a large number of signatures have already been affixed. A petition in Williamstown has been signed by over one hundred voters.

President Hopkins said that Williams college is already paying a tax on considerable property which is not liable to taxation, but such revenue-yielding property as dormitories, is not now taxed, and it is to cover these that the new bill is being introduced. Dr. Hopkins said that further taxation would be a burden as the college is already running behind each year.

Petition for Legislative Rights

In the Massachusetts House of Representatives at Boston on Jan. 11, Representative Turtle of Pittsfield introduced a petition from the President and Trustees of Williams college for extension of corporate rights. The petition asks for legislative authority to posess property yielding an annual income of $1,000,000. The present corporate rights of the college established in 1883, permit it an income not exceeding $200,000, but since then resources and expenditures have so increased that it becomes necessary to apply for further legislative rights.

Boston Alumni Smoker

The Williams alumni association of Boston will hold a smoker at the University club, 270 Beacon street, Thursday evening, January 18th, at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Henry F. Hurlburt of Boston will talk upon certain noteworthy trials in which he has participated. Mr. Leverett B Merrill '92 will sing. Members of the faculty and undergraduates of the college are invited to attend, as well as all alumnni and former students.

Annual dues of the association are $5; single smokers, $1.75. Notice should be sent to the secretary, James F. Bacon '98, 434 Tremont Building, or to the treasurer, Philip R. Dunbar 1900, 70 State street, Boston.

ATHLETIC CARNIVAL

Indoor Meet at Troy State Armory Feb. 21—List of Events

The second annual indoor track meet, held by the Troy Central Y. M. C. A. and four companies of the second regiment of the New York national guard, will take place Wednesday, February 21, at the State Armory, Troy, at 8:00 p. m. The program of the meet will consist of open events and relay races. The open events, in all of which Williams will probably be entered, are the following: 40-yards dash, novice; 40-yards dash, handicap; 300-yards run, novice; 600-yards run, handicap; 1000-yards run, handicap; running high jump, handicap; and 12-pound shot-put, handicap.

To overcome the faults of last year's track, on which no spiked shoes were permitted, a board track, 12 feet wide, and 12 laps to the mile has been built. The only other places in the country where a track like this can be used are Mechanics' Hall at Boston, in which the B. A. A. meet takes place, and Madison Square Garden, New York.

The only relay event in which Williams is to compete will be the one mile intercollegiate relay. In this race Williams will run Brown, if satisfactory arrangements can be given the Providence team by the Troy management. Brown has three of her last year's relay team in college, Thurlow, Kelley and Honiss, losing only Capt. Lamkie. Among the new candidates are Mayhew, of Worcester academy, and Dennie of Williston.

Of the other events of the athletic carnival, Cornell will enter a team in the four-mile relay, and will probably run Yale and the University of Pennsylvania. Among well-known athletes who will compete are S. S. Jones, who won the high jump two years at the intercollegiates, John Flanagan, world's champion hammer-thrower, George Bonhag, the crack distance runner, and Dennis Horgan, former world's champion in the shot-put. Mr. James E. Sullivan, the well-known secretary of the A. A. U. will act as referee.

Last year Williams won the silver cup offered for the greatest number of points. The track management will take a few men on the trip, besides the members of the relay team, and other entries can be made by seeing Mr. Seeley. Entry blanks must be made out by Feb. 9.

CALENDAR

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16.

8.00 p. m.—Thompson Course Entertainment, J. H. The Manning Glee Club of Boston.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17.

4.00 p. m.—Williams-Springfield Y. M. C. A. Training school Hockey. Training school Grounds, Springfield.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18.

8.00 p. m. — Williams-Tufts Basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

THE LOWER EAST SIDE

Rev. O. G. Cocks on the Work of the Church of Sea and Land

Rev. Orrin G. Cocks, of the Church of Sea and Land, New York city, spoke to the Y. M. C. A. in Jesup Hall last evening on the work which that famous church is doing among the "submerged tenth" of the metropolis. Mr. Cocks is a spesker of more than ordinary forcefulness.

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In addition to religious ministration, the church also maintains a doctor and nurse to heal the sick, and a labor bureau to provide employment. In closing Mr. Cocks invited all college men who desire to try actual and useful mission work during the summer to come to his "bailiwick" on the lower east side.

'Varsity Debaters Chosen

Prof. Maxey, Prof. Mears and Asst. Prof. Clark, the judges of the preliminary debating trials, held Friday evening in the Biological Laboratory, have chosen the two teams to represent Williams in the debates on March 3, against Dartmouth and Brown in the triangular league. The results follow:

Team A:—Elmer Philip Groben 1908 of Buffalo; Joseph Earl Perry 1906 of Shelburne Falls; Henry Wolcott Toll 1909, of Denver. James Burch Murray 1908 of Utica, N. Y., alternate.

Team B:—John Kenneth Byard 1908 of Fly Creek, N. Y., Roy Herbert Case 1907, of Canandaigua, N. Y., Lytel William Matthews 1907 of Westfield, N. Y. Francis Bowes Sayre 1909 of South Bethlehem, Pa,. alternate.

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The Syracuse Game

For the second time within a year the futility of having a local official in an intercollegiate game has been evidenced, and as in the first instance, the circumstance has worked to the disadvantage of Williams. At Amherst last spring Williams lost a chance of victory through the ignorance of the umpire; in this case no blame whatever rested on the opposing team. In the case of the Syracuse-Williams basketball game, however, there is one striking difference. The referee seems to have been sufficiently well versed in the rules of the game, but was prejudiced, and used the power which the rules gave him, to help win a victory for his home team. The Syracuse captain is open to the charge of unsportsmanlike conduct in refusing to support the Williams captain in his request that time be called to discuss a decision with the referee.

The referee did not break the rules, although he stretched them considerably. The rules are vague in this particular, that the referee is empowered to interpret "persistent or intentional delaying of the game." If he wished to call a foul merely because the Williams captain asked for "time out," he could do so. The motive which prompted Mr. Roseboro to such deliberate unfairness to a visiting team is an interesting subject for speculation. Two things are evident: Williams played the better basketball and was robbed of the game by the Syracuse referee.

Although the two officials were not connected with the university in any way, and were well recommended, the management will do well to refuse a local referee and umpire in the future. The precaution would practically eliminate the possibility of a repetition of Friday's incident.

The Williams captain was advised to order his team from the floor by all the alumni present at the game. He was under extreme provocation, in that his team was helpless, and it was evident that the official, and not the playing ability of the teams, was to decide the game. Nevertheless, the officials had been approved, whether wisely or not is another question, and defeat should have been accepted under protest. Williams can afford to lose a basketball game, though defeated unfairly. There is a disagreeable term applied to a team that refuses to finish an athletic contest. The Williams basketball five in no sense deserves such a title; at the same time the college cannot risk having added to its name the other that does not belong to it.

Intercollegiate Athletics

For the past few years the subject of athletics has been carefully considered and investigated by college authorities as one of the most important problems in collegiate education. A thorough examination has been made of its effect upon scholarship; at present the amalgamated football rules committees are taking up the question from an ethical standpoint. When the football rules have been straightened out and the game restored to its proper place, it is not unreasonable to suppose that the discussion will turn to the physical benefits of sports and a general reform in athletics. Columbia has already attempted to solve the problem by abolishing intercollegiate competition. The University of Wisconsin is contemplating the same move.

This tendency to restrict athletics is not of recent growth. The example of St. Paul's (Concord, N. H.) seems to prove the advantages of the plan in a preparatory school. There the physical benefits which the students receive under the system are as noticeable as the prestige acquired by the school in producing some of the strongest and best trained men in all branches of athletics. Perhaps in other schools conditions may not be suited to follow this example. Even if it were possible to introduce successfully such a system in the school, where the life is simpler, and the interests and activities necessarily fewer in number than in college, we doubt whether the same plan would be found practicable in the college or university.

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The athletic inclination is weakened by the opportunities offered the undergraduate in other branches. It is the desire to represent his college, and not a small part of it, which induces a man to work for a place on an athletic team. The abolition of intercollegiate contests would destroy the chief incentive for athletic competition. The introduction of the English non-competitive spirit, the ideal solution, is an impossibility. It is an unfortunate fact that the American college athletic team is trained solely to win. One that entered a contest with this as a secondary purpose, would fail of support.

That comparatively few college men accept the advantages of athletic training, is a well recognized fact. "Athletics for the many" is a goal that can be attained without severing the principal tie that exists among the undergraduates of different colleges. The evils which characterize intercolleigate sports are an outgrowth of abnormal conditions. When these faults are removed, athletics will be left in a more healthful and inviting condition for the college student. The purging of athletics will play a large part in making college sports more attractive. Of the other methods of securing an added incentive, the relation of undergraduate non-athletic organizations to athletics is worthy of investigation.

ROCHESTER DEFEATED

Williams Wins Easy Victory From Rochester—Score 31 to 12

Rochester University met defeat by the Williams team Saturday night in Alumni Gymnasium at Rochester by a score of 31 to 12. The Rochester five was outclassed, but played a hard game from start to finish. Their work surpassed that of last year while Williams was not up to its usual standard.

Cowell started the scoring. Tower followed, hitting the ball into the basket from a toss-up. In the first half Rochester threw three out of its four goals from the floor. The half ended with the score 17—7 in favor of Williams.

In the second half Appell was substituted for Gardner. Tower and Cowell played the best game for the Purple. Ramaker threw the only basket for Rochester in this half, but missed six out of eight tries from foul.

The line-up:

Rochester	Williams
Ramaker rf,	lg, Blaisdell
Reid lf,	rg, Cowell
Maecherlein c.	c, Tower
Joy rg,	lf, Gardner, Appell
Van Buskirk lg,	rf, Neild

Score, Williams 31 Rochester 12. Baskets from floor, Reid, Ramaker, Van Buskirk 2; Neild 2, Appell, Tower 5, Cowell 6. Baskets from fouls, Ramaker 3, Neild 2. One point awarded each side for fouls on goal throwers. Officials—Referee, Laughlin of Rochester Y. M. C. A. Umpire, Appell and Gardner.

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The views exhibited are of the cathedrals of Cremona, Palermo, Prato, Milan and Bologna, the Baptistery of Parma, the Fibbia and Albergati palaces in Bologna, the interior of the Basilica S. Maria in Rome, and two views of the ducal palace of the famous Federigo of Urbino.

Contents of the January Lit.

The January number of the Literary Monthly will appear this week. The contents of the number will be as follows:

Williams College, 1840—Frontispiece: The Weeping Rocks—verse, Charles Henry Brady: The Melancholy of Matthew Arnold—essay, Bernard Westermann: Through Wintry Lanes—verse, Willard Ansley Gibson: The Man in the Gallery—story, William Richmond Witherell: The Garden of the Soul—verse, Stanton Budington Leeds: Newman's Apologia—An Appreciation—essay, Otto Baemeister: Broken Reeds—verse, Williard Ansley Gibson: The Other Man—story, Gerald Mygatt: Suggestions, The Battle of the Trusts, W. M. C.; For Sheriff, Bill Hughes, J. B. M.: Williams of Yesterday, IV, Williams College, 1840, J. A. L.: Sanctum: Chat, S. A. M.: Sign of the Shears: Book Reviews.

First Meeting of Scientific Society

The Natural Science Association of Williams College has elected the following officers: President, Professor Clarke; vice-president, Professor McElfresh; treasurer, Professor Cleland.

Meetings will be held the first Thursday of each month during the college year. Discussions will take place on scientific subjects of general interest, and will be entirely informal.

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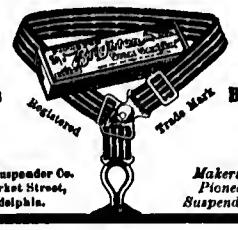
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'76—George B. Wellington has been appointed chairman of the Rensselaer County republican committee.

Ex-'85—Arthur Perry has been appointed selling agent of the Clarke Cast Steel Cement Co., at Shelton, Conn.

'88—Harlan W. Whipple, formerly president of the automobile club of America, has recently completed a summer home at Andover, Mass., called Westbury Court.

'97—Damon E. Hall, has been admitted to partnership in the firm of Hurlburt, Jones & Cabot, attorneys at law, of Boston. Mr. Hall has been associated with the firm for seven years.

'98—Dr. Claude A. Frink has been appointed clinical assistant of the New York College of Physicians and Surgeons. He also holds positions in the Bellevue hospital and the New York polyclinic.

Ex-'02—Tristram B. Johnson has been elected a director of the Society for Seamen, in the port of New York, of which Bishop Potter is president.

1904—Judson A. Harrington has taken a part of the offices of John F. Dowd, real estate dealer, New York city.

1904—Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Sarah Beiermeister, of Troy, N. Y., to William Henry Peabody of Chicago, captain of the 1903 football team and of the 1904 track team.

Ex-'04—F. St. Clair Hitchcock is in the junior class at New York Medical college, and Flower hospital in New York city.

Ex-'04—Walter R. Hard is in the drug business with his father at Manchester, Vt. He has been elected president of the Hillside Golf club at that town.

1905—W. G. Austin is in the office of Tracy & Co., brokers, 40 Wall St., New York city.

1905—Harry T. Watson has returned to Clinton, N. Y., where he is coaching Hamilton in basketball.

Ex-'07—Huntress is in the sophomore class at Harvard univeraity. He expects to return to Williams next fall.

Ex-'07—Logan G. Thomson is superintending the construction of his father's pulp mill at Canton, N. C.

Ex-'08—Bonham has entered Notre Dame university.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Dumesnil ex-'09, has entered Phillips Exeter academy.

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A son was born to Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Webster on Friday.

Spring '94 and Judson '05 were in town over Sunday.

W. N. Daniells, 1907 has resigned from college on account of ill-health.

Prof. Howes entertained his classes in Latin I at his home, Friday evening.

At a meeting of the Lyceum of Natural History held Thursday evening, Clark '07 was chosen secretary. Several new members were elected.

In response to the track captain's appeal, twenty-nine men, the largest number yet, appeared for relay practice Saturday afternoon.

The meeting of the Philosophical society postponed from Dec. 19, will be held in Jesup Hall January 19. Bowman '06 will speak on "The Beginnings of Morality."

Members of English 8 and 9 were the guests of Prof. and Mrs. Spring at their home on Saturday evening. Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" was read.

General-secretary W. S. Pettit was in New York on Friday to consult with John R. Mott, president of the national intercollegiate Y. M. C. A., on the association work connected with the college.

The town fire-alarm whistle is to be changed from the Water street plant of the Boston Finishing works, which is soon to shut down, to the central heating plant of the college. Other arrangements will have to be made for the summer.

The Clark scholarship examination in the minor subject was held Saturday afternoon in 4 Hopkins Hall. The following men took the examination: 1906, Bowman, Brady. 1907, Barton, Buffinton, Clark, Matthews, Morrill, Stanley. 1908, Baemeister, Bullard, Colman, Watters, Westermann.

The following men from the college orchestra will accompany Cap and Bells on the out-of-town trips this spring.—D. M. Hills '06, leader and pianist; Sternberger '07, 'cello; Yarnelle '07, drums; and Nelson '08 cornet. A violinist, not yet chosen, will also be taken on the trips.

The college quartet, composed of Pevear '07, Yarnelle '07, Curtiss '06, and Robbins '06, will give a concert in Pittsfield, Thursday, Jan. 18, under the auspices of the Pittsfield Y. M. C. A. Pierce '07, will accompany the quartet as reader.

Dr. Parsons has mailed to the alumni ballots for the election of alumni trustee for the term 1906-1911. The five candidates are Wilhelmus Mynderse '71 of Brook-

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The coins were electrotyped under the direction of Mr. A. P. Ready, of the British Museum, and were sold by Barclay V. Head, D. C. L., Ph. D., the keeper of coins there. The coins are divided chronologically according to the seven periods in the development of art, from 700 B. C. to the Christian era, and geographically according to the countries grouped about Syria and Egypt, Greece, and Italy. The third period, that of finest art, from 400 B. C. to 336 B. C., is represented by a complete set, the others by half sets.

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Good Government Club

A meeting of the college Good Government Club will be held in Jesup Hall this evening to arrange for political speakers to come to Williamstown and address the organization and any others interested, during the next few months. It is planned to have frequent meetings of the club addressed at which leading political men are to be asked to speak. Ex-President Grover Cleveland has been invited to speak at a meeting of the club to be held within the next few weeks.

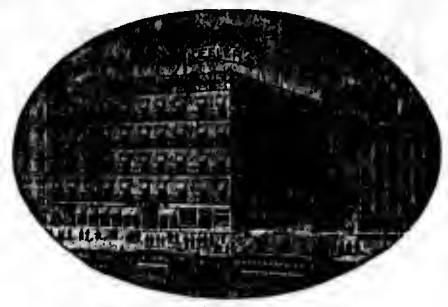
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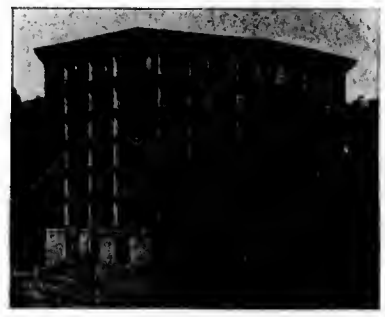


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JACK LONDON TO SPEAK

Before the Good Government Club March 1—Other Addresses

Arrangements have been practically completed for a series of addresses to be given by well-known political men of New York and Boston before the college Good Government club during the next few months, on various topics relating to special branches of municipal reform.

At the meeting of the Good Government club held Monday evening in Jesup Hall, the plan of having political leaders address the meetings from time to time was favorably considered, and it was decided to invite five speakers to come to Williamstown and address the college. Names of several speakers had been secured by Prof. Nelson through the College Men's Political club, a New York organization which has guaranteed their availability. Definite dates have not been set for the meetings, but they will probably be held Thursday or Friday evenings. A letter from Ex-President Grover Cleveland, in which he stated that he would be unable to address the club here on January 30, as invited, was read at the meeting.

Ex-Police Commissioner McAdoo, a well-known speaker of New York, has been invited to address the club at the meeting next week. The week after the mid-year examinations, Frederick W. Henrichs, commissioner of child labor in New York city, will speak on "Child Labor." Homer Folk, ex-commissioner of charities in New York, will be the speaker the following week, and the next Thursday, March 1, Jack London, the well-known novelist and socialist leader of Boston, will address the club. Herbert B. Clark '03, of the North Adams common council, will speak the following week, on "Municipal Ownership."

Professor Nelson, Mr. Clark and Mr. Lewis, will act with Nomer, 1906, president of the club as executive committee in securing of the speakers.

Hockey with Dartmouth

The first game of hockey between Dartmouth and Williams will take place on the Weston Field rink Saturday afternoon. Although this year marks Dartmouth's first appearance in intercollegiate hockey, its team is not by any means composed of inexperienced men, as several of them were well-known players in the Boston interscholastic league. On this same trip Dartmouth meets Harvard at Cambridge, and Stone's school at Boston. Williams will probably play a return game at Hanover.

FLEMISH AND DUTCH ART

Rubens, Van Dyck, Frans Hals and Other Painters of Masterpieces

On Wednesday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock Professor Rice gave an illustrated talk in the art room, Hopkins Hall, on "Masterpieces of Flemish and Dutch Painting." Prof. Rice will speak at the same hour next Wednesday on "Master pieces of French Painting."

A masterpiece, in its strict sense, is a work presented by a painter as the very best he can do in a given line to a number of expert judges, but in another sense the world at large is the jury. The men making these masterpieces express national ideals and capacity in the particular form of art by either national spirit or perfection of technical handling. In photographs of these works this second quality cannot be judged.

Jan and Hubert Van Eyck, for whom is claimed the invention of oil painting, laid the foundations of Flemish painting. The peculiar national feeling of the Van Eycks is shown in their attention to the small details making up the incidents of their pictures, a characteristic realism going far to explain the excellence of Flemish and Dutch portraiture. Passing by Hans Memling, the Flemish Fra Angelico, Quintin Matsys, with his coarser commercialisms, Brauwer, who was the first of the school to paint in broad strokes, and Moro, who added Italian elegance, we reach Rubens.

Rubens' pictures represent his own idea of life, in their splendor and sumptuousness. In later life he developed a particular fondness for subjects permitting him to exercise his fancy as a decorator and colorist. His greatest pupil was Van Dyck, who differed from Rubens in a more smooth and fluid treatment of color, and imparted a greater air of elegance to the features, without sensuous beauty.

A third great painter, of the Dutch school, was Frans Hals, who works with fire, and produces slap-dash effects, but has a wonderful talent for portraiture, giving the sense of the man. Van der Helst, De Hoogh, who painted interiors in brilliant yellows and reds with beautiful lighting effects, and Jan Steen, with notoriety as a painter of low life, follow Frans Hals.

In landscape art the Dutch school produced Ruysdael, with a fondness for lonely scenes, but the great name is that of Paul

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THE MANNING GLEE CLUB

Original and Clever Performance—A Novel Burlesque

The Manning Glee club of Boston gave the most varied program of the Thompson Course in their entertainment in Jesup Hall Tuesday evening. Beginning with a typical program, the second part of the entertainment, a transcript from a minstrel show, was reminiscent of the ten-twenty-thirty stage, while the last, a milkmaid scene in which the glee club appeared in costume, at times came close to comic opera effectiveness.

It is no unusual thing for a college community to have good double quartet singing,—and better has been heard than that offered by the Manning Glee club nor is it at all a novelty to see men attired in feminine garb simulating feminine action,—a dozen times Cap and Bells has done the same thing better. Nevertheless, the entertainment as a whole was a success; it was original, at least in so far as visiting entertainers are concerned, and it was funny.

In the first part of the program, the first of two baritone solos was sung by Mr. Harvey Park, whose clever, natural acting was the life of many of the numbers. By far the most ambitious song number occurred in this part where a quartet on the stage sang harmony to a vesper hymn chanted behind the scenes.

The minstrel show, in the second part, was not up to the club's standard. However, if the jokes were a little threadbare, the work of the two burnt cork artists, Messrs Millard and Lawton, was good, though at times it lacked spontaneity. Their imitation of a pair of slack wire acrobats was a well-executed piece of pantomime

The concluding part was much the best. Lady de Vere's (Mr. Litchfield) impressionist piano playing, and the pirouetting of the petticoated "chorus" at the back of the stage, were especially well done, and the quiet beauty of the closing scene, in which all lights were extinguished but candles held by the members of the club, was effective.

College Quartet at Pittsfield

The college quartet, consisting of Pevear '07, first tenor, Yarnelle '07, second tenor, Curtiss '06, first bass, Robbins '06, second bass, will sing in Pittsfield this evening at 8:00 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The program will consist of college songs, and Pevear '07 and Curtiss '06 will sing solos.

Pierce '07, the musical club's reader, will accompany the quartet and read two selections.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18

8.00 p. m.—Williams-Tufts basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

8.00 p. m.—College quartet, Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium, Pittsfield.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Dartmouth hockey, Weston Field rink.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. President Flavel S. Luther, Ph. D., LL. D., of Trinity, will speak.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Luther will speak.

WILLIAMS NIGHT

President Hopkins and Dr. Mabie Address New York Alumni

The graduates' club of New York city held a Williams night at the club rooms, 111 Fifth avenue, last evening. About 200 Williams alumni and invited guests were present. The music was in charge of Charles L. Safford '92. President Hopkins and Dr. Hamilton Wright Mabie '67, president of the Williams alumni association of New York, were the speakers.

President Hopkins said that the moral improvement today should come from the college graduate, whose tendencies in business are idealistic. Everything, however, cannot be expected from the college man, as many eminent citizens, among them Benjamin Franklin and Marshall Field, never had the advantage of a college education. President Hopkins advocated a combination of all the academic bodies of the country for some really sensible and beneficial purpose.

Dr. Mabie spoke on "A Man's Prime Duty to his College." The essence of his address was that a man is under obligations to his college, since his college is judged by its graduates. Recent discussions have shown that too large a proportion of eminent men whom corruption has stained, were college men. Especially is this true in political and financial life of today.

"The moral standard is low today, and the root of the evil is a genuine lack of the sense of obligation. There is too little sense of obligation on the part of trustees towards those whose moneys they handle, on the part of railways towards those whom they carry, of public men towards men who vote for them. At this moment we do not need knowledge or genius or artistic power so much as just plain honesty."

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Fair Play

If any further proof is needed that Williams was treated unfairly by the referee in the basketball game at Syracuse last Friday, the evidence is given in the communication which appears in this issue. It represents the opinion of all the alumni who were present at the game; their convictions must have been strong indeed, since they felt justified in advising the Williams captain to withdraw his team from the floor.

If the forfeited game stands, the Purple may be forced to relinquish any claims it would otherwise have had to the national championship; at the best, Williams' claim would be greatly weakened, unless every other game on the schedule proved to be a victory. There are many different roads to the goal in the race for championship honors. One of them lies in Syracuse's avoiding the issue by cancelling the game remaining to be played at Williamstown.

It is as unfair to a team that has demonstrated its superiority over every opponent met this season, as it is unjust to the athletics of the college, that such a mock performance be allowed to remain on the records unprotested. Fair play is all that is asked; the facts of the game, in the number of fouls called on each team not to mention anything else, show that the official denied this right to the Williams' team. It is to be hoped that the Williams objections will be presented to the Syracuse athletic council and that the protest will be given proper consideration.

The Good Government Club

A meeting of the Williams Good Government club was held Monday evening. Hitherto the organization has not been particularly energetic in securing speakers, doubtless due to lack of support from the college body. This year the club evidently intends to be more than a name. A discussion of the plans revealed an outline of work that should prove as practical and instructive as it is interesting.

The purpose of the club is one that will not fail to appeal to the college man. We cannot believe that anyone is too busy to give at least a part of his time to a study of the principles of honest government. It has often enough been said that any permanent and substantial reform in politics must come from the men of education and training. The college student has an exceptional opportunity to discuss and investigate questions of municipal, state and national government. It is a privilege he should not neglect if he ever hopes to take a part in governmental affairs, in a city or elsewhere. A non-partisan and thorough discussion of the present political problems will give the discipline necessary to accomplish practical results.

The most satisfactory way of promoting this study is offered in the city and good government clubs, which are being formed in all the universities and colleges of the country. For the reasons given we urge the students of the college to take an active interest and give their support to the organization at Williams. Membership is not limited to upper classmen, as heretofore, but is now open to all classes. As an additional incentive the club has secured at the outset speakers of prominence and ability. The extension of this list will naturally depend upon the attitude the college takes towards the study of good government.

The Yale City Government club has proposed an association dedicated to honesty and competency in government. If the present movement has its proper measure of success at Williams, we suggest that the college organization cooperate in forming such a federation. The advantages of intercollegiate action in dealing with subjects of a religious or physical nature are well known; in the same way, by united effort, can the university and college Good Government clubs best attain their aims.

COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

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ing the recent Syracuse-Williams basketball game, we, as witnesses of it, have thought it well to give our opinion.

The number of fouls called on the Williams team, seventeen, compared to the number called on the Syracuse team, three, would indicate a vast difference in the style of play between the teams. To those on the side lines this difference was not evident.

After the game it was learned that Captain Cowell had twice been refused by the referee the privilege of questioning decisions. This, together with the fact that there was no appreciable difference between the teams in the style of play, led the alumni present to endorse the action of the Williams captain in withdrawing his team from the floor.

This letter is not to be taken as a criticism of the treatment received from the Syracuse team. Its attitude was all that could be desired. But this is simply an endorsement of the withdrawal of the Williams team because they were not getting a square deal at the hands of the referee. We feel positive that this expresses the opinion of all the Williams men who saw the game.

We highly commend the sportsmanlike conduct of both teams and very much regret the unfortunate outcome of the game.

Respectfully yours,
T. G. Darling '64,
H. B. Stevenson '78,
H. H. Hubbell '98,
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Potter. His landscapes are wonderful in distance and in softness of tones, even when he transferred his chief efforts to the painting of animals, with the landscape in the background. But two more painters can be mentioned, Gerard Dou, whose works are finished to a nicety, and Honthorst, who first shows the foreign influence.

COLLEGE NOTES

Swift '01 has been in town.

Baseball candidates will be called out about February 20.

A meeting of the Hotchkiss club will be held after the basketball game tonight.

The glee club will give a concert in Saratoga on Saturday, January 27.

Perry '06 acted as judge last evening at an interclass debate in Arms academy.

Jaeckel '07 has been elected assistant manager of the college golf team.

The annual meeting of the alumni on the day before Commencement will be held in Jesup Hall instead of the chapel, as formerly.

George B. George 1908 of Indianapolis, Ind., has resigned from college. He will study in New York and expects to re-enter in 1909 next fall.

Tickets for the privilege of skating and playing hockey on the rink can be purchased for $2.00 from Schell '06 and Cleveland '07.

The basketball management has arranged a game with Williston to be played in Williamstown on the afternoon of Wednesday, January 24.

The annual tennis tournament of the triangular league, composed of Dartmouth, Wesleyan and Williams, will be played at Middletown May 25 and 26. Amherst will probably enter, also.

Lowe '06, chairman of the senior classbook committee, mailed yesterday to all members of the class blanks on which to enter their records for the books. These should be returned complete before Saturday.

On two evenings next week readings of short stories will be given by the different instructors to their classes in English 2. These will be continued after the examinations, for the benefit of those taking English 3.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Williams Co-operative store was held last evening. It was decided to sell membership tickets for the rest of the year at $1.00. The books showed a membership of 203.

The hockey game with the Springfield Training school, which was scheduled for yesterday afternoon, was cancelled because of the poor condition of the ice at the Springfield rink. Another game

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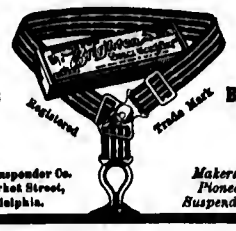
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At a meeting of the 'varsity debaters, held Monday evening, Perry '06 was elected captain of the teams. Conferences will be held twice a day. The debaters will be required to keep training, including early hours and a certain amount of daily exercise.

The management of Cap and Bells announces that "The Man from Mexico" will be presented in North Adams on February 14, and in Williamstown on February 17, during house-party week. Dates are arranged for Hudson, Poughkeepsie, New York, Great Barrington and Boston, but have not yet been approved.

At a meeting of the senior class Monday afternoon it was voted not to exempt the class-day committee from the tax levied upon each member of the class for expenses of graduation. The budget presented by the committee was accepted without alteration. A committee was authorized to arrange for a series of class smokers.

President of Trinity next Sunday

Dr. Flavel Sweeten Luther, president of Trinity college, Hartford, Conn., will occupy the college pulpit on Sunday. Dr. Luther graduated from Trinity in 1870, and from 1883 to 1903 was Seabury professor of mathematics and astronomy in that college. In 1903-1904, during the absence of the president, he was acting president, and since 1904, has been president of Trinity. He received the degree of Ph. D. from Trinity in 1896, and that of LL. D. in 1904. He represented his college at the recent convention of college presidents in Williamstown.

President Luther will also speak before the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall Sunday evening. The subject of his talk is not yet announced.

Class Prayer Meetings

The class prayer-meetings will be held as usual on Friday evening at 7:15 in Jesup Hall. The subject is: The Sabbath; Luke 13: 10-17. The leaders are as follows: 1906, Morgan; 1907, Clark; 1908, Anderson; 1909, Sayre.

Dean's Notice

Commencing with Thursday, January 18th, 1906, for the remainder of the semester, this office will discontinue the sending of postal cards indicating that the limit of absences has been reached, in any subject.

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The convention will have four prominent features. In the first place, the main program will occupy the morning and night sessions, and will include the strongest speakers of Christendom on the various themes to be presented. In the second place, there will be held in the afternoons some forty-five special conferences on the interesting and important mission fields of the Church; another afternoon, on the various phases of work and the different classes of workers; and on still another afternoon the delegates will meet by denominations to consider the world's evangelization from their particular point of view. The third feature will be a large and impressive exhibit bearing on the progress of Christianity in the world. The fourth feature will be the exceptional opportunities for intercollegiate, interdenominational, and international fellowship.

Advance notices sent to Mr. F. P. Turner, general secretary of the movement, indicate a large attendsnce. Students and professors will be present from five hundred colleges, and theological seminaries, as well as more than two hundred missionaries from all parts of the world, state and national leaders of work among students and delegates from the Student Movement in other lands.

The Williams delegate to the convention will be Hulst 1906.

Prof. Rice to go Abroad

Prof. and Mrs. R. A. Rice will leave Williamstown about February 1 and will sail from New York for Europe on the Koenigin Louise on February 3. Landing in Naples, they will go to Egypt, where after joining friends from Harvard, they will ascend the Nile as far as Abu Timbel and possibly Khartoum. Returning to Cairo, the party will remain two or three weeks at the museums and excavations.

From there they will journey to Athens, and join an expedition visiting all the important islands and cities in the Aegean. Prof. and Mrs. Rice will thence return to Italy; will remain about a month in Munich, a week or two in Paris, and a month in London, returning to Williamstown in time for the opening of college in the fall.

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'83—Guild A. Copeland has been appointed editor-in-chief of the Boston Daily Advertiser.

'90—Bainbridge Colby has been chosen by the New York republican general committee, as the executive member on that committee from the twenty-ninth assembly district. Mr. Colby has long been an active republican worker in this district, and formerly represented it in the assembly.

Ex-'98—Almeron H. Cole has given up the practice of law in Buffalo, and is now devoting his time entirely to the trial of accident cases for the Metropolitan Street Railway Co., in New York.

1900—Sydney H. Wentworth has been elected a director of the Exchange National bank of Spokane, Wash.

1901—Albert V. Bensen has entered the employ of Corkin and Co., hardware manufacturers and merchants, Murray St, New York.

1901—Edward S. Goldthwait is superintendent of a branch of the Springfield Street Railway Co.

1901—Ernest T. Suffern has passed the state regents' examination, and is now a certified public accountant, with offices at 76 William street, New York.

Ex-'01—John T. Swift is in the employ of Tuttle, Hurley & Co., cotton packers, at Fall River.

1903—Walter C. Palmer, who was instructor in Smith academy, St. Louis, last year, is now studying for an M. A. degree in Biology in Leland Stanford university.

1904—W. H. Peabody has recently become interested in the Peabody-McPherson Collar Co., of Chicago.

'04—Charles B. Judson has resigned his position in Chicago, and is now taking a course in the Troy Business college.

Acting President of Chicago

Dr. Harry Pratt Judson, '70, dean of the faculty of arts, letters and sciences, and head of the department of international law at the University of Chicago, was appointed on Monday acting president of the University.

Dr. Judson took up teaching soon after his graduation at Williams in 1870; in 1880 he was principal of the Troy High school. Soon later he went west, and became professor of history in the University of Minnesota. He became professor of political science in the University of Chicago, rose to the head of that department and was made dean of the faculties. He received the degree of M. A. in 1883 and that of LL. D. in 1893 from Williams, and a second doctorate of laws from Queens college in 1903. Dr. Judson recently received the decoration of the Order of the Prussian Cross from Emperor William. He is the author of many books, and has received calls to the presidency of at least eight colleges and universities.

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BY TWO GOALS

Dartmouth Wins Hockey Match at Albany by Score of 4 to 2

The Dartmouth hockey team defeated Williams Saturday evening at the Empire rink in Albany by the score of 4—2. The game was close and exciting, but the team work of both sevens was of the crudest kind, and hockey too often degenerated into an unorganized game of hit and miss. This was, however, partially accounted for by the poor conditions under which the game was played. Not only was the light poor but the ice was covered with water in many places.

For the first few minutes of play the Williams forwards made a determined attack, but the defense of the Green prevented any scoring. About nine minutes after play began Richardson shot the first goal and a minute later Brooks landed the puck in the net for a second tally. The Williams team braced, carried the disk up the ice and Jenkins shot a goal from a scrimmage in front of the Dartmouth cage. The half ended without further scoring.

In the second period Williams again started at a fast pace and tied the score after a few minutes of play; but the Hanover seven improved rapidly. About the middle of the half Brett shot a goal, giving Dartmouth the lead, and shortly before the half closed Foote scored the visitors' fourth tally on a long shot from the side of the rink.

For Williams, Stower played up to his usual form, while Richardson excelled for the visitors.

Line-up and summary:

Dartmouth		Williams.
Brooks	forwards	Rudd
Richardson		Jenkins
Foote		Williams (C. Brown)
Brett		Frank
Leighton	cover point	D. Brown (Townsend)
McLane	point	Mayer
Crocker	goal	Stower

Score, Dartmouth 4, Williams 2. Goals: Jenkins 2; Brooks, Richardson, Foote, Brett. Referee, Smith '06. Timekeeper, Scholl, '06. Goal umpires, Cleveland, '07, Jones, Albany Hockey club. Time of halves, 20 and 15 minutes.

Tickets for B. A. A. Meet

All undergraduates wishing tickets for the B. A. A. meet in Mechanics' Hall February 10, can secure same in the Williams alumni section by at once notifying James F. Bacon '98, 434 Tremont Building.

BOSTON ALUMNI SMOKER

Address by Henry F. Hurlburt—52 Alumni Present

The first smoker in this year's series of the Williams alumni association of Boston took place at the University club in that city, on Thursday evening, January 18th. About 52 alumni were present. Henry F. Hurlburt, the well-known Boston trial lawyer, gave an interesting talk upon his court experences, and L. B. Merrill '92, who is now one of the leading bassos of Boston, sang four songs in his usual artistic manner. It was announced that the annual dinner of the association would be held at the University club, Thursday evening, February 15th.

Among those present were Rev. Dr. C. L. Hutchins '61, Hon. R. G. Fitch '70, Hon. James R. Dunbar '71, C. H. Hooker '71. J. S. Kingsley '75, A. F. Amadon '81, Bliss Perry '81, A. D. Dowd '85, G. W. Anderson '86, J. J. Thomas '86, F. W. Fessenden '87, A. W. Buck '88, R. McDonald '89, E. D. Chadwick '90, McGregor Jenkins '90, E. B. Merriman '90, L. B. Merrill '92, H. H. Eddy '93, O. O. Partridge '94, S. R. Spring '94, S. P. Davol '95, F. P. Dike '97, D. E. Hall '97, Watson '97, J. F. Bacon '98, R. W. Dunbar '98, John Barker '99, Carter '99, J. A. Hall '99, Alexander Henderson '99, P. R. Dunbar 1900, R. C. Gibbs 1900, A. D. Jenkins 1900, M. H. Rogers 1900, R. C. Seaver 1900, C. M. Davenport 1901. Adams 1902, S. C. Hauxhurst 1902, R. H. Rogers 1902, R. J. Hastings 1903, M. W. Rice 1903, and C. W. Hubbard ex-'06.

Banquet of Detroit Alumni

The Williams alumni association of Detroit will hold its second annual dinner at the Detroit club on Monday, February 12, at 7:00 p. m. All Williams men are cordially invited to attend. Prof. John E. Russell will represent the college. All expecting to attend are requested to communicate at once with Dr. Ray Connor, secretary, 91 Lafayette avenue, Detroit.

Officials for Wesleyan Game

The officials for the Wesleyan-Williams basketball game at Middletown on Saturday are Mr. Briggs of the Springfield Training school and Mr. Carlson of the Middletown Y. M. C. A. The game will be played under the A. A. U. rules.

REVIEW OF THE LIT.

Mr. Preserved Smith Reviews Current Number of the Monthly

Of the four short poems in the current number of the Literary Monthly, that by Mr. Brady, "The Weeping Rocks," is the most successful. The thought that the rocks weep because the nymphs dance around them no more, is beautiful and poetic, the language is imaginative, and the modulation of the verse is both musical in itself and exquisitely adapted to the treatment of the subject. It may seem hypercritical to find fault with the poetic licence which uses the English plural "Naiads," and the Greek plural "Dryades" in the same line. Nevertheless it is a fault of a class dangerous to a young poet because of its facility.

Mr. Gibson's two poems, "Broken Reeds," and "Through Wintry Lanes," show keen appreciation of nature and are written with a delicate and sure touch. They are excellent contrasts, one being in a cheerful, the other in a somber mood.

"The Garden of the Soul," contributed by Mr. Leeds, is written in rich and attractive meter, which is, however, handled with imperfect skill. The last line brings out the climax of the thought in a manner which seems somewhat abrupt and somewhat artificial. It strains after effect in thought, just as the line "When daylight slipped west through the gloom" strains after effect in language.

Turning to the prose, we first strike a piece of solid criticism on one phase of Matthew Arnold's poetry, by Mr. Westermann. The writer is to be congratulated on the success with which he "disengages that which is best" in the poet, to use Arnold's own expression of the function of all literary criticism. His selection of passages, and his treatment of them shows insight and judgement. It might be doubted, however, whether melancholy is the "most predominant feature of Arnold's verse." and also whether we see the "real man best in his poetry." At least Arnold is better known for his criticism, and it is in his prose, rather than in his verse, that his fastidiousness, his hatred of vulgarity and materialism, (of which Mr. Westermann speaks), is best expressed. In speaking of religion as a cause of Arnold's melancholy, the author shades

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CALENDAR

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23

7.30 p. m.—Classical society, west wing of Library. Dr. Pratt talks on "Greek Religion."

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24

5.00 p. m.—Art association, Hopkins Hall. Prof. Rice gives illustrated lecture on "Modern French Painting."

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25

8.00 p. m.—Thompson course, Jesup Hall. Miss Grace Aspell Dunn as "Becky Sharp," assisted by Mr. John B. Lord 1905.

NEED OF ORGANIZATION

President Luther Addresses Y. M. C. A. on Joining the Church

President Flavel S. Luther, of Trinity college, gave one of the best talks of the year before the Y. M. C. A. in Jesup Hall yesterday evening on the need and effectiveness of organization in religious life.

Effective organization is applied in the twentieth century to almost every form of activity except religious activity. Even in our petty, narrow college life we find organization everywhere but in religion.

Among people under forty there is everywhere a feeling, even among those most religious, that the churches are not of much account, that a man can be just as good without a church as within. It is true that a great many people are just as well off individually by this action, but how about the church? By joining it a person can make himself efficient for righteousness in a way he cannot outside. By not joining it, he is like a fine-carved stone for a temple, kept unused in the stone-cutter's shed; it is less useful, less beautiful because not in its place in the temple, and the temple itself is less strong, less noble without it.

Two plus two makes twenty-two in religion, if you only put it together right. The way to make one's self effective in the war of God is to join the army. Enlist, then, in the regiment of the church, no matter what regiment it may be, and learn how to fight the campaign against sin.

"The reason that a person ought to join some institution of righteousness is not to get divine things from heaven, but to help more powerfully in giving divine things to earth."

Senator W. H. Feiker of Northampton introduced the bill in regard to the taxation of college property, into the Massachusetts legislature Friday.

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Syracuse Game Cancelled

Under date of Jan. 15, the Syracuse basketball manager writes to the Williams management cancelling the game scheduled to be played at Williamstown on Feb. 21, and proposes that the contest take place on a neutral floor. Lack of space prevents us from publishing the letter in full; it contains many curious statements, and in at least two instances conclusions are reached by a novel method of reasoning. A few excerpts will serve to make clear the general character of the letter.

"The action taken by your team upon the occasion of our game here, was anything but courteous, but I will confess, I feared something of that nature would develop. * * * I do not intend to acknowledge nor will I ever that Mr. Roseboro or Mr. Childs were in any way partial. Their reputation alone will bear me out in this. * * * Personally, I do not care to cancel, but under no consideration would I go to Williamstown and submit to any treatment in the nature of revenge. Do not misunderstand me and assume that this is what I expect, for I am sure that the dignity of Williams college in the past would forbid anything of this nature."

The Syracuse manager does not state his reasons for refusing to play in Williamstown. If he intimates as the cause ungentlemanly conduct on the part of the Williams players, he could scarcely have found a weaker argument. It is true that Williams should not have left the floor; a Williams team can never be justified in withdrawing from an athletic contest because of any decision of the official. However, the action of the Williams five cannot by any stretch of the imagination be called discourteous. On the other hand, we should have to search long for a proper term to apply to that of Syracuse in accepting a victory on its home floor under the conditions that prevailed.

The vacuity, as well as the general vaporous nature, of the last quotation from the Syracuse letter is apparent to all. It is admitted that the Syracuse five would be given fair play if they should come to Williamstown. Syracuse, then, has cancelled the game and given no explanation. We can make the usual conclusion.

In refusing to meet Syracuse on a neutral floor, the Williams' manager has pursued a reasonable policy. The agreement was made for two games, one at Syracuse and the other at Williamstown, and no cause has been shown to change it. When it is remembered that Williams has defeated Syracuse in basketball for the past two years, and that the scheduling of a game at Syracuse was a voluntary concession on the part of the Williams management, the action of Syracuse in cancelling the other game is most reprehensible.

It seems difficult to believe that the Syracuse graduate manager or faculty athletic committee would permit the basketball association to take an action that is certain to bring discredit upon the university. If the manager is supported by the governing authorities in cancelling this game, Williams is warranted in discontinuing further athletic relations with Syracuse.

Violation of the Rules of Training

The college placed itself on record last fall, by a unanimous vote, in favor of the observance of strict training by all the members of the college athletic teams. That a man must be in as perfect physical condition as possible to do his best in any athletic trial is not open to question. In every branch of sport Williams aims first of all to play a good, clean game. And secondly, it wants to finish a contest having done the very best it can. The player who does not regulate his actions to contribute to this end has more selfishness in his make-up than he has the best interests of his college in athletics.

The resolution as passed refers to the hockey team as well as the football eleven. Loose training is as harmful in the first case as in the second. In accordance with the sentiment of the college meeting we recommend to the captain of the hockey team a rigorous use of the penalty of dismissal.

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New York, January 18, 1906.
Editor of Williams Record.

Sir:—It was with great regret that I read in The Record of the unfortunate ending of the basketball game with Syracuse last week. This is the second time within the past year that a Williams captain has forfeited a game rather than accept the decision of the referee or umpire. When Captain McCarty called the team off the field in the baseball game at Middletown last June, an injury was done to Williams' reputation for good sportsmanship, among Wesleyan men at least, which it will take some years to repair. It was also very mortifying to the Williams alumni who were present. We wish the name of Williams to stand for clean sport in every way, and can much better afford to lose a game or two than get the name of being quitters. Let us win if we can, but, in any event, "play the game" from start to finish. I earnestly hope that an incident of this kind will not happen again.

I remain,
Yours sincerely,
Henry. W Banke jr., '85.

In Memory of Harvey Loomis 1809

The library received recently from Rev. Charles Whittier '56 a copy of an address delivered by Rev. Chas. H. Cutler, D. D., pastor of the First Congregational church of Bangor, on the occasion of the unveiling of a tablet on Oct. 29, 1905, in memory of Rev. Harvey Loomis 1809, first pastor of that church. Rev. Mr. Loomis was one of the five men who, in 1806, underneath an old haystack in what is now Mission Park, started the movement resulting in the first foreign missionary society in America. The tablet reads as follows:

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Yale at Springfield

The game scheduled with Yale on February 10 will be played on the Lyman street rink floor, Springfield, Mass. The floor is exceptionally large, measuring about 3500 square feet, and the hall will hold over 1000 people. Mr. Waters of the Fitchburg Y. M. C. A. will probably referee the game. Tickets will be on sale before February 1, by the manager, and in Springfield, at a place to be announced later.

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Review of the Lit.

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too heavily, a fault to be avoided in work so finely drawn as his. Arnold is not the tpys of mind driven to despair by doubt, and one may add, the use of the phrase "victims of Renan" for "agnostics," is not happy. Again, to judge by certain passages in Arnold's works, it is inexact to say that he "idolised" Wordsworth, though he undoubtedly did draw much inspiration from him.

Mr. Baemeister's appreciation of Newman's Apologia, is a shorter and less elaborate piece of criticism, in which one feels the author had gotten at the heart of his subject, and, if he admires too unqualifiedly, at least admires what is best.

The fiction is good. In "The Man in the Gallery" Mr. Withcrell presents an ingenious and interesting story of how a jury was tricked into acquitting a murderer. The standard set by this piece is not quite reached in "The Other Man." Miss Bishop and John Ward are almost as much of a puzzle to us as they were to Joe Allen. The story is told in a light breezy manner which does much to compensate for its inconsistencies in character drawing.

In two little dislect sketches, "The War of the Trusts" and "For Sheriff, Bill Hughes," we have the Literary Monthly at play. The latter piece is particularly good in comic effect.

In closing, the reviewer would like to emphasize the good point made by Sanctum. Without undertaking to answer the question asked, as to whether college interests are narrow, it is surely important to keep in touch with the larger interests of the outside world.

Preserved Smith.

College Preachers

The list of college preachers for the next few weeks is as follows:

Jan. 28—Rev. John Sheridan Zelie, D. D., '87, of Plainfield, N. J.

Feb. 4—Rev. John Willis Bser, of New York city.

Feb. 11—Rev. Dr. George P. Fekman, of New York city.

Feb. 18—Rev. Harry Pinneo Dewey, D. D., '84, of Brooklyn. N. Y.

Dartmouth Debaters Chosen

The Dartmouth debating teams were picked Friday as follows: To debate with Williams, A. B. Meservey '08 of Ashland, N. H., B. E. Spencer '06, of Wilder, Vt., P. M. Chase '09, of Boston; to debate with Brown, J. M. O'Neill '07 of Canandaigua, N. Y., G. H. Howard '07 of Craftsbury, Vt., and R. L. Theller '09 of Cambridge, Mass.

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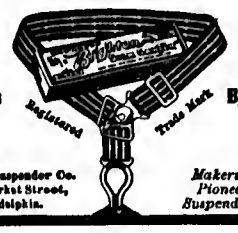
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WILLIAMS 38; TUFTS 6

Easy Victory in Basketball—Visitors' Passing Went to Pieces

Williams defeated Tufts in Lasell Gymnasium Thursday evening by the score of 38 to 6. The Tufts five was fast at the start in an endeavor to play an open passing game of their own, and fast for a few minutes more, with the score close, while their passing game went to pieces and their energy was used up in guarding Williams. The remainder of the game was dull, with the visiting team unable to do anything but pass aimlessly at their end of the floor, occasionally secure a long shot for the basket and guard all the time, while Williams, now playing at a whirlwind rate and shooting cleverly, again fighting for the ball and missing easy shots, furnished all the features and did all the scoring.

Tufts had two good guarders, Dwelley and Wilson, and one slippery forward, Ryley, with a poor center in Ahern. Tower got away easily in the first half and found the basket five times, while in the second half. Gardner, against the same opponent, made up for poor shooting early in the game by four tallies, one on a clever overhead toss. At the end of the first half the Purple led 19-5.

The game, which had grown slower towards the end of the first half, became fast again at the start of the second. Gardner caged the first basket, and Tower the second on an easy shot. Cowell got away, caught the ball cleverly on the bound, and scored from right center. A second basket by Cowell after a succession of good passes was followed by four more goals, one a difficult one-handed shot from the side by Gardner.

The summary:

Williams		Tufts
Gardner lf.	rg,	Dwelley, Ahern
Neild, Stewart rf,	lg,	Wilson
Tower c,	c,	Ahern, Dwelley
Blaisdell lg,	rf,	Ryley, Getchell
Cowell rg,	lf,	Seed

Score—Williams 38, Tufts 6. Baskets from floor, Tower 6, Gardner 5, Cowell 4, Neild, Blaisdell; Ryley. Baksets from foul, Neild 4, Ryley 4. Referee, Mr. Seeley. Umpire, Getchell of Tufts, Timer, Brady '06. Time of halves. 20 minutes.

To Coach Dramatics

Mr. Donald McDonald, the Cap and Bells coach, arrived in Williamstown Friday. After the rehearsal of "The Man from Mexico" that evening, Mr. McDonald expressed his satisfaction with the work done thus far. He will remain in Williamstown for two weeks, coaching individual members during the day, and holding rehearsals of the whole cast evenings.

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Art Department Additions

The art department has received and placed in Hopkins Hall, a number of casts of famous pieces of ancient sculpture. Among them are one of the metopes of the Parthenon, the spirited Centaur and Lapith; a head of Pallas by Phidias, the original of which is in the museum at Bologna; and a head of Hermes. A quarter section of a Doric capital, and a relief showing a lion-hunt of an Assyrian king, are among the new additions. Others are several pieces showing the distinction between Roman, Gothic and Romanesque style of ornamentation; and bas-reliefs from the inner frieze of the Parthenon.

Concert in Pittsfield

The college quartet consisting of Curtiss '06, Robbins '06, Pevear '07 and Yarnelle '07 gave a successful concert in the gymnasium of the Pittsfield Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening. The concert was one of a series of similar entertainments to be given in Pittsfield this winter. Especially well received were Pevear's solos "Matinata," and "The May Morning." Pierce '07 gave two readings, one "A Fisherman's Automobile Ride," the other a French Canadian's story of a shipwreck.

COLLEGE NOTES

Chase '04 was in town Sunday.

Bullard '08 and Gutterson '09 are in the infirmary.

Davis '07 fractured his arm while high-jumping in the gymnasium Thursday.

Prof. Wahl will entertain members of his class in German 3 at his home Wednesdsy evening.

The 'varsity relay team training table will be started on Monday, January 29.

The baseballs won by the 1905 team have been placed in the trophy case in Jesup Hall.

The trials for the class relay teams will be held on the board track January 24. Each man will run two laps.

The contract for steam-fitting for the baseball cage has been let to the Locke Bros. Co., of Williamstown.

Mr. W. S. Pettit '05, addressed the meeting of the Pittsfield Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon on "The Leadership of Jesus."

Twenty-two men came out for 'varsity relay practice Saturday afternoon. The men have started running two fast laps, instead of six as before.

Last week the class in Spanish used the graphophone records secured by the department of Romance languages for drill in pronunciation.

From a special fund granted by the trustees, Prof Maxcy has recently purchased and hung in 3 Goodrich Hall about twenty pict-

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Last Friday evening Mr. Rees gave one of the series of readings of short stories to members of English 2. Asst.-prof. Perry will read selections from Bret Harte's stories tomorrow night.

The Hotchkiss club met in 12 West College last Thursday evening and elected the following officers:— president, Griswold '06; vice-president, M. Brown '07; secretary, Clark '07; treasurer Fay '07.

ALUMNI NEWS

'86—Frank DeH. Ketcham '86, and Rolph Marsh '92, have left the firm of Worrall, Ketcham and Johnson, 24 Broad street, New York, and are now connected with the banking firm of Tracy & Co., 40 Wall street, of which Wm. W. Tracy ex-'86 is a member.

'94—Charles Pinkerton has been forced by ill-health to give up for the present his banking business in New York. He has taken the Williamstown summer home of Dr. Charles A. Stoddard '54 of New York.

1901—Miss Helen Baxter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Clayton Baxter of Cleveland, and Ralph Grosvenor Fitch, also of Cleveland, were married in that city on January 11.

Ex-'02—Edward G. Wasey has become a member of the law firm of Graves, Hatch and Wasey, of Detroit, with which he has been connected for the past two years.

1903—James W. Vose is now in Ogalee, Ga., where the Kentucky Military institute, in which he is major, is spending the winter.

1905—George C. Appell, jr., has entered New York Law school.

Ex-'06—Arthur Patten Van Schaick and Miss Helen Wray Boulton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George D'Arcy Boulton, of Chicago, were married in Trinity church, Highland Park, Ill., on Tuesday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. P. C. Wolcott. Logan G. Thomson ex-'07 was best man, and among the ushers were Rhea B. Rutter 1900 and C. Carl Narten 1906. Following the ceremony there was a reception at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Van Shaick will be at home after February 19, at 5100 Hibbard avenue, Chicago.

Ex-'08—Curtis left for New York this morning, where he will enter the employ of the Western Electric Co.

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A ROUGH GAME

Williams Defeats Williston in Basketball by Score of 20 to 13

Williams defeated Williston yesterday afternoon in the gymnasium by the score of 20 to 13 in a rough game. At the start, Williston was fast, and fairly outplayed the Purple for some minutes. Unable to keep up a fast open game, the visitors were forced to resort to close guarding, and covered so closely for the remainder of the game that the contest degenerated into a series of duels for the ball, with fast passing impossible and tries for the basket unfrequent. Fouling, as much unseen as seen, was constant, but the official kept the game in hand. Williams' shooting was distinctly poor, and Williston's but little better.

The first basket came to Williston, after a good bit of passing, but Williams tied on fouls. Dingle, who passed little, but never left his man, batted the ball in, and Williams' first basket, by Gardner uncovered, came only after several shots had been missed. Six men in a scrimmage for the ball enlivened the game still more, but Cowell managed to get free for a second tally. Williams led 7-5 at the whistle.

In the second half Blaisdell shot two clean baskets at critical moments and Gardner put the ball in the net twice on side shots. Williston shot two difficult baskets, a long throw by Scully, and a lucky overhead toss by Tobey.

Line-up and summary:

Williams	Williston
Gardner lf.	rg, Tobey
Neild rf,	lg, Crowell
Tower c.	c, Dingle
Blaisdell lg, rf.	Johnson, Waldron
Cowell rg,	lf, Scully

Score, Williams 20, Williston 13. Baskets from floor: Gardner 3, Blaisdell 2, Neild, Cowell; Scully, Johnson, Dingle, Crowell, Tobey. Baskets from foul: Neild 6; Scully, Johnson. Point awarded Williston for opponent's foul while shooting basket. Referee and umpire, Briggs of Springfield Training school. Time-keepers, Stocking '05, Warner '06. Time, two 20-minute halves.

Miss Dunn as Becky Sharp

This evening in the fourth of the Thompson Course entertainments, Miss Grace Aspell Dunn will impersonate the characters seen in the dramatization of "Becky Sharp." Miss Dunn has been seen in several similar entertainments in various eastern cities and has everywhere been favorably received. She follows closely the lines pursued by Mr. Leland Powers in his impersonation of "Becky Sharp." Between Acts I and II, as well as between Acts II and III, Mr. J. B. Lord 1905 will sing.

FRENCH PAINTING

Prof. Rice Gives Illustrated Lecture Before Art Association

Prof. Rice spoke before the Art association in Hopkins Hall yesterday afternoon on "Modern French Painting." The lecture was illustrated by stereopticon slides.

The modern school of French painting begins about 1830. Previous to that time painters had been educated to treat every subject strictly according to the rules of the academy of fine arts; at that time the Barbizon school turned its attention to a handling of subject directly inspired by nature. Of this school Rousseau, studying the landscape of western France, secured wonderful atmospheric effects; Millet added to the landscape interest the interest in the life of the French peasant; and Corot, in whom we note a particular silveriness and transparency of foliage, charmed because he interpreted aspects of nature which everyone fond of out-of-doors recognized. Other prominent members of the school were Dupré, Troyon, and Daubigny.

The study of pessant character became the chief trait of Lhermitte, and of Jules Breton. Often, on the other hand, figures were not introduced primarily on their own account, but we are obliged to look beyond them to the landscape. Meissonier preserved the best traditions of the old school, and worked with the greatest fidelity to detail. Bougereau was another representative of the style of the academy. Some of these academic paintings were little more than studies in line, colored drawings, as "La Source" of Ingres, and Flandrin's portraits.

The wall-paintings of Puvis de Chavannes are important in the history of modern painting in that he rediscovered the old ways of mural painting. His figures seem to float in air, are the embodiments of graceful motion, and as realistic as Tintoretto's.

Lecture by Prof. W. T. Sedgwick

On Saturday evening, at 8:00 o'clock, in Jesup Hall, under the auspices of the Lyceum of Natural History, an illustrated lecture will be given by Prof. William T. Sedgwick on "Pure Milk and the Public Health." Dr. Sedgwick is professor of biology in Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and has lately been appointed a member of the state board of health.

GREEK RELIGION

Dr. Pratt Addresses Classical Society—Orphism and Christianity

Dr. Pratt spoke before the classical society in the library Tuesday evening on "Greek Religion." He prefaced his talk by a few remarks on the elusive nature of the subject, due largely to the spiritual autonomy of the Greeks, making any strict formulation of creed impossible, and to the fact that it had no books, no priestly class, and no unchangeable traditions.

In the Mycenean age the Greeks were animistic, worshipping trees, stones (as shown by recent discoveries at Cnossus, in Crete), columns and animals. The epithets "ox-eyed" Hera, etc., point back to a time when Hera adopted the worship of a cow-goddess.

The religion we learn in the Homeric poems is the religion of an aristocracy, not of the people. The gods are personifications of nature powers and functions of life, yet at the same time personal and anthropomorphic. Following this period came the rejuvenation of religion, the age of temple-building, and the rise of philosophy with its purifying influence. This, however, was not enough. The Greeks had a serious sense of guilt, and, wanting some new remedy, turned to other forms of religion. The Eleusinian mysteries gave a vivid hope of something better after death; the rites of Dionysus brought their worshippers into something approaching communion with the divine.

Orphism, refining away the orgiastic elements of the Dionysian religion, interpreted what was best in its spirit. Man, according to the beautiful Zagreus myth, has the Titanic and divine element in him, and Orphism, a religion for both worlds, helps him to get rid of the baser part. This had a tremendous influence over Plato, and the Christian philosophy and religion.

Greek thought gradually went too far for Greek religion, but only the material part died; the divine part lived on in Greek philosophy and in Christianity.

Connecticut Alumni at Hartford

The seventh annual banquet of the Williams alumni association of Connecticut will be held tomorrow night at the rooms of the Hartford club, Prospect street, Hartford. Mr. Samuel E. Elmore '59, president of the alumni association, will act as toastmaster. Dr. Pratt will attend the banquet as representative of the college.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25

8.00 p. m.—Thompson course, Jesup Hall. Miss Grace Aspell Dunn as "Becky Sharp," assisted by Mr. John B. Lord 1905.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26

8.00 p. m.—Banquet of Williams alumni association of Connecticut, Hartford Club, Hartford.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Wesleyan basketball, Fayerweather Gymnasium, Middletown.

3.00 p. m.—Class relay races, board track, old campus. 1906 vs. 1907, 1908 vs. 1909.

8.00 p. m.—Lecture by Prof. William T. Sedgwick, M. I. T., on "Pure Milk and the Public Health", J. H.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie '87, of Plainfield, N. J., will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Mr. Robert S. Freeman, of Princeton, will speak.

WILLIAMS VS. WESLEYAN

At B. A. A. Meet February 10—Other Relay Races and Events

The seventeenth annual games of the Boston Athletic association, to which Williams has sent a relay team for the past ten years, will be held in Mechanics Hall, Boston, Saturday, February 10.

The Williams relay team, which has run against Dartmouth for some years previous, will this year race with Wesleyan, Dartmouth meeting U. of P. Wesleyan has never been beaten in an indoor relay race, and last year, with a team containing but one 1905 man, Capt. Martin, defeated Brown, (Williams' opponent at the Troy meet Feb. 21), N. Y. U., Rutgers and Fordham. The material to fill the fourth position on the relay team is meager, but includes one good runner in Kent, of Washington.

Other relay races to be run at the meet are Harvard and Yale, Princeton and Cornell, Amherst and Brown, and M. I. T. and Bowdoin. The other events of the games are a championship two-mile run, an invitation 40-yards dash; a 440-yards run (novice), and the following handicap events: 40-yards dash, 45-yards high hurdles, 600-yards dash, 1000-yards run, 1 mile run, high jump, 16-pound shot put. Any man in college in constant trsining will be allowed to enter in these events. Entry blanks, which can be secured from Mr. Seeley, must be in by Jan. 26.

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Jackson Hall

Few undergraduates have seen the inside of Jackson Hall. Situated in an out-of-the-way corner of the campus, it has been closed for many years. Its condition, both exterior and interior, presents a sharp contrast to the rest of the college buildings. It does not seem proper that Jackson Hall should be allowed to remain longer in its present state, going to pieces from neglect, and even in its isolation, a blot on the campus. The college will soon find it necessary to take some action: either move the building to another site, or restore it to its former condition, or tear it down. The first is impracticable. The present plan of the campus would not well permit a new location, and it is probable that the expense of moving would amount to more than the assessed valuation of the building and contents.

There is much to be said in favor of renovating Jackson Hall, from the side of sentiment. The love which a man bears for his college is based on its history and traditions: the records of the lives of men who gave all they had to its foundation, the men who without cessation or discouragement labored to direct its course in its early and critical stages, and that greater number whose life-work has been to insure its stability. We easily forget the part that these men had in building the college. Yet there are monuments here and there that recall the story. Each one of them marks a period of advancement. In the life of a college, buildings, like international expositions, are "the time-keepers of progress." When an old structure is demolished or consumed by fire, no new building, however complete or imposing, can quite fill its place.

The life of Nathan Jackson is familiar to Williams men. It is as true today as it was fifty years ago, to say, with the addition of another name, "that his has now become so interwoven with the institution that it will hereafter stand high on the list of its benefactors, and will go down to the latest posterity by the side of Williams and Lawrence." Though not a graduate, Nathan Jackson was closely related, through family connection, with Colonel Ephraim Williams, the founder of the college. Jackson Hall was not the greatest of his gifts. His liberality was directed by wisdom and influenced by the needs of the college.

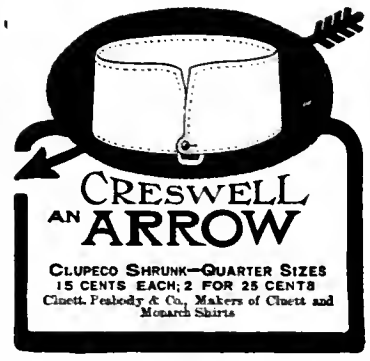
The building was donated to the college for the use of the Lyceum of Natural History, and contains biological, geological and ethnological specimens, collected gradually for fifty years, some sent by missionary graduates and others gathered by the first natural history expedition sent out by an American college. In view of these facts, and as a memory of Prof. Albert Hopkins, it is urged that steps should be taken to save the collection, as well as the building, from further decay. It has been suggested to us that a small appropriation would be sufficient for this purpose.

In taking the other side of the question, it is not easy to meet the arguments advanced from the point of view of sentiment, since to a certain degree we must be in accord with the feeling. Nevertheless, we feel certain that Jackson Hall, having served the purpose for which it was given, can be of no further advantage to the college, and must make way for some other building that can. The intention of the donor, in all his benefactions to Williams, was, generally speaking, to assist in the advancement of the college along all the paths of endeavor. Old methods of teaching, though once invaluable, give way to newer systems, the product of experience and more fitted to the present time. So will Jackson Hall, perhaps, be replaced by a modern structure that will serve the same purpose and in addition meet the needs of the scientific department. As it is, the old building has long since ceased to be an integral part of education in the college.

The practical objections to retaining Jackson Hall among the buildings of the college are evident. Its interior arrangement is not very well suited to any purpose.

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In this case renovation would mean rebuilding at a cost greater that the original sum expended; and furthermore, if Williams is fortunate enough to secure a building to be used as a museum, it must be larger than the present size of Jackson Hall. Another objection to renovation is the location of the building. Situated directly south of the new Berkshire Hall, it occupies a portion of the site evidently intended for a new building to complete the south side of the Berkshire Quadrangle.

In regard to the specimens, little needs to be said. Few of them are of any real scientific value now; the great majority are only interesting as curiosities. Lack of care, but more especially the length of time that has intervened since additions have been made to the collection, have combined to make incomplete many of the sets that might otherwise be worth retaining. To attempt to preserve all the material in Jackson Hall would involve an amount of work in classifying and daily care of the specimens that would be unprofitable.

If the college finds it necessary to demolish Jackson Hall, it is to be hoped that the structure which replaces it, will if possible bear the name of Jackson, or at least that some visible and permanent record will be made in one of the college buildings of his share in the promotion of science in Williams.

Dr. John S. Zelie Sunday

Rev. John Sheridan Zelie, D. D., '87, of Plainfield, N. J., will preach in the college chapel Sunday. Dr. Zelie is the pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church of Plainfield; he is an impressive preacher, and has many times occupied the Williams pulpit. Dr. Zelie graduated from Yale Divinity school, and received the degree of D.D. from Williams in 1904. Together with Rev. Carroll Perry '90, he wrote the sketch of the famous "Bill Pratt, the Sawbuck Philosopher," which is an interesting memorial of the well-known college character.

Baseball News

Candidates for the 'varsity baseball team will be called out by Capt. Neild immediately upon the completion of the baseball cage. It is expected that the building will be finished by February 1, a week from today. The slating of the roof has been completed, and the steam heating apparatus, which was recently delivered, is now being installed by the Locke Brothers Co., of Williamstown. A pitching machine, which will greatly aid in developing the work of the batting department, has been ordered, and will be received in time for first practice.

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Missionary Conference at Pittsfield

President Hopkins will preside at a conference of speakers of the American Board of Foreign Missions, to be held in the First Congregational church, Pittsfield, on Tuesday. Among the speakers will be Dr. Arthur H. Smith of China, Rev. Irving M. Channon of Micronesia, and several other foreign missionaries. On the committee in charge, in addition to Dr. Hopkins, are Prof. Henry D. Wild '88, and Joseph E. Peirson '83 of Pittsfield.

Suggestion From Amherst

At the meeting of the Adelphic Union held last evening a letter from Amherst was read, suggesting the advisability of a debate between Amherst and Williams. In consideration of this letter, and the expressed opinion at Wesleyan in favor of a triangular league, President Hulst was instructed to open negotiations with Amherst and Wesleyan with regard to the formation of another league.

Tickets for Yale Game

Applications for reserved seats for the Williams-Yale basketball game at Springfield February 10, should be made at once to R. V. Hobson. Tickets will be on sale about February 1, price $1.00.

Brown Debaters Chosen

The following men have been chosen by Brown as its representatives in the tri-collegiate debates: against Williams, Branch '07, Dennett '07, Hurley '07; against Dartmouth, Falk '06, Bruce '07, Shor '06.

Class Prayer-Meetings

The class prayer-meetings will be held at 7:15 Friday evening in Jesup Hall. The subject is: The worth of well chosen words; Col. 4:6. The leaders are as follows: 1906, Schell; 1907, Buffinton; 1908, Scott; 1909, Toll.

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Erskine 1904 has been in town.

Hazen '08 is in the infirmary.

The mandolin club will play at the first senior smoker, to be held in February.

Asst.-Prof. Perry was unable to meet his class in English 12 Monday.

The official basketball program, containing cuts of the team and the captain, will be on sale at the Colgate game February 17.

The Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall Sunday evening will be addressed by Mr. Robert S. Freeman of Princeton university.

Prof. McElfresh has announced that the lectures in the second semester of Physics 2 will be held at 9:30 Monday, and 3:00 Thursday.

The English department is planning to have the speeches of the 'varsity debaters against Dartmouth taken down verbatim and printed for use in English 5.

The Berkshire Electric Co. has finished the installation of the switch-boards to control the new electric lighting system of the gymnasium.

Those now rooming outside of dormitories, who wish to obtain college rooms for the second semester, may leave word with the secretary of the faculty, 2 H. H.

The recently appointed senior smoker committee, consisting of Hogan, chairman, Cowperthwait, and Page, have arranged for four smokers during the second half year, to be held in the reading room of Jesup Hall.

At a meeting of men interested in hockey, held in Jesup Hall Tuesday noon, assistant manager Cleveland made a brief report of the financial condition of the hockey association, and urged the need of better support.

Mr. Willard E. Hoyt, the college treasurer, left last week with his family for Augusta, Ga., where he will spend the rest of the winter. During his absence Mr. W. C. Hart, the assistant to the treasurer, will assume the duties of the office.

The management of the musical association, in arranging for the Easter trip, was unable to secure the Astor gallery of the Waldorf-Astoria for Monday evening, April 16; as yet no other hall has been chosen. A concert will be given the next evening, April 17, at Englewood, N. J.

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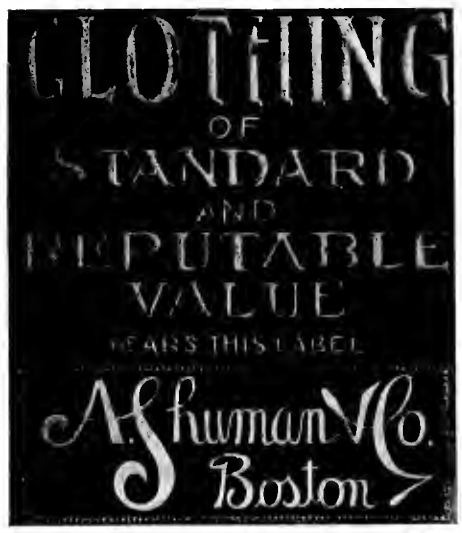
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College English Conference

Prof. Maxcy is at Providence, R. I., attending a conference of the colleges of New England, called to consider the adoption of a uniform entrance requirement in English. Prof. Maxcy, with the heads of the English departments of Amherst and Dartmouth, was instrumental in starting this movement, and will present to the delegates the faults of the system now in vogue, with suggestions for a simplified requirement. Every college of importance in New England is represented in the conference, which is to continue through today and tomorrow. Prof. Maxcy will return Sunday.

Warmest of Quarter-Century

The temperatures observed by Prof. Milham on Monday and Tuesday show that these days broke all records for January for twenty-five years. The thermometer registered 60.5 on Monday and 62.2 on Tuesday. The nearest approach to this temperature during the last twenty-five years, the time during which complete records have been kept, was observed in 1890, when the mercury reached 60. The record was particularly remarkable as occuring so far from the close of the month.

In Memory of Judge Barker

The Suffolk County Bar association of Boston held memorial services for Judge James Madison Barker '60, in the Court House at Boston on Saturday. Ex-governor John D. Long presented resolutions in behalf of the association, and addresses were made by ex-attorney general Herbert Parker, attorney general Dana Malone, chief justice Knowlton and others.

Tardiness at Chapel

Monitors are instructed strictly to enforce the rule that all students who reach their seats after the beginning of the chapel service are to be marked tardy. The service begins with the entrance of the choir, immediately after the last stroke of the bell. Tardiness is counted as an absence.

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ALUMNI NEWS

'71—Rev. William Morris Kincaid, D. D., who has for seven years been pastor of the Central Union church at Honolulu, has resigned his pastorate. Dr. Kincaid has purchased an estate of 540 acres, known as Hatton Grange, on the James river, in Virginia. His son, A. D. Kincaid ex-'07, left on Tuesday for Virginia, where he will live on the estate, and will be joined by his father and family this summer. Dr. Kincaid will retire from pastoral work, and will make the farm his home.

'71—Frank Foxcroft, formerly associate editor of the Boston Journal, and editor of the Living Age, has been appointed a member of the Massachusetts civil service commission.

Ex-'84—John C. Parsons is Chicago representative of the Hammerschlag Paper Co., of New York, with offices at 140 Dearborn street.

99—Henry C. Taylor is a Christian Science practitioner in Springfield, Mass.

'99—William M. Rutter has been obliged on account of a nervous breakdown to discontinue his work in New York city, and is now at Charlottesville, Va.

1900—James O. Tryon 1900 has formed a co-partnership with R. A. Burbank for the general practice of law. The firm, Burbank and Tryon, will have offices in the Johnston building, 30 Broad street, New York.

1901—The engagement of Gregory Palmer to Miss Emma Halsey Denman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Denman of Newark, N. J., has recently been announced.

1902—The engagement is announced of Miss Isabel Worthington Strong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Strong of Pittsfield, to Homer Edwards Woodbridge. Mr. Woodbridge, a former Williamstown resident, is now at the Harvard graduate school, and an assistant in English at Harvard.

Ex-'07—MacEwan has entered Albany Business college.

OBITUARY

'61—Rev. Thomas Edwin Brastow, for many years one of the best known citizens of Rockport, Me., died at his home there in December at the age of 71. Mr. Brastow was born August 14, 1835, and graduated from Williams in the class of 1861. He graduated from Bangor Theological seminary in 1864, and was ordained pastor of the Congregational church at Brooks, Me., in 1865. He was pastor successively at Orland, Sherman and Rockport, Me., and had recently developed a large ice business at Rockport.

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FOR FOOTBALL REFORM

Prof. Russell Suggests Nine New Rules to Improve Game

As a result of his twenty-five years' knowledge of football, Prof. Russell has come to the conclusion that, to make the game lasting, the rules must be radically changed. As a concrete statement of his views he has prepared a list of nine rules, aiming to make excessive weight no longer necessary, to give a star man more chance than he has at present, to open up the game, and to eliminate roughness. The list of rules follows.

1. Seven players, and seven players only in each team must be in the scrimmage line when the ball is put in play.

2. Not more than one of the remaining players of either team shall be nearer the scrimmage line than five yards, when the ball is put in play.

3. The player who first receives the ball from the snap back, may pass the ball in any direction, may kick the ball, or carry it without having previously passed it to another player.

4. The player who is carrying the ball shall not be aided by being pushed, or carried, or dragged.

5. An opening for the runner through the scrimmage line shall not be attempted by any combination of two or more players.

6. Blocking, or interference, shall be permitted only to protect the player carrying the ball from an attempted tackle, or from a player who is approaching the runner for the purpose of tackling him; and the player who is blocking, shall make no use of his hands or arms against an opponent, or to assist a player on the same side.

7. The ball shall go to the other side, whenever the side having the ball shall not have gained at least ten yards in three successive downs.

8. The free catch shall be allowed from any kick of the ball by the opposing side.

9. The playing time in either half of the game shall not exceed thirty minutes.

New York Alumni Dinner

The annual dinner of the Williams Alumni association of New York city will be held at Delmonico's, Fifth avenue and 44th street, on Friday evening, February 2, at seven o'clock. All desiring to attend should secure dinner tickets at once from the treasurer, Franklin H. Mills, 31 Nassau street, New York.

CLOSE TILL THE END

Williams Defeats Wesleyan 22-15 by Good Work in Second Half

Williams defeated Wesleyan in Fayerweather Gymnasium, Middletown, Saturday afternoon, by the score of 22 to 15. The game was fast and very exciting till the middle of the second half, with neither side leading at any time by more than two points. Many of the fouls called were for technicalities.

Neild scored first on a beautiful long basket from beyond the center of the floor. Dearborn made three points on fouls, but Neild tallied again on a long shot, and put Williams one ahead by caging a foul. Dearborn tried several long shots, but failed. Chamberlain and White scored for Wesleyan. Neild caged four baskets from the foul line and Dearborn one, making the score 9 to 8 at the end of play. Neild had scored all the points for the Purple in this half, both he and Dearborn shooting from the foul line with great accuracy.

Soule replaced Dearborn at the beginning of the second half. Taylor put Wesleyan ahead by a pretty overhead toss, but Tower's basket put the one-point lead on Williams' side. Campaigne and Cowell scored. Wesleyan now began to lose speed and was unable to pass the ball beyond the center of the floor. Soule tallied for Wesleyan, though closely guarded. Williams got many shots in the last five minutes of play, and baskets were scored by Neild, Cowell (2), and Tower.

Neild played the best game for the Purple, and Cowell was not far behind. White, Wesleyan's best man, was outplayed by Tower. Soule played a fair game in the second half, and was the only Wesleyan man to keep his speed till the end, and Campaigne outscored his man.

The line-up and summary follow:

Williams	Wesleyan
Gardner lf,	rg, Campaigne
Neild rf,	lg, Chamberlain
Tower c,	c, White
Allen lg,	rf, Taylor
Cowell rg,	lf, Dearborn, Soule

Score, Williams 22, Wesleyan 15. Goals from floor, Neild 3, Tower 2, Cowell 3; Soule, Taylor, White, Chamberlain. Campaigne. Goals from foul, Neild 6; Dearborn 4. Campaigne. Referee, Briggs of Springfield training school. Umpire, Carlson of Middletown Y. M. C. A. Time of halves, 20 minutes.

BECKY SHARP

Mrs. Grace Aspell Dunn in Impersonations From "Vanity Fair"

The fourth entertainment in the Thompson course was held in Jesup Hall Thursday evening. Mrs. Grace Aspell Dunn presented her impersonation of Becky Sharp in Thackeray's "Vanity Fair." The entertainment was divided into three acts, the first at Miss Crawley's London residence: the second the dramatic scene at the Duchess of Richmond's ball in Brussels June 14, 1815, the night before the battle of Waterloo: and the third in Becky Sharp's London house on Curzon street eight years later. The third act was divided into two scenes separated by an interval of two weeks.

Between acts I and II and acts II and III Mr. John Bright Lord 1905 sang. The first number, Florence Aylward's exceedingly difficult "Beloved, it is Morn," placing great demand on good technique, was well done, and the second, Leslie Stuart's light, airy, "The Baudolero," was given a dashing, spirited interpretation that was very effective.

Mrs. Dunn succeeded in holding the interest of the audience during the three acts of "Vanity Fair." The portions of Thackeray's charming masterpiece which she has woven together for an evening's entertainment, follow quite closely the plan Mr. Mitchell has used as a vehicle to display the delightful art of Mrs. Fiske.

It is not an easy task to impersonate a dozen or more characters and make them all distinctive and interesting—but this Mrs. Dunn was able to do in a very creditable manner. It is doubtful if her conception of "Becky" is quite as Thackeray would have us think of her. It was lacking in snap and quite without those magnetic and brilliant qualities which make the character so fascinating. Mrs. Dunn's characterization was a bit anaemic and hardly fair to Becky. In the characters of "Sir Pitt" and "Amelia Sedley" she was at her best, and she succeeded in infusing considerable humor into the part of "Briggs." The other parts cannot be styled "impersonations," but were handled effectively.

Mrs. Dunn worked laboriously and deserves considerable credit for an interesting evening with the delightful characters with which Thackeray has charmed us in "Vanity Fair."

Donald MacDonald.

CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31

2.30 p. m.—Willinms-Fitchburg Y. M.C. A. basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1

8.30 a. m.—Mid-year examinations commence.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2

7.00 p. m.—Annual dinner, New York alumni association, Delmonico's, New York.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3

7.00 p. m.—Annual dinner, Williams alumni association of Northern New York, Hotel TenEyck, Albany.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4

10.30 a. m.—College Chapel. Rev. John Willis Baer, of New York city, will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible Classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Rev. Mr. Baer will speak.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9

8.00 p. m.—Fifth Thompson course entertainment. Kneisel Quartette, J. H.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10

5.00 p. m.—First half year ends.

7.15 p. m.—B. A. A. games, Mechanics Hall, Huntington avenue, Boston. Williams-Wesleyan relay.

8.30 p. m.—Williams-Yale basketball, Lyman street rink floor, Springfield.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Rev. Geo. P. Eckman, D.D., of New York city, will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Eckman will speak.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12

7.00 p. m.—Annual dinner, Williams alumni association of Detroit, Detroit club.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

7.00 p. m.—Annual dinner, Williams alumni association of Chicago.

7.30 p. m.—Classical society, west wing of Lawrence Hall. Paper by Prof. Howes.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

7.00 p. m.—Annual dinner, Williams alumni association of Columbus, O.

7.30 p. m.—Williams-Brown basketball, Providence.

8.00 p. m.—First performance of "The Man From Mexico", Richmond Theater, North Adams.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

7.30 p. m.—Annual dinner, Boston alumni, University club, Boston.

7.30 p. m —Y. M. C. A. meeting, election of officers, J.H.

Relay Training Table

The relay training table was started today, with Griswold '06, Osterhout '06, Hurlbut '07, B. P. Allen '08 and Horrax '09. Another man will be taken on this week.

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Announcement

The Record announces the election of David Burnet Scott 1908, of New York city, to membership on the board. The next candidate will be elected to membership on February 22.

The next issue of The Record will be published February 15.

Prof. Russell's Suggestions

In another column of The Record will be found a list of nine changes in football rules proposed by Prof. John E. Russell. These suggestions are not, like so much that has been said and written on this subject, week-old judgments, but embody the result of several years of the closest kind of observation of the game.

Football critics are agreed that chance for injury must be eliminated, and the game made more open. In the game as played today the more serious injuries, that have crippled and paralyzed, have almost without exception been received in mass plays. The mass play causes the "piling up" of the players, and gives a chance for foul work, invisible to the official. By abolishing it, then, we abolish much chance for injuries and intentional roughness, and, obviously, open up the game as well.

Prof. Russell has three rules bearing on this subject. Rule 1 prevents drawing a man back to secure more weight for a line play, but does not prevent a ground-gaining lineman's running from position, nor a back from taking his place in the line. Rule 4, providing that the man carrying the ball shall not be "pushed, or carried, or dragged," would prevent this "piling up" of players. As soon as the man with the ball is stopped, the play is over. Rule 5 goes too far, as it does not allow the other backs any part in assisting the man with the ball. They could not push him through the line without violating rule 4, nor could they precede him, as they would then certainly be making "an opening for the runner." This rule would, in effect, tend to eliminate all plays through the line.

To secure the second aim of the critics, an open game, is recommended the adoption of Mr. Walter Camp's suggestion requiring a ten yard gain in three downs. Few of the critics have observed, however, that the weakening of an eleven's offense caused by this ten-yard rule—added to the prohibition of these mass-play formations which have previously been a team's chief ground-gaining reliance—must have something to offset it, unless we are to have football degenerate into a punting duel.

In the rules under discussion this is accomplished by allowing the direct pass, absolutely unrestricted, and by keeping the secondary defense at least five yards from the scrimmage line. By the first rule any team with a "star" player can use him to greatest advantage; whatever may be said about the value of united action in football as a means of training, it is patent that the game today is too machine-like and does not give enough chance for the brilliant individual player. Again, with the secondary defense five yards away, more chance will be given for a play to get in motion before the defense can reach the point of attack.

Prof. Russell's rules would make football more open, but at the same time not a contest of punters. They give the average man a place in the game by making weight, in the mass play, no longer all-important, and by reducing (in rule 9) the premium on excessive endurance. Furthermore, they seem to leave a chance for individual work. Though they do not increase the penalties for roughness, they minimize the chances for incurring those penalties. With rule 5 out, they reform the game in a way that meets most of the objections of the critics, and still leaves it football.

Reception to Faculty

President and Mrs. Hopkins held a reception for members of the faculty and their wives Friday evening. Mrs. Howes and Mr. J. B. Lord '05 sang selections written by Mr. Salter.

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Lecture by Prof. William T. Sedgwick of Technology

Prof. William T. Sedgwick, of M. I. T., gave an interesting illustrated lecture in Jesup Hall Saturday evening on "Pure Milk and the Public Health". Prof. Sedgwick drove home the fact that the milk supply, especially in the cities, is not of the purity it should be for the good of the public health.

Milk is the only food which we secure from the living animal. Along with its whiteness has come the idea of its purity. We are ahead of our ancestors in most respects, but in milk supply we are on the same level. In Italian cities the milk is drawn fresh from the cow, with the result that the poorest child in Naples probably gets better milk than the richest child in New York.

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Changes in Courses

The following changes have been announced for the second half year: Government 5 will be continued throughout the year; English 10 will be omitted; Art 1 and Art 2 will not be given owing to the absence of Prof. Rice in Europe; in Botany and Geology 2b laboratory hours will be arranged with the instructor.

Northern New York Alumni

The annual dinner of the Williams alumni association of northern New York will be held at the Hotel Ten Eyck, Albany, Saturday evening, Feb. 3, at 7 o'clock. Prof. Leverett W. Spring '63, Geo. B. Wellington '76 and Joseph A. Lawson are expected to be the speakers. The annual dues, which include the price of the dinner and a smoker to be given later are $5.00. Notification of attendance, and remittance should be sent to George L. Hatt 2nd, 86 State street, Albany, N. Y.

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Annual Banquet at Hartford—Reminiscences of Garlield

The seventh annual banquet of the Williams alumni association of Connecticut was held at the rooms of the Hartford club at Hartford, Conn., Friday evening. Twenty Williams men were present.

At the business meeting which preceded the banquet, the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Samuel E. Elmore '57 of Hartford; vice-president, Judge George M. Carrington '61 of Winsted; secretary and treasurer, William W. Wilcox '85 of Middletown; toastmaster, Rev. Everett E. Lewis '62 of Haddam; executive committee, the above officers and Dr. Charles G. Rankin '82, of Glastonbury; Charles W. Rule '89 of Farmington and Linford F. Root '91 of Waterbury.

The toastmaster of the banquet was Prof. Raymond Dodge '93, professor of psychology at Wesleyan university. Mr. Elmore opened with some interesting personal reminiscences of James Abram Garfield, who graduated at Williams fifty years ago. The first speaker was Dr. James B. Pratt '98 who represented the college. Rev. Richmond Fisk, D. D., '58, of Middletown, gave reminiscences of old Williams days, and especially of President Garfield. Edward H. Smiley, principal of the Hartford High school, and Henry S. Stearns '81 of Hartford, also spoke. A letter was read from Rev. Samuel J. Andrews, D. D., '39, of Hartford, the oldest member of the association and one of the oldest living graduates of the college. Dr. Andrews said that he hoped that Williams might always remain a "poor man's college," always remembering the close affinity between "plain living and high thinking."

Those present, besides the speakers and officers, were Rev. E. P. Hammond '58, A. B. Bassett '81, Dr. C. G. Rankin, '82, A. M. Hitchcock '90, Rev. C. A. Davis '98, G. H. Huntington 1900, E.A. Goldthwait 1901, J. L. Linsley 1903, F. C. Thompson 1903, A. C. Bacon 1904 and C. E. Wells 1905.

Deacons Organize

At a meeting of the board of deacons held Sunday evening an organization was effected by the election of W. H. Curtiss 1906 as chairman, and A. J. Pierce, 1907 as secretary. The general secretary of the Christian association was voted in as an ex-officio member. Regular meetings will be held on Sunday evenings at 8:15.

Y. M. C. A. Elections Feb. 15

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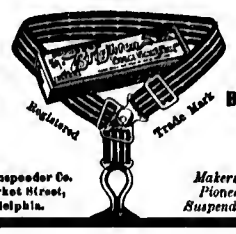
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In the 1906—1907 relay race Griswold started for the seniors against Hurlbut '07, who had the pole. Griswold ran a good race, and was beaten by only a yard for the two laps. Eggleston '06 and A. Brown '07 ran with practically no change in the relative positions. Ayers '06 passed Lapham '07 on the third turn, beating him by seven or eight yards. Osterhout '06 ran a pretty race for the finish against Conover '07, who fought hard, but was unable to make up any of his handicap.

Hoch '09 gained about three yards on Watters '08 at the start of the sophomore-freshman race. B. P. Allen '08 fell at the last turn of the first lap, and lost about ten yards to Green '09. T. Fowle '08 could not gain on Johnston '09. Although Horrax '09, running against Ayer '08, fell on the same fourth turn, he made up the distance, and 1909 won by fifteen yards. Time, 2.21 1-5.

Sigma Phi Fraternity Entertains

The Sigma Phi fraternity held an informal dance at its house Saturday evening, entertaining its guests over Sunday. The following chaperons and guests were present: Mrs. F. E. Howe of Troy, Mrs. Hoy of Albany, Miss Lorenz of Shamokin, Pa., Miss Garrett of St. Louis, Miss Fancher of Fanwood, N. J., Miss Easton of Albany, Miss Hoy of Albany, Miss Miller of Philadelphia, Miss Kilbourn of Malone, N. Y., Miss Bright of Berlin, Wis., Miss Sarah McKinley and Miss Marion McKinley of Albany, Miss Mann of Chicago, Miss Hopkins, Miss Alice Hopkins, and Miss Dorothy Goodrich of Williamstown.

Address by Mr. Robert S. Freeman

Mr. Robert S. Freeman, of Princeton Theological seminary, delivered a forcible address to the Y. M. C. A. Sunday evening, basing his remarks on Nehemiah 6:3, "I am doing a great work, so that I cannot come down." This, he said, is an admirable motto for the young minister, lawyer, statesman or business man. The secret of safety is work. Before we decide upon our profession, we want to count as much as possible on accomplishing something, and making our life worth living. Life is like a 100-yard dash, and within the short 10 seconds we must crowd enough good to make our life count for God and man.

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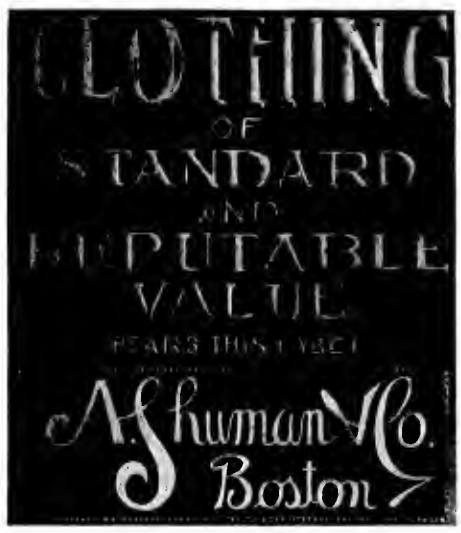
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The 1906 house-party week will be held in February. The Kappa Alpha, Delta Kappa Epsilon and Delta Psi fraternities will give house-parties lasting from Friday, February 16, till the following Tuesday, February 20. The program for the week is not yet completed. Besides the usual dances, receptions, etc., Cap and Bells will give its first Williamstown presentation of "The Man from Mexico" at the Opera House on Saturday, February 17th. On the same day Williams will meet Colgate in basketball. A list of guests follows:

Kappa Alpha: Mrs. Francis E. Bowker, of Waltham, Mass.; Mrs. Fred H. Fay of Auburn, N. Y.; Miss Elizabeth Winslow and Miss Kate Wheeler of Portland, Me.; Miss Violet Pike, of New York city; Miss May Bradley, of Montclair, N. J.; Miss Isabel Strong, of Cleveland, O.; Miss Harriet Doughty, of Williamstown; Miss Bella C. Maynard and Miss Cordelia Williams, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Miss Anna H. Fitch, of New Haven, Conn.; Miss Rosamond Underwood, Miss Elizabeth Gates, and Miss Carolyn Hills, of Auburn, N. Y.; Miss Mary P. Thayer, of Worcester, Mass.; Miss Kathleen Rumney, of Detroit, Michigan.

Delta Psi: Mrs. Butler, of Hartford, Conn.; Mrs. Gaylord, of New Haven, Conn.; Mrs. Danforth Geer, of Hoosick Falls, N. Y.; Mrs. Herbert S. Ide, of Troy, N. Y.; Miss Collamore, Miss Dawson, Miss Sabin and Miss Scott, of New York city; Miss Kelley of Philadelphia, Penn.; Miss Francis, Miss M. Francis, Miss Mann and Miss Nash, of Troy, N. Y.; Miss Eastman, of Elmira, N. Y.; Miss McLeod and Miss Lindsay of Milwaukee, Wis.; Miss Passmore, of Minneapolis, Minn.; Miss Merritt of Washington, D. C.; Miss Milnor, of Chicago, Ill.; Miss O'Hare, of Rochester, N. Y.; Miss Ballard, of Pittsfield; Miss Huntress, of Lowell; Miss Munson, of Wallingford, Conn.; Miss Butler, of Hartford, Conn.

Delta Kappa Epsilon: Mrs. S. G. Kenney, Mrs. A. H. Morton and Mrs. C. L. Maxey, of Williamstown; Mrs. A. H. Hanson, of Chicago; Mrs. S. C. Wooster, of Albany; Miss Kenney, of Williamstown; Miss Gertrude Russell, of Springfield; Miss Freda Gleason, of Gleasondale; Miss Clara Caswell and Miss Nell McMein, of Quincy, Ill.; Miss Millie F. Glover, of Shawneetowne, Ill.; Miss Genevieve Warner, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss Marion LaDow and Miss Mabel Fayles, of Albany, N. Y.; Miss Elizabeth Adams and Miss May Thomson,

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COLLEGE NOTES

The hockey game with Williston, scheduled for Wednesday of this week, has been cancelled.

The librarian of the college is sending copies of the 1905 general catalogue to some of the alumni.

Rice '98, Williams ex-'00, Houston '03, Groesbeck '04, Labbé '04, W. A. Newell '05, Mills '05, and T. D. Williams ex-'08 have been in town recently.

The following men were taken on the Wesleyan trip to Middletown Friday: Cowell, Gardner, Hobson (manager), Neild, '06; Allen, Stewart, Tower, '07; and trainer Barrett.

Members of the class in Geology I accompanied Prof. Cleland Saturday afternoon on a trip to Mason's Hill, Mann Hill, and other points of geological interest near Pownal.

Prof. Russell will represent the college at the following alumni banquets next month:—Detroit, February 12; Chicago, February 13; and Columbus, February 14. Prof. Spring and Asst.-Prof. Perry will attend the alumni banquet at Albany February 3, and Prof. Hewitt and Prof. Morton the banquet in New York city on February 2.

Brady '06 has been elected a vestryman of St. John's Episcopal church and parish. Among the other church officers chosen are Hon. Bentley W. Warren '85, junior warden; Willard E. Hoyt '92, treasurer; Prof. C. L. Maxcy '87, clerk; and Hon. John B. Gale '42, Dr. Henry S. Leake '87, and Wm. C. Hart '94, vestrymen.

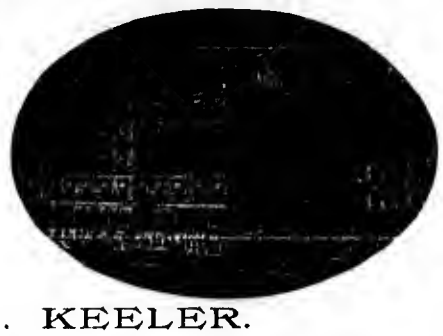
Eclipse of Moon Feb. 9

The only eclipse visible in New England during the year 1906 will take place in the early morning of Feb. 9, when the earth comes between the sun and the moon, eclipsing the latter. The moon will begin to be darkened at 12:57 a. m., and its surface will be totally in shadow at 1:57. Totality will last until 3:36 and the dark shadow will leave it at 4:37, although the moon will not be out of the penumbra until 5:39.

Camera Club Organizes

At a meeting of those interested in photography held in Hopkins Hall Saturday afternoon a camera club was organized with the following officers: President, Cowperthwait '06; vice-president, Wight '07; treasurer, Anderson '08. It is hoped to have a dark room fitted up for use of the members, and also to have exhibitions of the work of the club.

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BROWN'S SCORE DOUBLED

Williams Wins Basketball Game at Providence by Twelve Points

Providence, R. I., Feb. 14—Williams defeated Brown tonight at basketball by the score of 22 to 10. Both teams played a fast game, and guarded so closely as to leave few chances for baskets. Cowell was the star for the Purple, and in the middle of the second half, when the score was at its closest point, Neild shot two long baskets from the middle of the floor. Pryor and Tower, guarding carefully, broke even. Williams led at the end of the first half 11-5, although scoring but two floor baskets. The good physical condition of the Williams five told toward the end of the game.

Line-up and summary:

Williams	Brown
Gardner lf,	rg, Smith
Neild rf,	lg, Schwartz
Tower c,	c, Pryor
Allen lg,	rf, King
Cowell rg,	lf, Gorman

Score, Williams 22, Brown 10. Baskets from floor, Cowell 3, Gardner 2, Neild 2; Schwartz, Gorman. Baskets from foul, Neild 8; Pryor 6. Referee and umpire, Briggs of Springfield Training school. Time, 20-minute halves.

Organ Recital Sunday Afternoon

Mr. Salter will play the following program next Sunday afternoon from four to five o'clock in the chapel:

J. S. Bach—Toccata in D minor.

Robert Schumann—Traumerei and Romanze.

César Franck—Pastorale.

Ludwig Von Beethoven—Andante. (Symphony V).

Alexandre Guilmant—Sonata V in C minor.

Assistant Manager of Basketball

At a meeting of the class of 1907 held in Jesup Hall Friday, February 2, Robert Leon Pease of Huntington was elected assistant basketball manager in place of William Sherman Winslow, resigned. Pease prepared at the Westfield High school.

The athletic council has appointed Winslow acting manager for the remainder of the year. R. V. Hobson '06, manager, has left college.

Syracuse Game Re-Scheduled

The manager of the Syracuse basketball team recently made an offer to play the game which was cancelled by Syracuse. Williams has accepted his proposal and the game will take place as originally scheduled, on Feb. 21.

INITIAL PERFORMANCE

Cap and Bells Scores a Hit With "The Man From Mexico"

"The Man From Mexico," the most diverting and ingenious gentleman ever bothered by his loving relatives, made his initial appearance under Cap and Bells management at the Richmond theatre last night and for two hours kept an unusually large and appreciative audience shaking with laughter. With him were the aforementioned relatives and several troublesome friends, whose acting provoked applause which was equally frequent.

"The Man From Mexico" is beyond comparison with any of the recent efforts of the dramatic club. Though a most difficult play to stage and costume, its presentation last night would have done credit to an experienced company. The rough corners common to such first nights were scarcely noticeable. The characters showed great naturalness and ease, there were no awkward waits for something to happen, and there were no false cues.

The make-ups were remarkably clever and the costumes complete. The play is free from the sameness apt to mark amateur performances where the conclusion is foreseen from the first act, and the dialogue is sparkling from start to finish.

Mr. Donald MacDonald, to whose efficient coaching last night's success is the highest tribute, appeared in the third act in a novel Spanish dance that captivated the house. In the intervals between the acts the glee club rendered several taking numbers. Music was furnished by the college orchestra under the nominal leadership of Day '05 in disguise. The show will be repeated in the Williamstown opera house Saturday night, and a more detailed criticism of the characters will appear in the next number of The Record.

T. J. Dowd Re-Engaged as Coach

Thomas J. Dowd, coach of the 1905 basketball team, has been engaged by the baseball management for the season of 1906. Mr. Dowd played on the Brown and Georgetown teams, and has played professional ball for thirteen years. As soon as the cage is ready for fielding, he will come to Williamstown to start work on the team.

Colgate Saturday

Williams will play Colgate in basketball at 2.30 Saturday afternoon in Lasell Gymnasium. Colgate will line up as follows: Runge, rf; Stowell, lf; Knapp, c; Coster, rg; Greene (capt.), lg.

THE KNEISEL QUARTET

In the Thompson Entertainment Course Friday Evening

The voices of Beethoven, Rubinstein, Bach and Smetana were heard in Jesup Hall last Friday evening and through the masterly playing of Mr. Franz Kneisel and his associates made impressions which in many cases will be lifelong. Germany, Russia and Bohemia were the countries represented, the types being fairly representative except in the case of Russia, Rubinstein being generally regarded as more German than Russian.

The G major quartet of Beethoven (1770-1826) is one of his early period of composition, when the influence of Haydn and Mozart, his forerunners, is plainly traceable in all forms of writing. It is simple, clear, well articulated in form, melodious, fresh and cheerful, wholesome and invigorating in a superlative degree, as was manifestly felt by the audience.

The slow movement by Rubinstein (1829-1894), from his music of the spheres, is one of those romantic tone-poems which transport one to ethereal realms, and suggest heavenly harmonies and angelic voices, when played with united strings as it was Friday night. A more delicious tone than that heard in this number would be hard to conceive.

Mr. Kneisel presented three movements from different sonatas for violin solo by the great John Sebastian Bach (1685-1750). In certain directions the art of music has not progressed since the days of its immortal patriarch and one is that of writing for the violin alone. Mr. Kneisel not only possesses the technical rescources but the temperament and understanding to make the sonatas eloquent with a living voice as few players are able to do.

The quartet in E minor by Friedrich Smetana (1824-1884) was the most humanly interesting number of the program. Smetana was a sufferer for seven years from partial, gradually increasing deafness until in 1874 he became stone deaf and continued so until his death in a mad-house in Prague. This quartet, a cycle of symphonic poems, "My Fatherland," and an opera, "The Secret," were written during this period of total deafness.

Owing to the reported illness of Mr. Schroider, Mr. d'Archambault supplied his place at the 'cello desk, with great satisfaction.

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CALENDAR

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

6.30 p. m.—Annual dinner of Philadelphia alumni, The Bellevue-Stratford, Philadelphia.

7.30 p. m.—Boston alumni dinner, University club, Boston.

8.00 p. m.—Chas. M. Jesup, of New York city, lectures on "The Citizen and his Relation to his Country", J. H.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Colgate basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

4.00-6.00 p. m.—Delta Psi fraternity at home, St. Anthony Hall.

4.00-6.00 p. m.—Kappa Alpha fraternity at home, Kappa Alpha lodge.

5.00-7.00 p. m.—Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity at home, Delta Kappa Epsilon house.

8.00 p. m.—Cap and Bells presents "The Man from Mexico", Opera House.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18

10.30 a. m.—College Chapel. Rev. Harry Pinneo Dewey, D.D., '84, will preach. Administration of communion.

4.00 p. m.—Organ recital by Mr. Salter, Chapel.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Rev. Dr. Dewey will speak.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19

7.30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H.

MICHIGAN ALUMNI

Annual Banquet at Detroit—Prof. Russell Represents College

The Williams Alumni Association of Michigan held its annual banquet Monday evening at the Detroit club, corner of Fourth and Cass streets, Detroit. Twenty-three alumni and guests were present. Rev. Henry Tatlock '71, president of the association, presided.

At the business meeting the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Rev. Rufus W. Clark, D. D., '65; secretary and treasurer, Ray Connor, M. D., '97, re-elected.

Prof. John E. Russell '72 spoke in behalf of Williams college, and the following responded to toasts: Dr. Leartus Connor '65, Rev. Rufus W. Clark, D.D., '65, Prof. Arthur G. Canfield '78, professor of Romance languages in the University of Michigan, E. Gay Wasey ex-'01, and Rev. E. H. Pence, pastor of the Fort St. Presbyterian church, Detroit, a graduate of Hanover college.

Besides Prof. Russell and Rev. Mr. Pence, state senator John D. Mackay was present as the association's guest. The following members attended: Justin E.

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Announcement

The Record regrets to announce the resignation from the board of R. V. Hobson 1906, who has left college on account of illness.

Class Elections and Managerships

In a communication which appears in this issue, Gargoyle presents for the consideration of the college two proposals. The first is a set of by-laws intended to introduce system and fairness in class elections. The second is a recommendation of changes in the method of choosing managers of the college athletic teams. Both will be voted upon at a college meeting on Monday evening, when the first proposition will be considered in its entirety. Immediately following, the provisions of the second as amendments to the constitutions of the three associations will be brought up for decision. If these measures are passed, the college will substitute in its class elections, system for uncertainty, and fairness for unfairness. The provisions affecting athletic managerships will supplement the "no-deal" rule, recently adopted, and fortify it against any possible violation in the future by removing the necessity of electioneering.

It is safe to assume that any one who stops to consider the methods by which class officers are elected at present, will see the necessity of a change. The fact that no uniform method of procedure obtains in class elections frequently leads to results as unsatisfactory as they are unjust. The class president, by exercising his privilege of appointing the time of an election, has a power which he can use, and has used, to the disadvantage of a particular candidate, or a group of men to which he is opposed. We can recall several instances in which such an action has generated "bad blood" in the class.

In addition to this, there exists an uncertainty regarding the extent of the suffrage in boards and committees—notably the Gul. board. Section 2 of article IV is perhaps the most radical change from present methods. It provides that nominations shall be by ballot. This clause should prevent the exclusion of eligible candidates, easily overlooked when a motion is made that nominations be closed. The proposal as a whole seems to cover every necessary case. We believe its adoption will place the class election on a basis that is simple and satisfactory as well as fair to every member of the class.

The proposed amendments to the constitutions of the three major athletic associations are designed to insure a square election of the managers. The anti-combination agreement is evidently open to several interpretations in regard to electioneering. If the names of all candidates are published in this paper, there will be no need of personal soliciting, under the guise of "just letting you know that he is running." It is also plain that this plan gives sufficient time to the college to consider all candidates, and for this reason should tend to the choice of more efficient managers. To the student himself, the proposal has distinct advantages over present methods. All who wish to run can be candidates. One who does not wish to be a candidate, is not forced into the election by his friends.

As a class election, the basketball managership does not receive its proper amount of consideration from the college. Its relative importance with the three major branches of athletics is sufficient in itself to warrant placing this election on the same basis as the others. The choice by the sophomore class remains as a relic of the time when basketball received little or no support from the college body.

On the other hand, golf, hockey and tennis are distinctly minor sports. Only to a very slight extent do they depend directly on the college for financial support. They must look to the athletic council, which should be given the power of appointing managers whom it believes will use good judgment in expending its funds.

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FROM GARGOYLE

Two Recommendations—Class Elections and Athletic Managerships

The senior society presents to the college for consideration the following set of by-laws concerning class elections:

ARTICLE I.

PURPOSE.—These by-laws are designed to correct certain abuses current at the election of class officers and committees in Williams college, by providing specific times for the holding of such elections, and specified rules for the government thereof.

ARTICLE II.

THE ELECTIONS CONCERNED.—Sec. 1. These by-laws shall apply to the election of the president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer of each class; class baseball and football managers; the supper committees of the junior, sophomore and freshman classes; the sophomore prom. committee; the Gul board; the senior class day officers.

SEC. 2. The sophomore prom. committee shall be composed of five men, who shall meet and elect by majority vote a chairman from their own number and ten additional members.

SEC. 3. The Gul board shall be composed of five editors and two artists; each member of which shall vote in the election of an editor-in-chief from their own number, and of a manager, to be chosen from the class at large.

SEC. 4. The senior class day officers shall be: class day president, two marshals, a class poet, an ivy poet, a class orator, an orator to the lower classes, a pipe orator, an ivy orator, and a library orator, a prophet, a prophet on prophet, a historian, a permanent secretary, an editor of the class book; a class photograph committee of three members, who shall choose their own chairman; a class day committee consisting of five members, who shall meet and elect by majority vote a chairman from their own number, an auxiliary senior prom. committee of ten additional members, and a class supper committee of three members.

ARTICLE III.

SEC. 1. Elections for president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer of each class, except in the case of the freshman class, shall be held during the first week of the college year. The freshman class shall elect its officers in the fourth week of the college year, and until such election has taken place, the junior president shall act as president of the freshman class.

SEC. 2. The freshman and sophomore classes shall elect their respective football managers in the second week of the college year. Until such election has taken place, the assistant manager of the 'varsity football team shall act as manager of the freshman team, and shall arrange a schedule of games therefor.

SEC. 3. All classes shall elect their respective baseball managers during the last week of January.

SEC. 4. The junior, sophomore and freshman classes shall elect their respective supper committees during the first week of May.

SEC. 5. The sophomore class shall elect its prom. committee during the last week of January, and its Gul board during the last week of March.

SEC. 6. The senior class shall elect its class day officers during the second week of December.

ARTICLE IV.

GOVERNMENT OF ELECTIONS.—SEC. 1. It shall be the duty of the president of each class to give notice at least two days before the holding of the election of any office specified in Article II, Section 1, of these by-laws.

SEC. 2. Nomination of candidates for these offices shall be exclusively by ballot.

SEC. 3. No proxies shall be voted at any election covered by these by-laws.

SEC. 4. A majority shall elect, except

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ARTICLE V.

SEC. 1. These by-laws go into effect immediately after ratification by majority vote of a college meeting.

SEC. 2. Elections for the offices specified in Article II, Section 1, shall not be valid unless conducted according to these by-laws.

SEC. 3. These by-laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of those present at a college meeting.

Gargoyle also recommends the following changes in the method of electing managers of athletic teams:

1. That an amendment be made to Article II. Section 1 of the constitutions of the football, baseball, and track associations to read:

SEC. 1. The vice-president shall be elected at the annual meting and in the following manner: The incoming junior class shall hold a class meeting upon notice of the president of this association, who shall give such notice in The Williams Record at least two weeks in advance, and shall then specify the method of election according to the terms of this section. Thereupon every man of the incoming junior class who wishes to become a candidate for this office shall hand his name to the president of this association, who shall publish all such names in The Williams Record at least one week prior to the time set for the election. The class shall ballot solely on the names so published. The ballots shall then be sealed up by the tellers and delivered to the president of the association. At the regular meeting of the association, the ballots shall be opened and counted. The members shall then ballot upon the names of the persons receiving the three highest number of votes. A majority shall elect.

2. That the basketball manager be elected by the college, in the same manner as the football manager, as specified in the above amendment to Article II. Section I. of the constitution of the football association.

3. That the golf, hockey and tennis managers be appointed by the athletic council.

Wedding of A. C. Barrell '97

Miss Etta Lucy Smith, daughter of Hon. and Mrs. Wellington Smith of Lee, was married on Tuesday evening to Alanon Colburn Barrell, '97. The wedding took place in the First Congregational Church of Lee. Rev. Henry Wilds Smith, pastor of the church, officiated, assisted by an uncle of the bride, Rev. Charles B. Bullard '75 of East Orange, N. J. The best man was the groom's brother, George B. Barrell '98 of Buffalo, and the ushers were Arthur F. Hebard 1900 of Brooklyn, Dr. Ray Connor '97 of Detroit, William E. Greene '97 of Cleveland, Harry D. Nims '98 of New York city and Wellington B. Smith 1901, a brother of the bride.

Debating Teams Chosen

The make-up of the two debating teams has recently been announced, including the probable order of speaking:

Affirmative — Against Dartmouth, at Williamstown Byard '08, Matthews '07, Case '07; alternate, Sayre '09.

Negative—Against Brown at Providence; Groben '08, Toll '09, Perry '06; alternate, Murray '08.

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NEW YORK ALUMNI

Banquet Held Feb. 2—Speeches by Prominent Men

One of the most successful and most largely attended Williams banquets ever held in New York, was that of the New York Alumni Association, at Delmonico's Friday evening, February 2. Two hundred Williams men and guests were present.

The presiding officer was Dr. Hamilton Wright Mabie, president of the association. In opening he regretted that The Hon. Joseph H. Choate, who was expected, was unable to be present. Dr. John Haskell Hewitt was introduced. He spoke on topics of interest to Williams alumni. Among other things he said:

"We are keeping quiet up at Williams about the matter of football. We have found that football is a good game and we propose to keep it with certain reformations of the rules.

"You may be interested to know that the honor system has worked splendidly at our college. If you old fellows would go back to the math. room you would miss the old familiar sign 'No borrowing and no lending in this room.'" He strongly advocated a return to the old time classical methods of education where possible in college life.

Dr. Mabie said that he favored the big colleges making their own playing rules for football and leaving the little colleges alone. "In my time, they made the big boys play by themselves."

Dr. William Goodell Frost, president of Berea College, Ky., a prominent benefactor of the poor whites of the south, told of the manners and customs of Appalachian America.

The next speaker was Dr. John H. Finley, president of the College of the City of New York. He gave some very interesting definitions of several matters of collegiate interest, a few of which follow:

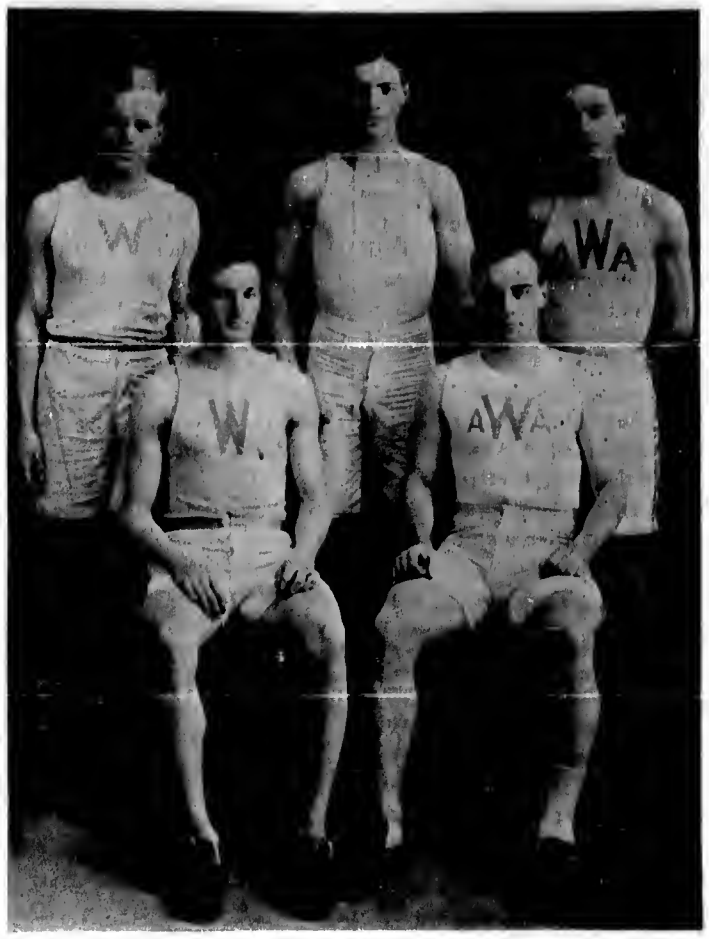
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WILLIAMS RELAY TEAM

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Exciting Relay With Wesleyan—Brilliant Finish by Hurlbut

Williams defeated Wesleyan in the 1560-yard relay race at the 17th annual games of the B. A. A. in Mechanics Hall, Boston, Saturday night. The Purple won out in the last lap by 6 yards in the most closely contested relay of the evening. The time was 3 m. 14 1-5 s.

Griswold '06 drew the pole, but was passed by Kent who finished a yard in the lead. Osterhout '06 overtook Gray at the first corner and gave Ayers '06, running against Smith, a lead of two yards. Again Wesleyan drew ahead and Hurlbut '07, though five yards behind, caught Captain McCormack at the end of the first lap, and passed him in the middle of the second. Williams won by six yards.

In the other races, Brown, Williams' opponent at Troy Feb. 21, defeated Amherst by 6 yards in 3 m. 13 3-5s. Horrax '09, who secured third in the handicap high jump with an actual jump of 5 ft. 7 1-2 in. (handicap 5 in.), was the only individual Williams entry to be placed. Leavitt, ex-'07, running from scratch, was second in the 45-yard high hurdles, Hill of Yale, with 7 ft. handicap, winning by a foot, in 6 seconds.

Rev. Harry Pinco Dewey, D. D. will address the Y. M. C. A. in Jesup Hall next Sunday evening at 7:15.

FOR ENTRANCE ENGLISH

Conference at Providence to Secure Uniform Requirements

A conference of the New England colleges on the proposed entrance requirements in English was held in Providence Friday and Saturday, January 26 and 27. Delegates were present from about twenty colleges and universities. A permanent organization was formed to discuss matters connected with school and college English. Prof. Winchester of Wesleyan was elected president and a committee of eight was appointed to act regarding the immediate problem of the proposed requirement: Prof. Cross, (Yale) chairman; Prof. Maxey, (Williams) secretary; Profs. Winchester, (Wesleyan), Emery, (Dartmouth), Churchill, (Amherst), Damon, (Brown), Mitchell, (Bowdoin), and Stevens, (Mt. Holyoke). The committee will hold a meeting at Springfield Feb. 23 and 24.

The Providence conference discussed at length the problem of preparatory English and while opinion varied on matters of detail, it was the general feeling that the colleges must demand greater attention to form and methods of expression. It was impossible to formulate details of possible changes within the limits of time, and the committee was appointed to outline and submit plans to the various New England colleges, as well as to the next session of the national conference on uniform entrance requirements in English.

MUNICIPAL POLITICS

Addresses by New York Men—Charles M. Jesup Tonight

The college good government club will begin tonight its series of political meetings, addressed by men well-known in municipal politics. Charles M. Jesup of New York city will be the speaker. Mr. Jesup is a member of the executive committee of the College Men's Political Association of New York city and the originator of the movement for the consolidation of student political clubs in the colleges of the east.

The subject of his address will be "The Citizen and his Relation to the Country's Future." Mr. Jesup will come to Williams from Amherst, where he addressed the good government club there on the previous evening. Tomorrow evening he will speak at Dartmouth before the Dartmouth good government club. The meeting will be at 8 o'clock, in Jesup Hall, and opportunity for an informal discussion on the evening's question will be given before Mr. Jesup speaks.

On Friday evening, March 9, Frederick W. Hinrichs, a prominent New York lawyer, will address the club. His topic will be "Political Work and its Rewards."

Of the invitations sent out by the club officers to secure speakers for the next few months, but one speaker will be unable to come, according to the replies which have been thus far received. Homer Folk, a member of the New York state legislature, who was to have spoken before the club in March, has written that his duties at the capitol will prevent him from coming to Williamstown.

Thursday evening, March 15, Owen R. Lovejoy, of New York city, a member of the national child labor committee, will be at Williamstown to address the club. He will take as his topic, "The Status of Child Labor in the United States."

Baseball Cage Nearly Ready

The floor of the cage is now smoothed off sufficiently for batting practice, and will probably admit of fielding practice by the end of the week. The new batting device which has arrived for the use of the team will be installed soon. It consists of a baseball attached to floor and ceiling by means of rubber cords, batted on the same principle as a punching bag is hit. It will afford practice on curves of all sorts.

Philadelphia Alumni Dinner

The Williams Alumni Association of Philadelphia will hold its annual dinner this evening at 6:30 in the Bellevue-Stratford, Philadelphia. Prof. Wahl will represent the college.

WILLIAMS 25; YALE 9

The Blue Defeated at Springfield in Slow Basketball Game

Williams played its poorest game of the season against Yale in the Whitney rink, Springfield, Saturday night, but the Blue, likewise not up to its usual form, was easily defeated 25 to 9. Many fouls were called on each team, and Neild's accuracy in turning them into points was in direct contrast with Rockwell's. The Yale five did more guarding than passing.

The score at the end of the first half was 13-3 in favor of Williams, a long throw from back of the center by Neild, and a shot by Cowell when completely covered being the best bits of individual work. There were 22 fouls in the second half. The game was slow and uninteresting.

Williams	Yale
Gardner lf,	rg, Noyes, Barrows
Neild rf,	lg, Rockwell
Tower c,	c, Fargo
Blaisdell lg,	rf, Anderson
Cowell rg,	lf, Clifford, Fowler

Score: Williams 25, Yale 9. Baskets from floor, Cowell 6, Neild; Rockwell, Anderson. Baskets from foul, Neild 11; Rockwell 4, Clifford. Referee and umpire, Waters of Fitchburg Y. M. C. A. Timers, Eldred '05 and P. C. Smith, jr. Time, 20-minute halves.

Williams 22, Fitchburg 13

On Wednesday, January 31, Williams defeated Fitchburg Y. M. C. A. at basketball in Lasell Gymnasium 22 to 13. Fitchburg plays much the same style of game as Williams, and in the first half their short passes, hard blocking, and great speed earned them a lead of one point, the score being 11 to 10. Williams' team play was poor and two of the baskets shot were sensational; W. Syme, the visitors' star center, shot a pretty basket with his left hand from near the center.

Fitchburg was unable to keep up the pace in the second half, and scored only on fouls. Williams' passes were no longer constantly intercepted after the first few minutes, and two goals by Cowell gave the Purple a 4-point lead. Neild scored on a one-handed pick-up and Gardner, after missing several easy shots, batted the ball in on a missed goal from foul. Two minutes before time was called Mologhan, in jumping to catch a pass, struck his head against one of the iron wheels controlling the ventilating apparatus, and was stunned for several minutes.

The contest for the Lehman Cup, which is held annually for all-round proficiency in track athletics, will take place in the gymnasium on Saturday, March 3.

HOCKEY

Williams Wins and Loses at Albany—Defeated by Princeton

The hockey team was defeated 5-3 by the Albany Hockey club, at Albany, February 2. Williams started off at a whirlwind rate, and caged the first shot, which was soon matched by Albany. The home team secured two more before the close of the half, making the score 3-1.

In the second half Williams tied the score, but again two more points were made by the Hockey club, giving the victory to Albany. Captain Rudd, Stower and Brady excelled for Williams and Burlingame for Albany.

Princeton 4; Williams 3

Williams lost the hockey game with Princeton at Albany Friday night, after an exciting contest. The final score was 4—3. Williams started the game in aggressive style. This fast work, combined with accurate passing and shooting, brought three tallies in the first half, while Princeton could make but one.

In the second half the greater endurance of Princeton players told in their favor. Two goals from scrimmage tied the score. Lewis' shot from the side placed Princeton in the lead. Princeton shot at the net again and again and only the brilliant work of Stower at goal prevented a larger score. Goals were shot as follows: Lewis 2, C. Brown 2, Wilcox, Coxe, Dillon.

Williams 2; Albany 1

The hockey team balanced its earlier defeat by winning from the Albany Hockey club 2-1 Saturday night at Albany. All the scoring was done in the first half. The puck was in Williams territory most of the time during the first half but good work at goal prevented scores. Rudd carried the puck down the rink for the first point and Wilcox caged the second. Goold scored for Albany. The second half was featureless.

D. P. Brown Elected Hockey Capt.

At a meeting of the hockey team held Tuesday, Downing P. Brown 1908 was elected captain for next year.

Resolution of Athletic Council

The following resolution has been passed unanimously by the athletic council.

Resolved: That in the opinion of the athletic council, captains of Williams athletic teams should observe greater care not to bring upon the college the stigma of unsportsmanlike conduct by too hasty withdrawal of their teams during progress of a game.

And that a copy of this resolution be printed in The Williams Record.

IMMIGRATION

Mr. John Willis Baer Advocates Giving Immigrants a Chance

At the evening meeting of the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday, February 4, an address was delivered by John Willis Baer, who recently resigned the secretaryship of the Presbyterian board of home missions to accept the presidency of Occidental college, Los Angeles, Cal. Mr. Baer spoke on the immigration problem. He said that those who advocated the "barbed-wire fence" were not true American patriots, but Jingoes.

Still, some restriction is necessary, and the tests of health and literacy seem the most effective in weeding out undesirable elements. The great trouble at present is the congestion of immigrants in the large eastern cities. They should be distributed over the south and west where they are needed. It is a many-sided and difficult question, but American spirit can settle it. "Give a man that's a man a chance in God's country. If we dare not, let's quit."

Additional House-Party Guests

In addition to the list of house-party guests already published in The Record, the following guests will attend: Delta Kappa Epsilon, Miss Christine Hayward, of New York city; Miss Edith Lawrence, of Staten Island, N. Y.; Mrs. Henry Hopkins and Mrs. M. N. Wetmore, of Williamstown; Mrs. Elder, of Brooklyn: Delta Psi, Mrs. Richard Leake, of Albany; Mrs. Gallatin, of New York city; Miss Leake and Miss Georgiana Leake of Albany: Kappa Alpha, Miss Mabel Curry, of Cambridge, Mass.

The following guests will be unable to be present: Delta Kappa Epsilon, Mrs. A. H. Hanson, of Chicago: Kappa Alpha, Miss Harriet Doughty, of Williamstown; Miss Isabel Strong, of Cleveland, O.: Delta Psi, Mrs. Danforth Geer, of Hoosick Falls, N. Y.; Miss O'Hare, of Rochester, N. Y.; Miss Merritt, of Washington, D. C.; Miss Milnor, of Chicago; Miss Ballard, of Pittsfield; Miss Huntress, of Lowell.

Lectures by Faculty

The first of a series of lectures, arranged for the benefit of the Girls' Missionary society of the Congregational church, was given by Prof. Kellogg Saturday evening, on "Meaning of Color in Animals and Plants." The remaining lectures will be given as follows: Feb. 20, Prof. Russell, "Hypnotism and Double Consciousness;" March 6, Prof. Goodrich, "Queen Louise of Prussia"; March 20, Judge Sanborn G. Tenney '86, "From Suez to Sinai;" March 31, Prof. McElfresh, "Various Kinds of Rays;" April 3, Prof. Cleland, "Some Remarkable Extinct Animals."

AT ALBANY

Northern N. Y. Alumni Banquet—F. Hopkinson Smith Attended

The Williams Alumni Association of Northern New York held its annual banquet Thursday evening at the Fort Orange club, Albany. It was well attended.

At the business meeting the following officers were elected: President, Justin Kellogg '65 of Troy; vice-presidents, Hugh P. Blackinton ex-'87 of Hoosick Falls, and Joseph W. Bott '83 of Albany; secretary, Frank C. Huyck ex-'98 of Albany; treasurer, William S. Miller '90 of Troy; executive committee, Walter H. Cluett ex-'93 of Troy, Fred E. Draper '95 of Troy, Dr. Frederick S. Cox '89 of Albany, Dr. Herbert L. Towne '94 of Schenectady and Arthur C. Sayles '99 of Albany.

The banquet was held in the club dining room. The Empire quartet of Troy sang during dinner. G. H. Thacher ex-'72 was toastmaster. Prof. Leverett W. Spring '63 represented the college. He said that Williams would take no radical action regarding football. The theory at Williams is to give the student as much liberty as possible unless it interferes with college interests. President Hopkins sent a message of greeting by telephone. After the dinner Mr. F. Hopkinson Smith told several humorous stories.

Subject for David A. Wells Prize

The subject for the David Ames Wells prize competition has been announced as follows: "The origin and growth of the power of the English national council and Parliament to levy taxes, from the time of the Norman conquest to the enactment of the Bill of Rights, with a statement of the constitutional law governing taxation by the authority of the United States."

Notices of intending competition must reach Prof. Nelson by March 27. The essays must be sent to Prof. Nelson before March 15, 1907, and the prize of $500 in gold will be awarded, if a suitable essay be presented, at Commencement 1907. The competition is open to members of the class of 1903, and to members of the classes of 1904, 1905 and 1906, who have taken Economics and one of Prof. Nelson's courses.

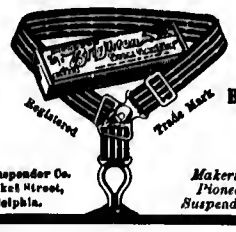
Paper by Dr. Howard

The meeting of the Scientific association, postponed from February 1, was held in the Biological Laboratory Saturday evening, February 10. Asst.-Prof. Howard read a paper on the physiological effect upon human beings of different rays, such as the cathode, Roentgen, and ultra-violet. The next meeting of the association will be held March 1, when Prof. Mears will describe some of the problems of physical chemistry.

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Lacedaemon and Sandy Pylos

Prof. Howes gave an interesting illustrated lecture on "Lacedaemon and Sandy Pylos" before the classical society Tuesday evening in Griffin Hall.

Prof. Howes told the story of a trip from Athens overland to Sparta by railroad and bicycle, showing excellent slides of points of historical and national interest along the way. He further showed a number of slides of places of historic importance and natural beauty in Sparta, that being to his mind the most picturesque of Greek lands. From Sparta he journeyed over mountain ranges to sandy Pylos, the home of Nestor. Among his views of this region was the famous cave of Nestor. Prof. Howes enlivened his lecture by many interesting anecdotes of the less romantic but thoroughly interesting and amusing features of modern Greek life.

The A. A. U. Dictum

In playing the Fitchburg Y. M. C. A. basketball team, on January 31, Williams contested with a team not registered or sanctioned by the A. A. U. In consequence the A. A. U. "suspended" the Williams team. Williams is not a member of the Athletic Union. This action means that any team in the A. A. U. which plays Williams forfeits its membership. The "suspension" is a matter of little importance and does not affect the standing of the Williams five.

To Elect to Phi Beta Kappa

The Gamma of Massachusetts chapter of Phi Beta Kappa will meet on February 24, to consider marks and elect members from the class of 1906. One-twelfth of the senior class will be chosen at this time, and after the final examinations in June the highest twelfth of the remainder of the class will be elected. It is probable that six will be chosen at the first election.

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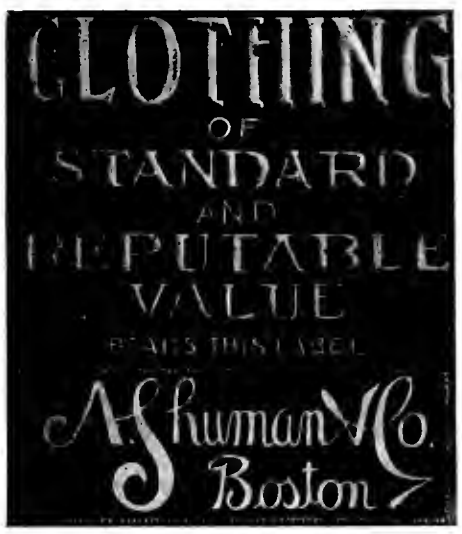
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COLLEGE NOTES

Baseball candidates were called out for the first battery practice Tuesday.

At the beginning of the second half-year 429 men are registered.

Elliott ex-1907, who resigned from college last year, has returned to college and re-entered with the class of 1908.

Halley, Hobson '06, Cramer '07, Fowler, Schenck, and J. S. Williams '09 have left college.

Dean Stanley Johnson of Burlington, Mich., has entered the class of 1908 from Olivet college.

The athletic council has decided to pay the expenses of the golf team to the intercollegiate tournament.

The next two concerts of the mandolin club will be given at Pittsfield, February 20, and Albany, February 22.

The date for the tri-collegiate debates, at Dartmouth's request, has been changed from Saturday, March 3, to Monday, March 5.

At a 1908 class meeting February 1, Brady, Douglass, Griswold, Rising, and Slattery were elected to the sophomore prom. committee.

The following alumni have been in town recently: Hubbell '74, Hurd '02, Hatch '03, Heermance, Hun, Kitchel and Williams '04, Appell, Eldred and Stern '05, Knowles ex-'07.

A. H. Thompson 1907, has left college and will go into partnership with Kincaid ex-1907, to operate the Hatton Grange Farm, Albermarle County, Virginia.

At the Y. M. C. A. meeting last Sunday evening, the Rev. Dr. Eckmann of New York city was the speaker. His subject was the consecration of one's talents to the accomplishment of some practical object.

At a concert to be given this evening in Odd Fellows Hall, Blackinton, for the benefit of St. Andrews' chapel, Blackinton, Mrs. George E. Howes, and Mr. John B. Lord 1905, will sing. Birdsall 1907 will play, and Pierce 1907 will read.

The following songs by Mr. Salter are being published by G. Thirmer and company of New York city: "Come Holy Spirit"—a sacred song, "The Shadows of the Evening Hours"—anthem, "Goodnight," and a nonsense verse, "Banderjacket." The last two are two-part songs for female voices.

Senator Dolliver of Iowa will speak at the Methodist church, North Adams, on February 19. In a letter to Mr. G. A. Hastings, president of the Methodist Men's Social Union, President Hopkins characterizes Senator Dolliver as "not only an entertaining and instructive talker, but a . . . genuine orator," and a public man whose "patriotism is of the right stamp."

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NOTICES

—On account of the communion service in chapel next Sunday morning, Feb. 18, the Bible classes will not meet at 11.30 on that day.

—Class prayer-meetings, 7:15 Friday evening. Topic: Need of Watchfulness: Luke 12: 32-40. Leaders: 1906, Demond; 1907, Stocking; 1908, H. W. Fisher; 1909, E. F. Rogers.

—Sophomores and juniors who intend to enter the preliminary contest for the Moonlights are requested to send in their names to Mr. Lewis before next Wednesday, February 21st.

—The class in vocal training and gesture will meet for the first time next Monday at 1:40 p. m. promptly in 6 H. H. It will continue till Easter, meeting four times a week—on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Saturdays. It is open to members of all classes. Men with defects in speech and men who expect to participate in the Moonlights are especially invited.

E. M. Lewis.

—All seniors who have not yet had their photographs taken for the class book, please report to Mr. Kinsman this week.

Committee.

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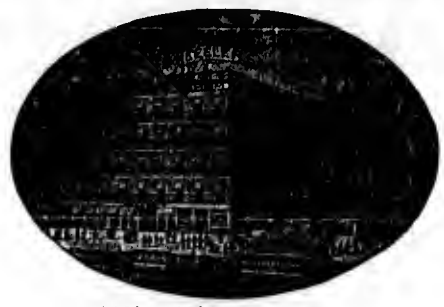
By vote of the Faculty, hereafter extra work will be assigned for more than two absences in the freshman required course in Public Speaking.

Henry D. Wild,
Acting Dean.

OBITUARY

'64—Rev. Timothy Grenville Darling, D.D., professor of Christian theology in Auburn Theological seminary, died of appendicitis at his home in Auburn, N. Y., Saturday, Feb. 2. Dr. Darling was born at Nassau, Bahamas, in 1843, the son of the American consul there. He prepared at Williston seminary and after graduating from Williams in the class of 1864, attended Princeton and Union Theological seminaries. After receiving his degree he became assistant pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Baltimore, Md. He next accepted the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church at Schenectady, N. Y., and was on the faculty of Union college. In 1888, Dr. Darling accepted the chair of sacred rhetoric and pastoral theology in Auburn seminary, which he held until 1891, when he became the Richards professor of Christian theology. He received the degree of D.D. from Williams in 1879.

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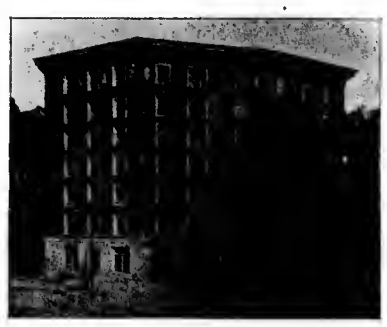


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THE SUPREME QUALITIES

Sacrifice and Consecration—Dr. Mabie Spoke at Vesper Service

Hamilton Wright Mabie, L. H. D., LL. D., '67, spoke at the vesper service last evening. He said in part as follows:

Sacrifice and consecration, were the two supreme qualities in that greatest of human lives, and are the two supreme qualities in every great human life.

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A life is beautiful, yes, decent, in the exact degree in which giving exceeds selling in it. The soul of a man's work is character, temperament, idealism. No man has a right to sell these; society cannot buy them. These two, sacrifice and consecration, fuse all a man's powers, make him at last a reincarnation of Him who was the best of men, in whom these powers were realized in the highest degree.

Y. M. C. A. Nominations

The annual business meeting of the college Christian association will be held in Jesup Hall at 7:30 on Friday evening, Feb. 23. The usual class prayer-meetings will be omitted on that evening.

The committee on nominations submits the following: For president and vice-president; 1907, Clark, Klauser, McCleary, Russell, Warren; for recording secretary and corresponding secretary; 1908, Anderson, Bullard, Byard, T. W. Fowle, McClellan, McIntyre; for treasurer; 1909; Gutterson, Hopkins, Matz, R. C. Mitchell, Palmer, Sayre, Toll, Winslow.

Syracuse Wednesday

Syracuse will meet Williams in basketball Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the Gymnasium. The visitors will start the game as follows: lf, Kirchgasser; rf, Redlein; c, Riehl; lg, Powell; rg, Dollard.

WILLIAMS WON

Fast Basketball Game with Colgate—Score 27 to 22

Williams defeated Colgate in Lasell Gymnasium Saturday afternoon by the score of 27-22 in a game reflecting fairly the relative merits of the two teams. Through Neild's accurate foul-shooting, the Purple obtained a lead of three points in the first half, and in consequence played a long passing game in the second half, taking long shots at the baaket and simply striving to keep the ball away from the Colgate end of the floor. This style of play, coupled with two long throws of the familiar type by Neild and further steady work from the foul line, outbalanced Runge's individual brilliancy and gave the game to Williams.

Colgate centered their play about Knapp and Runge. The latter, in his last appearance against a Williams team, strengthened the respect felt by all who have played against him as an athlete who plays hard from start to finish, and all the time with rare good nature. Against men endeavoring merely to keep him from scoring, he shot five baskets. Colgate played a blocking game which caused rough work by both teams. Referee Waters was twice obliged to warn Capt. Greene of Colgate.

Stowell shot the first basket of the game, but Gardner made a one-handed shot from the side. The lead see-sawed until near the close of the first half, when a basket by Gardner, and two goals from foul by Neild gave Williams a lead. In the second half Williams at one time led by a score of 19-18, but Neild's second fine long shot, an easy basket by Gardner, and Colgate's inability to score consistently from the foul line gave Williams a safe lead. 24 fouls were called on Williams, 21 on Colgate. Warren E. Lisle, Williams ex-'07, Colgate's assistant basketball manager, accompanied the team.

Williams	Colgate
Gardner lf,	rg, Coster
Neild rf.	lg, Greene
Tower c,	c, Knapp
Blaisdell, Allen lg.	rf, Runge
Cowell rg,	lf, Stowell

Score, Williams 27, Colgate 22. Baskets from floor, Gardner 3, Neild 2, Tower; Runge 5, Knapp, Stowell. Baskets from foul, Neild 15; Knapp 4, Runge 2, Stowell 2. Referee, Waters of Fitchburg Y. M. C. A. Umpire, Porter of Colgate. Timers, Lisle ex-'07 and Brady '06. Time, two 20-minute periods.

THE CITIZEN'S DUTY

A Strong Address by Mr. Charles M. Jesup of New York City

Mr. Charles M. Jesup of New York, a prominent banker, a nephew of the donor of Jesup Hall, and one of the most influential members of the campaign committee which elected William Travers Jerome, addressed the Good Government club in Jesup Hall Thursday evening. He spoke on "The Citizen and his Relation to his Country", and emphasized the nature of the duty now devolving upon college men, to shirk which means lack of patriotism.

He told of the personal influence of Washington, and of the purpose and ideals of Lincoln upon the past and present of our country. The present condition of our country, however, is full of danger as well as of promise. Its vast prosperity is a menace; the tremendous accumulation of wealth a hazard. The apathy of good men in public life is the creator of "bossism" and "graft." All the best men in politics are God-fearing men, and the first requisite of a citizen who has the future of his country at heart is that he should be God-fearing. The principle in business life is becoming "Get money honestly if you can, but get money." We follow the golden calf instead of the golden rule.

The first duty of college men is to find out what is being done in their own wards or districts, to find out the qualifications of the men who are running for office at primaries and caucuses. The newly-formed college men's political club movement, originated at Yale, is for this purpose. It aims to secure the co-operation of every college and university in the land, for good government and good citizenship. It is planned to form a federation and hold conventions of delegates.

After the address a meeting of members of the Williams Good Government club was held. Mr. Jesup outlined a few of the features of the movement and made several suggestions for the furtherance of the work here. He emphasised the necessity of absolute non-partisanship of the club, and suggested limited membership. Linen 1907 was elected vice-president in place of A. H. Thompson 1907.

The sophomore prom. committee has elected as chairman Richard Bradley Rising, of Springfield. Auxiliary committees will be appointed later.

CALENDAR

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19

7.30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20

8.30 p. m.—Musical clubs concert, Pittsfield Opera house.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Syracuse basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

7.30 p. m.—Athletic meet, Troy armory, Troy. Williams-Brown relay.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22

8.15 p. m.—"The Man from Mexico," Mahaiwe Opera house, Great Barrington.

8.30 p. m.—Musical clubs concert, Hotel Ten Eyck, Albany.

N. E. I. A. A. MEETING

Organization and Election of Officers of Athletic Association

At 11:00 a. m. Saturday the annual meeting of the N. E. I. A. A. was held at the Lenox hotel, Boston. The following were represented: Amherst, Williams, M. I. T., University of Vermont, Wesleyan, Bowdoin, Tufts, and University of Maine. Williams was represented by Paul Potter 1901, P. R. Peters 1906 and L. G. Hinman 1907.

Elections resulted as follows:—President, Philip A. Bridgeman of Amherst; vice-president, L. G. Hinman of Williams; secretary, T. W. Worthen of Dartmouth; treasurer, Lawrence Allen of M. I. T.

An application for membership from Holy Cross was laid on the table until the next meeting by a unanimous vote. It was voted provisionally to hold the meet May 18 and 19 at Worcester, the condition being that the director of the meet make a satisfactory settlement of his financial affairs connected with the meet last year.

Entries for Troy Meet

The entries for the athletic meet at Troy Wednesday are as follows: 40 yd. novice; Cowperthwait, Green, Lapham, Woodfin, Swain. 40 yd. handicap; A. Brown, Cowperthwait, Horrax, Holroyd, Lapham, Rudd, Woodfin. 300 yd. handicap; A. Brown, Cowperthwait, Green, Horrax, Hurlbut, Lapham, Rudd. 600 yd. novice; Chapman, Conover, Egleston, Lesser. 1000 yd. handicap; B. P. Allen, Ayers, Holmes. High Jump; Atwater, A. Brown, M. Brown, Horrax, Swain. Shot Put; Bowker, LaMent, Marshall, Swain.

The relay team which will compete with Brown will be composed of Ayers, Griswold, Osterhout '06, and Hurlbut '07, with B. P. Allen and Conover as substitutes.

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The Academic Spirit

The love of study, solely for itself, may be termed the true academic spirit. In an effort to attain this a college has much to contend against. The conditions which lead to neglect of the curriculum or spasmodic effort, resulting in a superficiality of knowledge and inadequate training, are present in a more or less pronounced degree in all colleges. On the part of the student, in addition to the interests outside college, most noticeable is the tendency to give too much time and thought to undergraduate organizations. At Williams this condition is prominent, but perhaps not general. There are too many "one-man jobs." The fault can be corrected by co-operation and system.

The cultivation of a love for study may meet with two obstacles in the curriculum itself. The method of instruction in one course may be so loose that it has no value in training and in imparting to the student knowledge of the subject. The requirements in another may be so stringent that other courses suffer in consequence. Such seems to be the feeling of a majority of the men who have come under the instruction of the French department in this college this year. The much-to-be-desired attitude towards the curriculum is not like the gift of poetic song, but can be created where it is not already present. It can also, be nourished into growth —by the proper food. So can it be choked off, or hampered in its development by a hostile environment. There is a limit to the amount of work a man can do in a stated time and anything beyond that point is a discouragement to study. In addition, make a course interesting and a revolution is effected, from indifference to eagerness and earnestness.

The problem is evidently one of adjustment of conditions. The student must not have too many avocations. Any concern he has in undergraduate affairs must be distinctly of this character. The faculty should recognize the existence of interests which men in college are bound to have among themselves. Though subordinate to the main business of college, they are valuable as a part of education, which is discipline of mind and character.

The grades for the first half year are now being sent out. The attitude taken by many men in college towards these marks is in direct antagonism to the true academic spirit. Too many are playing a game. If their grade is lower than the term before, they express regret that they didn't play their cards differently. The length to which some will go to reach a high standing presents several curious and disagreeable features. One man drops a course, not because he has too many hours, or the subject is distasteful to him, but because he fears he will not get an A. Another registers in a course, not because he likes the instructor, but because he says he has a "drag." In the scramble for marks, the object overshadows the surest and only honorable method of obtaining them.

Of "bootlicking," we wish less could be said. It is a process of obtaining something for nothing. One who is actuated by the right spirit in his work, can look at the "bootlick" with a feeling of disgust and disdain. The practice brings under suspicion many men who are not guilty. If for no other reason than this, it should be condemned. We will not attempt to draw the line between a natural curiosity to learn the result of an examination, and a deliberate attempt to influence the opinion of an instructor. To eliminate the practice may seem impossible. Yet the honor system, which is becoming more firmly fixed on the college every day, endures as the result of a sentiment.

We often hear the remark made, "I hope I can 'pull' a good mark out of this course." While the word may be peculiar to the college man's vocabulary, it nevertheless represents too often an attitude that is unpleasant to contemplate. One might be inclined to think the process involved something of a physical effort. It certainly reflects nothing of the true collegiate spirit.

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Twenty-Second Annual Meeting—Prof. Wahl Represented Williams

The twenty-second annual meeting and banquet of the Pennsylvania alumni association of Williams college, was held at the Bellevue-Stratford hotel, Philadelphia, on Thursday evening.

The president of the association, Hon. Lewis C. Lillie ex-'59, was toastmaster. Dr. George M. Wahl, representing the college, gave the principal address of the evening, "Williams of Today." He spoke of the material, spiritual and intellectual aspect of the present life at Williams. The many additional improvements in college property of late indicated material prosperity. From the new chapel with its dignified service there might come, he hoped, some strengthening of the sense of reverence, on which, as a great writer has said, it depends whether a man is to become man on all sides. High character was hardly conceivable without spiritual life, of which reverence was one of the main springs and features, and high scholarship was hardly attainable without high character. In order to do its work successfully a college must do all it can for character building as well as mind training. He then spoke of the present system of instruction in the German department in comparison with former years.

J. H. Seymour '79 spoke on "Need of Commons at Williams." Rev. E. Trumbull Lee, D. D., LL. D., spoke on "The Passing of Old Tom McMahon's Coach." After the singing of "Eph Williams," a novel feature was introduced, "Sixty years of Williams," given by graduates of the six decades. Reminiscences of the 40's were told by Hon. Emmons T. Mockridge '46; of the 50's by Hon. Lewis C. Lillie ex-'59; of the 60's by George Hale '65; of the 80's by Dr. J. Dutton Steele '88; of the 90's by Felton Bent '95. The exercises closed with the singing of "The Mountains."

The following alumni were present: Hon. E. T. Mockridge '46; Lewis C. Lillie ex-'59; Dr. T. J. Smith ex-'61; Rev. S. W. Dana, D. D., '61; Hon. E. L. Perkins '63; Dr. George Hale '65; Dr. F. M. Perkins '72; Dr. Joseph Tomlinson '75; Hon. J. H. Seymour '79; Rev. E. Trumbull Lee, LL. D., '79; H. C. Pierce '82; Dr. J. D. Steele '88; J. Danforth Bush '89; W. Marriott Canby, '91; Rev. E. C. Bartlett '92; Felton Bent '95; F. W. Rawle '95; Henry D. Riley '95; Phineas Prouty ex-'99; J. Randall Williams ex-'00; Quincy Bent 1901; W. K. Miller 1901; W. S. Boice ex-'05; J. J. McCarty 1905; A. W. Lincoln 1905; T. D. Williams ex-'08.

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Saturday night's production showed several improvements over the first perormance, in North Adams. Pierce '07 as the Tammany sheriff, who was criticised as being a little too savage for his part, had been tamed down and appeared to much better advantage. A change in the make-up of Hazleton '09 added many years to his appearance and did away with the only objection that might be made to his earlier portrayal of Col. Majors, that he was too youthful to have a grown-up daughter. The girls' parts were taken more naturally. Combes '07 was perhaps the best of the four, although Fleischmann '06 in a more difficult role was well received. Carlisle '09 in the comparatively unimportant character of a maid was an imitation that challenged nature. Pennell '09 made a somewhat angular and masculine Nettie Majors.

As leading man and the real fun-maker of the cast Botsford '06 was easily first. His facial expressions were remarkably good mirrors of the feelings he is supposed to have in the face of his perplexities, and his successive appearances provoked more and more applause until the climax in the last scene, the funniest setting in the play. Case '06 had largely conquered his difficulties with the German dialect and was always an appeal to the risibilities of the audience. Wooster '06 was beyond objection in his convict's stripes.

Mr. MacDonald's appearance in a Spanish dance was eagerly awaited, an expectation which he fully justified. He was twice encored. His success was aided by the orchestra, also very much improved over its previous form.

The cast follows:

Benjamin Fitzhew, The Man from Mexico, A. M. Botsford '06
Col. Roderick Majors, E. L. Hazelton '09
Timothy Cook, A. J. Pierce '07
Von Bulow Bismark Schmidt, W. S. Case '06
Edward Farrar, A. Allen '08
Richard Daunton, S. F. Westbrook '09
Loveall, A. Jaeckel '07
Officer O'Mullins, S. C. Wooster, jr., '06
Louis, S. C. Wooster, jr., '06
Clementina Fitzhew, R. H. Fleischmann '06
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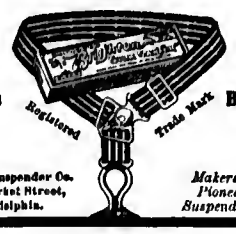
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COLLEGE NOTES

All baseball candidates were called out Friday afternoon, for practice in the cage.

The banquet of the Boston alumni, originally planned for Thursday, Feb. 15, has been postponed until March 1.

The reports from the Chicago and central Ohio alumni banquets were delayed in transmission, arriving too late for Thursday's issue.

The Williams musical clubs will give a concert in Pittsfield at the Pittsfield Opera house on Tuesday evening, February 20. Another concert will be given on Washington's birthday at the Ten Eyck hotel in Albany.

A dance will be held at the Academy of Music after the Pittsfield concert, and in the Ten Eyck ball-room after the concert at Albany.

The third presentation of "The Man from Mexico" will be given by Cap and Bells in the Mahaiwe Opera house at Great Barrington, Mass., on Thursday, February 22nd, at 8:15.

The following alumni have been in town:—Mabie '67, Geer '79, Dewey '84, Ide '98, Doughty '98, Henderson '99, Rossiter '99, Doughty 1903, Bridgewater 1904, Michell 1904, Eldred 1905, Judson 1905, Kellogg ex-'06, Thomson ex-'07, Lisle ex-'07 and Bellamy ex-'08.

House Party Receptions

At the fraternity receptions held Saturday afternoon, the following received:

Delta Psi; Mrs. Henry Loomis Nelson, of Williamstown; Mrs. Herbert S. Ide, of Troy; Mrs. Richard S. Leake, of Albany; Mrs. Butler of Hartford; Mrs. Gaylord, of New Haven.

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Dances will be held this evening, and the house parties will break up tomorrow morning.

The Imigration Question

At the Y. M. C. A. meeting last night Rev. Dr. Harry Pinneo Dewey '84, of Brooklyn, N. Y., spoke on immigration. The immigrant is dangerous as he keeps apart with his countrymen, and refuses to weld himself into the social whole. He is too apt to translate "liberty" as "license" and thus introduce the influence of anarchy. This tendency must be overcome by education, tempered by true simple religion.

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Chicago, Ill., Feb. 14:—The twelfth annual dinner of the Williams alumni association of Chicago was held last evening at the Grand Pacific hotel. An unusually large number of Williams alumni, from the classes of 1862 to 1905 were present.

At the business meeting, the following officers were elected for the coming year:—President, Charles A. Heath '82; first vice-president, Scott S. Durand '90; second vice-president, Thomas B. Cowen '96 of Milwaukee, Wis.; third vice-president, John P. Wilson, jr., 1900; secretary-treasurer, Harry B. Leonard '95 (re-elected); executive committee, Henry A. Ramsey '94 of Lake Forest, Ill., Maclay Hoyne '95, Cornelius Lynde 1902, Morton H. Eddy 1903, Clarence J. Goodwillie 1905.

The toastmaster was Hon. Henry W. Austin '88, president of the association. He introduced the principal speaker of the evening, Prof. John E. Russell. Opening his subject with a happy vein of reminiscences, Prof. Russell touched briefly on the purpose and solution of present-day life at Williams, and the significance of the great increase in the teaching force, the student body and the material resources of the college. Especial reference was made to the growth in the spirit of study as opposed to former methods of work. Following the suggestion of Prof. Russell, who referred to Dr. Washington Gladden '59 as the ideal tpye of a Williams man, a congratulatory telegram was sent to him on the occasion of his seventieth birthday.

Prof. Harry Pratt Judson '70, acting president of Chicago university, spoke on "The College Man in Professional Life." Dr. Edward R. Hutchins '62 spoke extemporaneously, eulogizing Mark Hopkins. Rev. Benjamin S. Winchester '89 spoke on "The College as a Non-Professional School," and Richard S. Folsom '94 had as a subject "Twelve Years After Graduation."

Ex-'06—Halley has entered the senior class at Yale.

NOTICES

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Annual Banquet of Williams Alumni of Central Ohio

Columbus, O., Feb. 15—The Williams alumni association of central Ohio held its annual banquet at the Ohio club, Columbus, O., last evening. The guests of honor were Prof. John E. Russell, Dr. W. O. Thompson of the Ohio State university, Mr. E. O. Randall and Mr. William Herbert Page.

At the business meeting, the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Hon. Robert H. Jeffrey '95, mayor of Columbus; vice-president, Guy T. Butler '99 of London, O.; secretary and treasurer, Albert M. Miller 1904 of Columbus (re-elected); executive committee, Charles P. Parkhurst '98 of Columbus.

President Frank T. Cole of the association acted as toastmaster. Prof. Russell responded to a toast on the "Past, Present and Future of Williams College." Other toasts were given by Dr. Thompson, Mr. Randall, Mr. Page and Dr. Washington Gladden '59. An enthusiastic ovation was accorded Prof. Russell. The alumni expressed appreciation that the college had sent a representative to speak. Several of the speakers voiced the idea that it would be of great value for college interests of the locality to organize all college graduates in the vicinity. A motion was passed instructing the secretary to communicate with the secretaries of the alumni associations of other colleges in Columbus, to make a decided effort to bring about a joint meeting of all the college graduates in Central Ohio.

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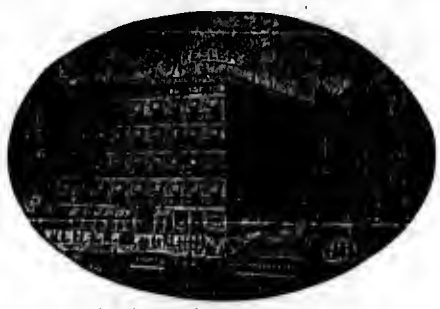
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BETTER ELECTION SYSTEM

Gargoyle Regulations Adopted—Prof. Morton Addresses Meeting

The regulations suggested by Gargoyle for the better government of college and class elections were adopted at a college meeting in Jesup Hall last Monday evening, practically as published in The Record. A new section was inserted in Article V as follows:—Sec. 3. A vacancy occurring in any of the offices specified in these by-laws shall be filled in complete accordance with these by-laws, save in respect to the time for holding such elections.

The new regulations by which the basketball manager is to be elected by the college, and the managers of the tennis, hockey and golf teams be appointed by the athletic council were also carried. The amendments to the constitutions of the football, baseball, and track associations, providing for the publication of the names of candidates for the managerships of the principal teams, were passed as printed.

An amendment was also made to the honor system constitution, which goes into effect when ratified by the faculty, providing for the election of honor system committeemen according to the rules governing class elections just adopted.

Prof. Morton spoke on the policy of the French department. He stated that it was his desire to have his department instrumental in raising the standard of scholarship in Williams College. He said that the kind of work prescribed was approved by the best educators throughout the country, and that even now it could not compare favorably in amount with that done in the German gymnasia. American colleges in this respect, he said, are below par. He considered the majority of the papers presented at the semi-annual examination to be below the standard which he had set up for the department, and consequently, he had felt obliged to report failures against the men who had fallen below this standard. The task had been given him of making French the equivalent of Greek as a means of mental training. He had accepted this duty, fully realizing that his efforts would meet with opposition.

Y. M. C. A. Presidents

It is probable that the annual convention of Y. M. C. A. presidents of the eastern colleges and universities will be held at Williamstown, about April 1, lasting three or four days. Williams has extended an invitation for the meeting, and it is likely the offer will be accepted. About seventy-five delegates usually attend.

A DECISIVE GAME

Syracuse Defeated 28-20—Williams Twelth Basketball Victory

Williams and Syracuse, undefeated teams, met in Lasell Gymnasium Wednesday afternoon, and after 40 minutes of close play the Purple was victorious in a clean, fast game by the score of 28-20. For the first 30 minutes of play there was little to choose between the teams; with Syracuse surer at passing, while Williams blocked fiercely and scored on individual work, it looked as if the game might be decided by such bits of luck as Kirchgasser's goal, after a Williams pass that had hit a rope and dropped in front of him.

Williams was leading 11-10 at the beginning of the second half. Tower had scored in the first two minutes by fine work. Redlein had balanced it by a throw from the center and Blaisdell had put the Purple in the lead by an easy shot from under the basket. With the score 17-16 in Williams' favor Cowell, getting free from his opponent, scored first from center, and a moment later on a pass from Tower. A brilliant exhibition of passing by Syracuse ended in a goal by Dollard, but Williams scored twice from the floor and once from foul, a point was awarded for a Syracuse foul as the Purple shot for the basket, and the whistle found Williams 8 points ahead.

The brightest individual work of the game was the first goal by Cowell. Getting the ball away from two Syracuse men, he cleverly dodged a third, and threw the ball cleanly through the hoop. Kirchgasser was of little use to his team except from the foul line. Blaisdell had a hard man to cover in Redlein.

After the game Syracuse challenged Williams to a third contest to be played on a neutral floor.

Line-up and summary:

Williams	Syracuse
Gardner, lf,	rg, Dollard
Neild rf,	lg, Powell
Tower c,	c, Riehl
Blaisdell lg,	rf, Redlein
Cowell rg,	lf, Kirchgasser

Score, Williams 28, Syracuse 20. Baskets from floor, Cowell 4, Tower 3, Gardner 2, Blaisdell; Redlein 3, Kirchgasser, Dollard. Baskets from foul, Neild 7; Kirchgasser 10. Point awarded Williams while shooting for basket, for Syracuse foul. Referee and umpire, Briggs of Springfield Training school. Umpire and referee, Stafford of Auburn, (N. Y.) Y. M. C. A. Timer, Brady '06. Time, two 20-minute periods.

TROY MEET

Williams Wins Relay Race and Gains Largest Number of Points

In the annual athletic carnival held in the State Armory at Troy Wednesday evening, Williams won the relay race against Brown, as well as the shield for the institution scoring the largest number of points in individual events. Williams scored three firsts, a tie for first, three seconds and a third.

The Williams-Brown mile relay was the most hotly contested event of the evening and was won for Williams through Hurlbut's speedy running. At the start, Griswold was set back three yards and was unable to make up the distance against Mayhew. Osterhout gained on Kelly. Ayres was not equal to Honiss, and lost seven yards, leaving Hurlbut about 9 yards behind Thurlow, the Brown captain. Hurlbut drew up on his man in the first two laps, and passed him on the inside at the curve. He maintained his lead, and finished about three feet ahead. The time was 3 min. 34 4-5 sec., an average of under 54 sec. for the individual quarters. B. Mears 1903 won the 1000-yards handicap from the 36-yard mark, running a fast, heady race, and Cowperthwait '06 did steady work in the dashes.

The results of the events in which college men secured places, are as follows:

40-yard dash, novice: won by Cowperthwait '06; second, Dennie of Brown; third, White of Cornell; time, 4 sec.

40-yard dash, handicap: won by Dennie of Brown; second, Cowperthwait '06; third, Northridge of Irish American A. C; time, 3 4-5 sec.

600-yard run, novice: final heat run by Conover '07, Egleston '06, Chapman '07 and Lesser '07 of Williams and Weeks of Yale. Won by Egleston '06; second, Chapman '07; third, Weeks; time, 1 min. 22 1-5 sec.

1000-yard run, handicap, won by B. Mears '03 (36 yds.); second, Van Thun of Xavier A. C. (28 yds.); third, B. P. Allen '08 (44 yds.); time, 2 min. 16 3-5 sec.

Running high jump, handicap: tie between A. M. Brown '07, (3 in.) and Hasbrouck of Yale (3 in.), 5 ft. 7 in.; third, Bacon of Irish American A. C, (6 in.), 5 ft. 3 in.

Shot put, handicap: won by White of Cornell (8 ft.), 42 ft. 11½ in.; second, LaMont '08, (9 ft.), 38 ft. 3½ in.; third, McNamee of Columbia A. C. (6 ft.), 41 ft. 3 in.

CALENDAR

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26

8.00 p. m.—Williams-Dartmouth basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27

7.30 p. m. — Classical society, west wing of Library. Greek science symposium: (1) natural history, Prof. Clarke; (2) astronomy, Prof. Milham; (3) physics, Dr. Porter; (4) biology, Dr. Woodruff.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28

8.00 p. m.—Williams-Hamilton basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

THURSDAY, MARCH 1

7.00 p. m.—Annual dinner Boston alumni, ExchangsClub, Boston.

8.00 p. m.—Thompson Course Entertainment. J. H. Concert by Gwilym Miles.

Y. M. C. A. OFFICERS

W. M. Clark 1907 Elected President—Report for Past Year

The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held in Jesup Hall Friday evening. The retiring president, J. E. Perry 1906, gave a short review of the work done and the progress made by the association during the year just closed. He said that the most important departure for the year had been the strengthening of every department of religious work by the presence of Mr. Pettit '05 as general secretary. With six delegates to Nashville, with the conference of eastern college Y. M. C. A. presidents, probably to be held here, and the centennial anniversary of the foreign mission movement, the religious life of the college must receive a powerful stimulus this coming year.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, William Mansfield Clark 1907 of Salisbury, Conn.; vice-president, Boyd McCleary 1907 of Amsterdam, N. Y.; corresponding secretary, James Atkins Bullard 1908 of East Orange, N. J.; recording secretary, Francis Ferris Anderson 1908 of St. Paul, Minn.; treasurer, Henry Wolcott Toll 1909 of Denver, Colo.

1906 Class Meeting

At a meeting of the senior class held at 1:30 this afternoon, Botsford was elected hatchet orator and Nomer orator to introduce the speakers, for the seventeenth of March celebration. A class meeting after the college meeting Friday will elect a member of the class day committee in place of C. Hills, resigned, and a member of the honor system committee, in place of Hobson, resigned. The president of the class was empowered to appoint a committee of five to superintend the March 17th celebration.

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Announcement

The Record announces the election of Gerald Mygatt, 1908, of New York city, to the Board of Editors. On the third Thursday in March two more candidates will be elected to the board, who will complete the number chosen from the competition.

Standards of Scholarship

The desire to raise the standard of scholarship at Williams is commendable. Leaving out of consideration, for the moment, the French department, we believe that the past few years have seen an improvement in methods in all branches of instruction, as well as an increased effort on the part of the student to make the most of the courses offered him. That the grade of scholarship has been raised by the C rule is not open to question. A more recent example is offered in the Greek department. In this case there has been a marked betterment in the quality of work done in freshman and sophomore courses. The methods of instruction, which take into account and aim to correct weakness in preparation at the secondary school, are, together with the added element of interest, responsible for an incentive to study in this subject.

We believe that it is not a misstatement to say that the amount of study done at Williams is at present above the average in American colleges. The record of Williams men in the graduate schools seems to point to a thoroughness in the requirements here. The tendency is to demand more of the student. If the increase is uniform in all departments, and reasonable, up to a certain point it will be valuable. If one department is too exacting, the balance will be disturbed, and the attention which the student gives to other subjects must necessarily be less.

The men who have taken French at Williams this year have three principal objections to the courses as they are conducted. The daily assignments are too long, the marks are too low, and too many failures are reported. The amount of work required to prepare one lesson in French seems to be out of proportion to that needed in other courses. While it is inevitable that some subjects will be considered "easy," and others "hard," it is fair that the difference should be kept as small as possible. Though the final mark received in a course is to some of little consequence, to others the grade in every course is a matter of the greatest importance. The scholarship man cannot be conditioned without being in danger of losing the amount of money which keeps him in college. The man who needs a C for his degree is placed at a distinct disadvantage by taking a course in which the marks are so far below the general average.

The facts are that 60 per cent failed in French II and 26 per cent in French I. Men received A and B in some courses and D or failures in French. An investigation would show whether the fault lies with the course or with the students themselves.

An abnormal increase in the requirements in one course will not set a higher standard of scholarship in the college. It is open to question whether the policy of the French department has encouraged study in the language. Piling on work does not promote scholarship; in most cases it forces a man to give up in despair and turn to more sympathetic fields. It has been said that by making all the courses in college more exacting, the students would be "keyed-up" to another standard, would do what they had to do more easily, and would have more time and enjoyment in their social activities. Such a conception is ideal in the extreme. It presupposes a previous training such as exists in no preparatory school in the United States. It would demand entrance requirements to Williams that would reduce the enrollment by one-half.

Scholarship is more valuable at Williams as a formative influence than it is for itself. At a Wesleyan banquet a few days ago the Governor of Connecticut said, "The German university makes the scholar, the English the gentleman, and the American the citizen."

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PHI BETA KAPPA

Six Members Elected from Class of 1906

The annual meeting of Gamma of Massachusetts chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, was held in Hopkins Hall Saturday afternoon, to elect to membership the highest standing twelfth of the senior class. The following members of the class of 1906 were chosen: Charles Henry Brady of Rye, N. Y., Eugene Irving Cowell of Ashburnham, Charles Harrison Demond of Stafford Springs, Conn., George Duryee Hulst of Brooklyn, N. Y., Erwin Briant Leland of Plainfield, N. J., Wilbur Jewell Page of Concord, N. H.

Dartmouth Tonight

Williams meets Dartmouth at basketball in Lasell Gymnasium tonight at 8:00. The Dartmouth five is fast and has been beaten but twice, at Hanover by Colgate (32-27), and by Wesleyan at Middletown on Thursday (28-17). Early in the season they defeated Columbia at New York by the score of 16 to 10.

Dartmouth will play as follows: Russ lf, Grebenstein rf, Lang c, McGrail lg, Rix rg.

Boston Alumni Dinner

The annual dinner of the Williams alumni of Boston will be held at the Exchange Club, Thursday March 1st., at 7:00 o'clock. James D. Colt '84 will preside. Among the speakers of the evening will be Asst.-Prof. Perry, representing the college, Gen. Charles W. Bartlett, democratic candidate for governor last fall, and Rev. John Hopkins Denison '90.

Dramatics at Great Barrington

Cap and Bells gave its third presentation of "The Man from Mexico" at the Mahaiwe theatre, Great Barrington, Thursday evening. The performance was decidedly better than the two previous, the improvement in the work of those taking girls' parts being especially noticeable. In the afternoon a reception was given at the home of Mr. John Church and in the evening, after the performance, a dance was held in the hall above the theatre.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Day '09 and Matless '09 are in the infirmary.

McClellan '08 has left college temporarily on account of ill-health.

Mr. W. S. Pettit 1905 spoke at Cushing academy at Ashburnham last evening.

Assignments for examinations in extra work for overcutting during the first semester will be mailed before March 20.

A meeting of the college will be held Friday evening at 7:30, to consider the question of March hazing.

A meeting of the classical society will be held in Lawrence Hall tomorrow evening at 7:30. Four members of the faculty will speak on the different phases of work of the Greeks in the sciences.

Seniors who desire information regarding scholarships and fellowships in post-graduate schools are requested to leave their names with Mr. E. A. Green, secretary to the president.

The Library has received a pamphlet, written by Prof. Cleland, entitled "The Formation of Natural Bridges." It is reprinted from his article in the American Journal of Science of August, 1905.

The Library has also received a pamphlet by Dr. William Bennett Munro, reprinted from the July Queen's Quarterly, on "The Jesuit Relations, Their Value as Historical Material."

The following alumni have been in town recently: Rogers '77, Warren '85, Briggs, '97, Cullinan 1901, Cooper 1903, Hollister, Kennedy 1904, Warner ex-'04, Fulton, Miller, Stocking 1905, Chapman ex-'06, Feeny ex-'07, Newman ex-'08.

Mr. Frank K. Foster, of Boston, who was to have addressed the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall last evening, did not reach Williamstown until 7:30. Owing to the loss in the mails of a letter advising this fact, announcement was made that no meeting could be held.

Mr. Owen R. Lovejoy of New York city, secretary of the National Child Labor Commission, will be unable to speak before the City Government Club Wednesday evening, March 14. His address to the club has been postponed until the following Monday evening, March 19. Mr. Lovejoy will speak on "Child Labor."

The basketball game scheduled with Brown for Saturday, Feb. 24, was cancelled by the Brown management. The Providence team has disbanded for the season.

'97—The engagement was announced on Feb. 17 of Miss Annette Paley, daughter of the late John Paley, of Beloit, Wis., to F. L. Matthews, assistant sales agent in the New York office of the Republic Iron and Steel Co.

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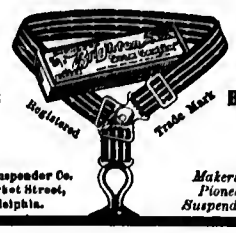
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Of the two, the Albany performance was the more successful; the attendance was large, and the enthusiastic applause demanded many encores. The solos by Pevear '07 were received with the greatest favor, and the banjo club scored a decided hit.

There was no change in the program offered at Pittsfield and Albany, with the exception that the monogogue was given by Cantwell '06, at Albany in place of Pierce, '07.

Entrance English Requirements

The committee appointed by the Providence conference of New England colleges to formulate uniform entrance English requirements met in Springfield Friday and Saturday. The following attended: Profs. Cross (Yale), Emory (Dartmouth), Winchester (Wesleyan), Maxcy (Williams), Churchill (Amherst), Damon (Brown), Stevens (Mount Holyoke).

The committee adopted a form of examination, in general according to the plan already adopted at Yale, to be presented to the various New England colleges to take the place of that furnished by the board of uniform entrance requirements. This plan will not go into effect until ratified by the colleges.

First Meet For Lehman Cup

On March 3, the first of the two athletic meets for the Lehman cup will be held. As the object of these events is to develop material for the track team, points are given in the weights and jumps, for every distance above a certain standard, and in the runs for five places.

The events in the contest are as follows: 30-yard dash, 35-yard high hurdle, 35-yard low hurdle, quarter-mile run, half-mile run, mile run, potato race, high jump, pole vault, 16-pound shot put.

Wesleyan Banquet

Eugene I. Cowell '06 represented Williams at the annual Wesleyan college banquet, held in Fayerweather Gymnasium, Middletown, Thursday evening. About 400 were present. The guest of honor was Hon. Henry Roberts, governor of Connecticut. Besides Governor Roberts and Wesleyan alumni, the speakers were William H. Corbin, Yale 1888, Cowell '06 and Guy W. Rogers, Wesleyan '06, president of the college body.

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Review of Current Number by Dr. John L. Gerig

The space allotted by The Record will hardly suffice for a satisfactory review of the interesting things contained in the present number of the "Lit." We shall only attempt to touch briefly upon the many excellent selections it contains and point out their strong parts as well as their shortcomings.

The stories are all very commendable and rank among the most important features of the issue. In the "Song of the Frozen Seas," Mr. John Adams Lowe has painted in broad strokes the picture of a sailor's sad life in barren Labrador. While the introduction might be improved upon in certain places, the climax has been developed with the skill of an impressionist. The "Return of the Outcast" by Mr. Henry Edward Bedford, jr., is also a very interesting story, the scene of which is laid in South Africa. That the attention of the reader is never permitted to lag is sufficient evidence of the author's ability as a *conteur*. There are slight crudities in sentence structure—and who is not frequently guilty of them?—which will be easily overcome in the selections that we hope to have henceforth from his pen. Mr. William Richmond Witherell has not attempted more than an ordinary scene of everyday life in his short story of which "Brothers" is the title. Such an apparently simple task is often more difficult of accomplishment because of the necessity of accuracy and brevity of treatment; and in this the author has been quite successful.

The verse, which next commands our attention, is so well-done that one can hardly refrain from regretting that there is not more. Mr. Willard Ansley Gibson reveals a facile pen in his poem entitled "Lyngalon" and deserves praise for his success in dealing with a subject that is naturally more or less obscure. Mr. Bernard Westermann's verses, bearing the title "Senectus Insanabilis," have a very clear ring and are equally strong.

But the most important feature of the entire issue is the allegory "Through the Night", in which Mr. George Burwell Dutton shows his masterful skill at symbolism. The first scene is especially strong and almost recalls *Les Aveugles* of Maeterlinck. This form of art, which has acquired great popularity in recent years, represents an attempt to reproduce more directly the soul of man. According to the symbolist, man's vision of nature is but a projection of himself which he feels and finds in all things—that all nature is but a

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Finally, the "suggestions" are very meritorious, and the editorials are instructive and show careful preparation. On the whole, this number is one of the most satisfactory I have ever read.

J. L. G.

Y. M. C. A. Speakers

The speakers for the Y. M. C. A. meetings for the next two months have been announced. The list is as follows:—March 4. George H. Putnam of G. P. Putnam Sons Co., publishers, on "Commercial Morality;" March 11, Dr. Hamilton, the head of the University Settlement of New York; March 18, Dr. Adolphus F. Schauffler '67, of New York city; March 25, Rev. C. F. Goss, D. D., of Cincinnati.; April 1, Rev. H. E. Cobb, D. D., pastor of the West End Avenue Collegiate church of New York; April 22, Rev. John H. Denison '90, formerly pastor of the Church of Sea and Land, New York city; April 29, Dr. Philip S. Moxom of Springfield.

Attorney-General Julius M. Mayer of New York state has been invited to speak on April 8, and Mr. Lincoln Steffens on May 6.

Williams at Nashville

Curtiss '06, Hulst '06, Clark '07, Bullard '08, H. L. Fisher '09 and Palmer '09 will attend the fifth quadrennial international convention of the student volunteer movement in Nashville, Tenn., from Feb. 28 to Mar. 4. The convention will be attended by about 3000 delegates from all over the world, and is held primarily for the discussion of missionary work. A portion of the conference will be devoted to the discussion of college work. Among the speakers will be Robert E. Speer, John R. Mott, F. P. Turner and Harlan P. Beach.

Proposition for Amherst Debate

Mr. W. H. Webster, Amherst '06, was in town Saturday to present to the Adelphic Union plans for an Amherst-Williams debating agreement. As the Adelphic Union did not consider it practical to enter a third league, the suggestion was made that Amherst join in a triangular league with Williams and Wesleyan, similar to the present Williams-Brown-Dartmouth league.

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BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Twenty Games—Eleven at Williamstown

The baseball schedule for 1906 has been announced by the management, as follows:

April 21, Sat., Union at Williamstown.
April 25, Wed., Springfield Training school at Williamstown.
April 28, Sat., Open.
May 2, Wed., University of Vermont at Williamstown.
May 5, Sat., Amherst at Amherst.
May 8, Tuesday, Andover at Andover.
May 9, Wed., Harvard at Cambridge.
May 12, Sat., Syracuse at Williamstown.
May 16, Wed., Yale at New Haven.
May 18, Fri., Dartmouth at Hanover.
May 19, Sat., University of Vermont at Burlington.
May 23, Wed., Wesleyan at Williamstown.
May 26, Sat., Dartmouth at Williamstown.
May 30, Wed., Amherst at Williamstown.
June 2, Sat., Trinity at Williamstown.
June 6, Wed., Princeton at Princeton.
June 9, Sat., Columbia at Williamstown.
June 13, Wed., Open.
June 16, Sat., M. A. C. at Williamstown.
June 20, Wed., Open.
June 23, Sat., Amherst at Williamstown.
June 25, Mon., Amherst at Amherst.
June 26, Tues., Wesleyan at Middletown.

It is possible that two games will be played with Holy Cross, one at Worcester and the other at Williamstown. The date of the alumni game has not been definitely decided.

Williams at Schenectady

The basketball management has scheduled a game with Company F, N. Y. N. G., to be played at the state armory, Schenectady, Saturday evening. The Company F five, better known under the name of the Washington Continentals, is one of the best teams in the country. Early in the season they defeated Syracuse by a good margin, and Colgate 54 to 24. They have not been beaten this year, and have two star players in Lamb and Lennon.

The Schenectady team will line up as follows: Lamb rf, G. Tilden lf, Lennon c, Christian rg, F. Tilden lg.

Resolution on Hazing

The following resolution has been passed by the senior society:

Resolved, that it is the opinion of Gargoyle that March hazing be abolished.

THE FIRST DEFEAT

Williams Outplayed by Dartmouth—Game Won by Grebenstein's Goal

The first break in Williams' series of basketball victories for the season of 1905-1906 came Monday night, when Dartmouth defeated the Purple in Lasell Gymnasium by the score of 11 to 9, Grebenstein scoring the winning basket 10 seconds before time was called. Williams, except for the first few minutes of the first half, was completely outplayed. That Dartmouth, a team of heavy, strong players, should guard closely and fiercely was to be expected; but that Williams passes should go wide of the mark, that Dartmouth players should be left uncovered at critical moments, and that the playing should be in great part at the Dartmouth end of the floor, show that the Williams five were not playing the game of which they are capable. Poor foul-shooting by Neild was balanced by equally poor foul-shooting by Dartmouth.

The game started slow, but Williams had the best of it until after Neild caged the first basket from the side. Alling, uncovered, evened the score. After Grebenstein had missed three times from the foul line and Russ twice, Russ threw the ball through the hoop, while Neild did not succeed in scoring from the foul line until his eighth attempt. Before the half closed Alling shot his second goal from half the length of the floor and Neild caged the ball by a good throw from back of the center with a minute to play. Dartmouth led 6-5 at the end.

Not a point was scored from the floor in the second half until Grebenstein's winning goal just before the whistle, although Tower and Grebenstein narrowly missed hard shots and Russ, uncovered, failed on an easy chance. For Dartmouth Russ put up the best game he has ever played in Williamstown, and McGrail did well. Tower did good work in keeping Lang from securing shots for the basket.

Line-up and summary:

Williams	Dartmouth
Gardner lf,	rg, Alling
Neild rf,	lg, McGrail
Tower c,	c, Lang
Blaisdell lg,	rf, Grebenstein
Cowell rg,	lf, Russ

Score, Dartmouth 11, Williams 9. Baskets from floor, Neild 2; Alling 2, Grebenstein. Baskets from foul, Neild 5; Russ 4, Grebenstein. Referee, Briggs of Springfield Training school. Umpire, Rix of Dartmouth. Timers, Brady '06 and Lane. Time, two 20-minute periods.

FAST BASKETBALL

Williams Defeats Hamilton in Prettiest Game of Year

Williams won easily from Hamilton in Lasell Gymnasium last night in an ideal game from the standpoint of the spectator. The Dartmouth game was the modern basketball-football, last night's contest basketball as its inventor probably wished it to be. Hamilton, a light, fast team, played the style of game best suited to Williams' play. Clean and open, with much brilliant handling of the ball by the Williams five, the game never grew slow or dull. Hamilton guarded well, but passed and caught very poorly. Williams got many chances for baskets, and missed several by narrow margins. The feature of the game was Blaisdell's long shot at the close of the first half from near Hamilton's foul line.

The game was played in Hamilton's territory from the start, but all attempts to score were blocked until Blaisdell tallied from the center of the floor, after eight minutes of play. Sherman and Neild threw fouls. After several minutes of play Cowell threw two baskets in rapid succession from the side, followed by Blaisdell's long shot, making the score 9-1 at the close of the half. Neild and Gardner, shooting well, scored Williams' points in the second half, and Sherman threw Hamilton's only field goal near the close of the game.

Line-up and summary:

Williams	Hamilton
Gardner lf,	rg, Bramley
Neild rf,	lg, Sherman
Tower c,	c, Wilson
Blaisdell lg,	rf, Knolt
Cowell rg,	lf, Sicard

Score, Williams 24, Hamilton 4. Baskets from floor, Neild 4, Gardner 3, Blaisdell 2, Cowell 2; Sherman. Baskets from foul, Neild 2; Sherman 2. Referee and umpire, Briggs of Springfield Training school. Timers, Warner '06, Brokaw of Hamilton. Time, two 20-minute periods.

President Charles O. Day to Preach

Rev. Charles Orrin Day, D. D., president of Andover Theological seminary, will preach in the college chapel Sunday morning. Dr. Day graduated from Yale in 1872, and from the Andover Theological seminary five years later. In the Spanish war he was chaplain of the first Vermont regiment at Chickamauga, Tenn. Since 1901 he has been Bartlet professor of homiletics and practical theology, and president of Andover Theological seminary.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, MARCH 1

7.00 p. m.—Annual dinner Boston alumni, Exchange Club, Boston.
8.00 p. m.—Sixth Thompson course entertainment, J. H. Song recital by Gwilym Miles.

FRIDAY, MARCH 2

7.30 p. m.—College meeting to discuss hazing, J. H.
8.30 p. m.—1906 class meeting, to elect member of honor system and class day committees, J. H.

SATURDAY, MARCH 3

2.30 p. m.—First meet for Lehman cup, gymnasium and board track.
8.00 p. m.—Williams — Washington Continentals basketball, State armory, Schenectady.

SUNDAY, MARCH 4

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Rev. C. O. Day, D. D., president of Andover Theological seminary, will speak.
11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.
7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. George Haven Putnam, Litt. D., will speak on "Commercial Morality."

MONDAY, MARCH 5

8.00 p. m.—Williams-Dartmouth debate, tri-collegiate league series, J. H.
8.00 p. m.—Williams-Brown debate, tri-collegiate league series, Providence.

EARLY SCIENCE

Four Addresses by Faculty Before Classical Society

At a meeting of the Classical Society held in the Library Tuesday evening addresses were given on four phases of Greek Science by members of the faculty; on Greek natural history, by Prof. Clarke, on the astronomical conceptions of Aristotle, by Prof. Milham, on Greek physics, by Dr. Porter, and on Aristotle's contributions to biology, by Dr. Woodruff. The meeting was the most interesting of the year, the different speakers showing clearly the extent of the knowledge of the Greeks in scientific matters, contrasting their inability to get beyond hide-bound conceptions with their occasional coincidence in results with recent investigation. The four addresses were made clear by concrete illustrations of the Greeks' reasoning.

Prof. Clarke showed that the human race passed out of the uncritical inquisitiveness of its childhood at the time of Thales. Anaximander hinted at evolution. Pythagoras conceived the cosmogony accurately, Empedocles dis-

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The Basketball Team

The result of the basketball game with Dartmouth was a disappointment, but only by comparison with the previous brilliant work of the team. However the remaining games result, the season has been successful to an unusual degree. The five began the year having lost the surest basket-shooter of a championship team, but the scores of the two seasons show that this handicap has been more than made up. Williams has won from the champions of the intercollegiate league, and beaten two of the strongest eastern teams, Colgate and Wesleyan, both of which defeated the Green.

Only Syracuse, Dartmouth and Williams can be considered claimants for the intercollegiate championship. That Syracuse cancelled its game scheduled in Hanover Feb. 17 is to be regretted. At any rate the Orange must defeat Penn., in their game of this week, to be a candidate for first honors. Dartmouth and Williams meet again at Hanover Wednesday. In outside contests Williams has the better record, and to defeat the Green will give the balance of claim for the championship to the Purple. Win or lose, the five has surmounted difficulties, and played through a season which has kept Williams at its high rank in college basketball.

Hazing and the Seventeenth

At a college meeting last year the student body voted, "That, from now (March 3) until the close of the college year in June, hazing of every sort be abolished." The motion was reconsidered a week later, and the action sustained by a vote larger than before. The feeling which the undergraduates have this year towards hazing will be made known tomorrow night, when the question will be brought before a college meeting for decision. The subject is one of more than local importance, it is of vital interest to the name of Williams. It seems hardly necessary to add that every man in college should be present to exercise his privilege of voting.

Since the question was last decided, The Record has had no reason to change its position, and is opposed to hazing in any form and at any time. The practical disadvantages of the practice would be sufficient cause, if the greater ultimate harm to the reputation of the college were left out of consideration. As an immediate influence hazing has never done any actual good. Its only aim is to show the superiority of the sophomore over the freshman. Hazing has not even been found to be a necessary instrument at Williams to enforce the privileges which belong by custom to the sophomore class.

The movement for fairness in all undergraduate matters is seen in the "no-deal" agreement and the rules governing class and college elections, but it has still to be extended to the abolition of hazing, if the freshman is to enjoy its benefits with the members of other classes. In view of the action taken last year, it is evident that an adverse vote on the question of hazing would be as much an injury to the college as the first was an honor. In fact, it would be an announcement that the students of Williams had decided to encourage a practice which, however mild in form here, is publicly branded as a dangerous element in a college.

The bringing-in of the canes and the March 17th celebration can be made to take the place of hazing as a generator of class spirit. The problem remains for the senior committee to draw up a set of rules that will guarantee a more even trial of skill. It must be admitted that the odds are decidedly against the sophomores. If the issue is doubtful, the support given by both classes will be more general, and will result in more united effort.

It has been argued by the supporters of hazing that the practice should be abolished at all times, if in March. If the sentiment of the meeting favors the discontinuance of hazing because of its evil effects, we believe that fall hazing should go too. In any case, the college can reasonably ask the senior class to abolish the ridiculous custom of Hi Juvenes.

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Running high jump: one point for every inch over 4 ft., 6 in.

Putting 16-pound shot: one point for each six inches over 29 ft.

Pole vault: one point for each two inches over 8 ft.

30-yard dash: instead of giving 10 points to the first, 7 to second, 4 to third, 2 to fourth, 1 to fifth, two races will be held and the first five in each race will receive respectively half the above mentioned credit for each place. Therefore one man may receive his full ten points by taking first place in each race.

35-yard hurdle, high and low: as above two races will be run, places in which will receive credit as detailed above.

¼-mile run: 10 points for first, 7 for second, 4 for third, 2 for fourth, 1 for fifth.

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1-mile run: same as the quarter-mile.

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   d. Thy Beaming Eyes
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   d. Molly Malone Old Irish
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Lecture by Prof R. H. Chittenden

The Lyceum of Natural History will hold an open meeting Tuesday evening, March 13th, at eight o'clock, in the Biological Laboratory. Prof. Russell H. Chittenden, LL. D., of Yale, will lecture on a subject to be announced later.

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Early Science

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covered the fundamental principles of chemistry, Theophrastus founded botany, Aristotle zoology. Insight rather than experiment ruled Greek speculation, yet so keen was this insight that inquiry followed its path for long afterwards.

Prof. Milham's address was very interesting through the numerous examples given of the sophistry through which the Greeks justified their more curious astronomical conclusions. In Aristotle's time the Greeks were absolutely familiar with the apparent motions of the heavenly bodies. To explain these observed motions, Aristotle had to have fifty-six "crystal spheres." He proved—now by sophistry, and now by reasoning like that of a modern text-book—that the earth was spherical, was at the center of a finite cosmos, and was at rest. Ptolemy's work, the end-product of Greek thought, was free from mysticism and imagination, was purely mechanical and based on observed facts, and was put forward with such dogmatic certainty that for fourteen centuries it was the acknowledged scripture of astronomy.

Dr. Porter said that Aristotle—a typical Greek physicist—observed and classified facts well, but failed in his inability to get hold of ideas appropriate to his facts. He had ideas, but not right ideas. The Greeks grasped the concepts of time, space and motion, but could never get the concept of force. Their chief contribution was an awakened interest in physical phenomena and their causes.

Dr. Woodruff made Aristotle's place in biology clear. He conceived life as an ascending complexity from plants to man. In spite of many inaccuracies, he made stupendous advances in the main branches of biological research. His was, as he says, in large measure a first step, and must be so judged.

Dr. G. H. Putnam at Y. M. C. A.

George Haven Putnam, Litt. D., of the publishing firm of G. P. Putnam's Sons, will address the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall Sunday evening. Dr. Putnam has been interested in work for civil service and municipal reform, and especially for international and domestic copyright. Through his efforts as secretary of the Publisher's Copyright League, he secured the enactment of the international copyright law in 1891, a service for which he received from the French government the cross of the legion of honor. His subject will be "Commercial Morality."

Allen 1904 and Watson 1905 have been in town.

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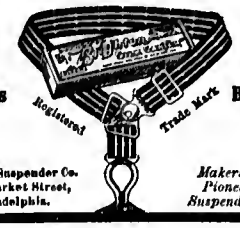
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The faculty committee on grades has announced the preliminary commencement appointments of the class of 1906. This list includes the nineteen members of the class who have maintained throughout their course a grade of B, 82 per cent or over. The list is as follows:

Richard Newell Barrett of Albany, N. Y.; Charles Henry Brady of Rye, N. Y.; Walter Summerhayes Case of New York city; Edward Allison Clapp of Auburn, N. Y.; Eugene Irving Cowell of Ashburnham; Arthur Newell Cowperthwait of New York city; William Hanford Curtiss of Olean, N. Y.; William Harris Day, jr., of Batavia, N. Y.; Charles Harrison Demond of Stafford Springs, Conn.; Roger Carroll Hoyt of New York city; George Duryee Hulst of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Erwin Briant Leland of Plainfield, N. J.; Homer Payson Little of Dalton; Shepard Ashman Morgan of Rochester, N. Y.; Harold Adin Nomer of Plainfield, N. J.; Wilbur Jewell Page of Concord, N. H.; Joseph Earl Perry of Shelburne Falls; Albert Harold Wakefield of Sheffield; Walter Leroy White of Phillipston.

Y. M. C. A. Report

Report of the finances of the Mills Young Men's Christian Association, March 24, 1905, to Feb. 23, 1906.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from former Treasurer,	$ 50.39
Subscriptions 1905-6,	117.50
Total Receipts,	$167.89

EXPENDITURES.

Freshman reception 1905,	14.00
Stationery, printing, etc.,	45.70
Postage,	5.72
Eastern Presidents' Conference at Middletown,	5 26
Contribution to Grandview Normal school,	10.00
Contribution to International Y. M. C. A. committee,	25.00
Speakers,	22.88
Good Government Club.	3.85
Total expenditures,	$132.41
Balance on hand,	35.48
	$167.89

Signed,
JAMES A. BULLARD,
Treasurer.

Audited and approved.
JOSEPH E. PERRY.
President.

Class Prayer-Meetings

The class prayer-meetings will be held at 7:15 Friday evening and will close in time for the college meeting at 7:30. The subject is as follows: Character: Eph. 4: 12-13. Leaders: 1906, Wilbur; 1907, Wilder; 1908, T. W. Fowle; 1909, Hopkins.

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The contract for printing the 1907 Gul has been let to Hausauer and Jones of Buffalo, the cuts to be made by the Electric City Engraving Co., of the same city. This year's book is to be somewhat larger than previous issues to allow of wider margins. It will be bound in brown leather, the covers extending beyond the edge of the book, and will be stamped with plain gold lettering. A departure will be made in the omission of the four class seals. The frontispiece will probably be printed in colors. The alumni have been generous in subscribing for copies and in contributing drawings. Squires '00 and Richards '04 will each be represented by several pieces of work.

The chief complaint against recent Guls has been their late appearance. This year's book, barring unforeseen accidents, will be on sale at least two weeks before the prom. A much larger circulation is assured a book appearing before June 1st, and the editors and manager will make every effort to have the 1907 Gul distributed before the end of the college year.

OBITUARIES

'59—Rev. Martin Luther Berger, D. D., died of apoplexy at his home in Oakland, Cal., on February 6, aged sixty-seven years. Dr. Berger was born at Mellenville, N. Y., Aug. 12, 1839; preparing at Hudson academy and Hudson River Institute, he graduated from Williams in 1859 and from Union Theological seminary in 1862. Ordained in 1863, he was pastor successively at East Millstone, N. J., Fishkill, N. Y., Syracuse, N. Y., San Francisco, Cal., and Hillsdale, N. Y., and for fifteen years was pastor of the Park Congregational church in Cleveland. On account of ill-health he had lived in Oakland, Cal., for some years before his death.

'67—John Howard Cowing, for many years one of Buffalo's prominent citizens, died at Riverside, California, where he had been for some years, on Feb. 22. He was born in Brooklyn, Dec. 20, 1846, prepared for college in that city, and graduated from Williams in 1867. He entered the employ of Tasker, Marvin & Co., bankers, and remained in New York until 1874, when he took up his residence in Buffalo, representing that firm. He became general manager and vice-president of the Buffalo Mutual Gas Light Co, and, when that company was absorbed, in 1897, general manager of the consolidated companies, which position he kept until failing health forced his resignation.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Coach Dowd will come to Williamstown as soon as the nets for the baseball cage are delivered.

H. H. Griswold and Sleeper 1908, A. W. Campbell and Harter 1909 are in the infirmary.

R. H. Warner ex-'04, who has been in business in New York city since leaving college, has re-entered college with the senior class.

The senior committee in charge of the March 17th celebration has been appointed as follows: Macnutt, chairman, Appell, Blaisdell, Leland, Page.

Measurements for caps and gowns were taken by Cotrell and Leonard of Albany yesterday afternoon. All seniors who have not ordered can do so through Campbell 1906.

The 1906 alumni number of the college bulletin, which is now in the hands of the printer, will appear during March. In addition to the alphabetical index there will be an arrangement by locality, both states and cities.

The cups won by the relay team and the individual entries at the Troy meet, as well as the shield for the institution scoring the greatest number of points, are on exhibition in P. A. Chambers' window.

The sophomore prom. committee has appointed the sub-committee of twelve, as follows: Atwater, Campbell, Crittenden, Dawson, M. A. Fischer, Knight, Payson, A. G. Reed, Rosenfield, Sawyer, Stone, Webster.

A college meeting will be held tomorrow evening at 7:30 in Jesup Hall to consider the subject of hazing. Immediately after the meeting the senior class will meet to elect a member of the class-day committee and a member of the honor system committee.

College Preachers

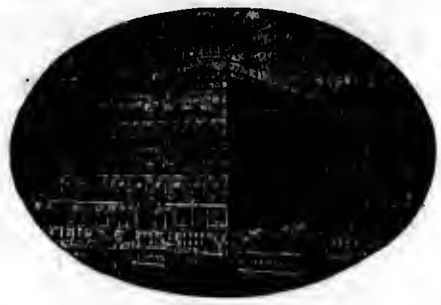
The following list of college preachers has been announced by President Hopkins:

March 11. Rev Mr. Brockhall, of Utica; March 18, Rev. Adolphus F. Schauffler, D. D., '67, of New York city; March 25, Rev. Charles E. Goss, D. D., of Cincinnati, O.; April 1, Dr. Henry E. Cobb, pastor of the West End Avenue Collegiate Church, New York; April 8, Dr. Cornelius H. Patton, of Boston, a secretary of the American Board; April 22, Rev. John Hopkins Denison '90, of Boston; April 29, Rev. Philip S. Moxom, D. D., of Springfield; May 13, Dr. A. J. Lyman of Brooklyn, N. Y.; May 27, Dr. C. E. Jefferson of New York city; June 10, Dr. Henry Van Dyke of New York city.

The following have accepted provisionally: May 20, Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis of Brooklyn, N. Y.; June 3, Ex-President Franklin Carter, Ph. D., LL. D.; June 17, Robert E. Speer.

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NOT ABOLISHED

Motion to Check Hazing Defeated in College Meeting

A meeting of the college body was held in Jesup Hall Friday evening to consider the question of hazing. It was voted (170 to 116) not to abolish hazing from that time until the close of the college year in June.

The meeting was called to order by J. E. Perry, president of the senior class. The discussion was opened by the presentation of the following motion: "That, from now until the close of the college year in June, hazing, including Hi Juvenes, be abolished in Williams college." Morgan '06 and Bixby '06 spoke for the motion, while Case '06 and Scholle '06 opposed. No amendments were offered, nor were any other propositions concerning hazing brought forward at the meeting. The motion was lost by the vote stated above.

Limited to Ten Days

At a meeting of the sophomore class held Saturday noon it was decided that no hazing be done before Wednesday March 7. Case '06 spoke, saying that inasmuch as the action which was taken by the college Friday night was evidently in opposition to the wishes of the faculty and trustees, it would be better to limit the period of hazing; he suggested a week before March 17. Perry '06 stated that a senior committee had been appointed to supervise the hazing and explained its method of procedure. A sophomore hazing committee of six members was elected. Macnutt '06, chairman of the senior cane commitee, read the rules, which are unchanged from last year.

Senior Class Meeting

At a meeting of the senior class Friday evening directly after the college meeting, A. W. McAllister was elected to the honor system committee. W. H. Blaisdell, jr., was elected to the class day committee, in place of C. Hills, resigned.

It was voted that a committee of the senior class draw up and circulate in college a petition to be presented to the trustees, concerning the standard of work required by the French department.

D. M. Hills 1906 was operated on for appendicitis at the Albany City Hospital Sunday morning. He is doing as well as could be expected and will return to college in about two weeks.

TWO DEBATES

On Gate Receipts—Williams Meets Brown and Dartmouth

Williams will tonight meet Dartmouth and Brown in debate, Dartmouth at Williamstown, and Brown at Providence. Dartmouth will at the same time oppose Brown at Hanover. The question, concerning the abolition of gate receipts, has appeared in a past number of The Record. The series between the Green and the Purple at present stands a tie, each side being credited with five victories. Brown is a new opponent.

The Williams teams have been working steadily for nearly two months, the latter part of that time under the guidance of Mr. E. M. Lewis. Although composed largely of inexperienced men, the other colleges are little better off. Perry '06, Case '07 and Matthews '07 have represented Williams in past debates.

The home contest will be held in Jesup Hall at 8 o'clock. President Hopkins will be the presiding officer.

The judges for the Dartmouth debate will be Mr. J. Frederick Eagle, Mr. Herbert Noble and Mr. William B. Whitney, all of New York. Those for the Brown debate will be Prof. I. N. Hollis of Harvard, Prof. Pearson of M. I. T. and Mr. Arthur P. Stone of Boston.

John Kenneth Byard '08, of Fly Creek, N. Y., Lytel William Matthews '07, of Westfield, N.Y., Roy Herbert Case '07 of Canandaigua, N. Y., and Francis Bowes Sayre '09, of South Bethlehem, Pa., alternate, will uphold the affirmative for Williams against P. M. Chase '09, B. E. Spencer '06, A. B. Meservey '06, and W. J. Minsch '07, alternate, of Dartmouth.

The team to debate against Brown, consisting of Henry Wolcott Toll '09, of Denver, Col.; Elmer Philip Groben '08, of Buffalo, N. Y.; Joseph Earl Perry '06, of Shelburne Falls, Mass.; and James Burch Murray '08, of Utica, N. Y. alternate, left Williamstown at 12.58 yesterday. The Brown team consists of George Hurley '06, C. R. Branch '07 and R. N. Dennett '07.

Sophomore Prom. Committee

The revised auxiliary sophomore prom. committee, of ten members, as required by the new rules, has been appointed, as follows: Atwater, Campbell, Crittenden, M. A. Fisher, Gibson, Payson, A. G. Reed, Sawyer, Stone, Webster.

LEHMAN CUP CONTEST

Indoor Events Held Saturday Afternoon—Horrax '09 in Lead

The indoor events of the Lehman cup contest were held in Lasell Gymnasium on Saturday afternoon. The results of these trials give Horrax '09 the lead for the trophy with 25 points; A. Brown '07 is second with 23. The remaining points are distributed as follows: Marshall '08, 20; LaMent '08, 18; M. Brown '07 and Matz '09 12 each; Chapman '07, 11; Bowker '08 and Wadsworth '09, 9 each; B. P. Allen '08, 8; Griswold '06, 4; Ayers '06, 2.

The summary of the events follows:

High Jump. Horrax '09 and A. Brown '07 tied for first, 5 ft. 7 in. M. Brown '07 and Matz '09 tied for second, 5 ft. 6 in. LaMent '08 third, 5 ft. 2 in.

Putting 16 lb. Shot. Won by Marshall '08, 39 ft.; LaMent '08 second, 33 ft. 8 in.; third, Bowker '08, 33 ft. 7 in.

Pole Vault. Won by Horrax '09, 10 ft.; second, A. Brown '07, 9 ft. 6 in.

Potato Race. Won by Chapman '07; second, Wadsworth '09; third B. P. Allen '08.

BY EIGHT POINTS

Williams Beaten by Strong Independent Team at Schenectady

The Washington Continentals defeated Williams by the score of 23 to 15 in the state armory, Schenectady, on Saturday evening. The Schenectady team has defeated Syracuse 60 to 9 and Colgate 54 to 24. Saturday's game was the closest in which they have played this year. Throughout the first half Williams kept close to the Continentals and finished the period two points behind (9-11).

In the last five minutes Williams fairly outplayed the home team. The Schenectady team declared Williams to be the best guarding team they had played against.

Williams passed in good form, but missed many easy shots, in great part owing to the fact that dead screens made any carom shots from the side impossible. Blaisdell played a fine game against Lamb, although fouling often.

Line-up and summary:

Williams	Washington Cont'al
Gardner lf.	rg, Christian
Crawford rf,	lg, F. Tilden, Garroway
Tower c,	c, Lennon
Blaisdell lg,	rf, Lamb
Cowell rg,	lf, G. Tilden

Score, Continentals 23, Williams 15. Baskets from floor, Crawford 2, Cowell, Gardner, Tower; Christian 2, F. Tilden 2, Lennon 2, Garroway. Baskets from foul, G. Tilden 8, Gardner 5. Point awarded for Williams foul on opponent while shooting. Referee and umpire, Briggs of Springfield Training school. Timer, Eldred '05. Time, two 20-minute periods.

CALENDAR

MONDAY, MARCH 5

8.00 p. m.—Williams-Dartmouth debate, tri-collegiate league series, J. H.

8.00 p. m.—Williams-Brown debate, tri-collegiate league series, Providence.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7

8.00 p. m.—Williams-Dartmouth basketball, Hanover.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8

8.00 p. m.—Jackson concert, J. H. Dannreuther Quartet.

COMMERCIAL MORALITY

Address by G. H. Putnam—"A Square Deal" Necessary

George Haven Putnam, Litt. D., of the New York publishing firm of G. P. Putnam's Sons, addressed the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall last evening, on the subject of "Commercial Morality."

Certain principles of honor and mutual dependence on keeping of faith have in all cases governed human relations. Until recently, practically all pledges and trade contracts were given by word of mouth, and it is evident that faith in honesty was necessary for the conduct of business. In our age all is changed. It is true that a large amount of trading is still carried on, as in Wall street, by oral agreement, but the great mass of business and engagements of all kinds is done in accordance with written contracts, and it seems that in the change we have lost much of the old respect for personal honor. We respect the letter, not the spirit of the law.

Literally, it is not always true that "honesty is the best policy." But even from the selfish standpoint, honesty pays in the end, for some memories are apt to be uncomfortable in later life. But as we think of ourselves, not as individuals, but as members of a business concern, a city, a party, or of society, we must see that honesty in all relations of life is all-important. The struggle between capital and labor, the trust question, the evils of class legislation, could all be lightened by a universal recognition of the old principle of mutual trust in honor, implying consideration for the rights of others.

President Hopkins on Hazing

President Hopkins addressed the college in chapel this morning on the hazing question. He stated that "Williams had received a black eye" by restoring hazing last Friday, and recommended a second college meeting to be held Tuesday evening, to reverse by unanimous vote Friday's action, that the good name of the college may be restored.

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The Hazing Question

The opportunity is sometimes given the students of a college to place on their alma mater the mark of high purpose and honor. It is seen in the demand for purity in athletics, and for fair play, and in no less degree in the desire for moderation, that a more sensible adjustment be made between athletics and the curriculum. Affecting the curriculum, we know of no better example than the Honor System, which has been in successful operstion at Williams for nine years. The foundstion of this institution was the recognition of the quality the student must have as the first requisite of education. The undergraduates seldom enough perceive the chances that are offered them to raise their college nearer to its ideal. But the occasions on which they line themselves up with the forces of opposition, are rare indeed.

By voting Friday night not to abolish hazing for the remainder of the college year, the student body has evidently taken a position in favor of the practice. Unless the vote is reversed, the attitude of Williams on this question will be judged from that decision; the status of hazing in this college could hardly be fixed more definitely. This action must come as a surprise and disappointment to the alumni of this college, and others who have an interest in its progress, for the determination to uphold hazing is entirely at variance with the tendency which has been shown by the undergradnates in other matters.

The men who voted against the motion must either have rejected the argument that hazing is harmful to the name of the college ,or decided that it is overbalaneed by the argument that hazing is the only method of teaching the freshman proper respect for men in the classes above him. No one will venture to say that hazing is regarded outside college as a necessary part of training. By their votes the majority seemed to confess that they were unable to secure the observance of college customs in any other way than by hazing.

An opinion has already been expressed in these columns on the immediate influence of hazing, as well as a statement made of what we believe to be the main issue. There is no need to enter further into the practical disadvantages of the practice. If tbe action taken by the college were one which affected only the student-body, the discussion would have ended with the vote. If the question is brought up again, we ask of the undergraduates a more careful consideration of the real issue.

The Baseball Schedule

The baseball schedule, published in the last issue of The Record, assures Williams of an attractive list of games for the season of 1906. The schedule as a whole is creditable to the management. It suffers little when compared to those of former years, and is well adapted to the team which the present prospect seems to offer the Purple this year. If there is any criticism, it should not be made on the side of weakness. for the list contains more than the usual number of games with the leaders in college baseball. That the schedule is inferior to many is due to faculty restriction. Williams is allowed but twenty-one games, is practically limited to two contests on a trip, and is not permitted to play on sny day other than Wednesday or Saturday.

The college should feel more than satisfied with the home list. Besides Dartmouth, Amherst and Wesleyan, Williams meets on Weston Field, among others. Columbia, Syracuse and Trinity. The home schedule is further strengthened by the omission of a preparatory school game, and an increase in the number of contests over last year. Though an early southern trip is ordinarily of great value in developing the nine, it is omitted with good reason this year. The expense of six weeks additional coaching is enough to prevent the trip, which must always be taken at a financial loss.

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COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

The Record received this morning, too late for publication, a communication from a member of the junior class. The writer objected to President Hopkins' statement in chapel this morning, that the action of the college on hazing was hasty. The writer claims that the vote was taken after a year's observation and discussion of the question. In closing he said, "The faculty controls the curriculum, and should control everything except college custom. But when it tries to control that also, it seems about time for some assertion by the students."

SONG RECITAL

Mr. Gwilym Miles in Sixth Thompson Entertainment

The song recital by Mr. Gwilym Miles in Jesup Hall Thursday evening was the sixth of the Thompson course of entertainments for this year. It is seldom that a program of such variety and contrast, coupled with such command and rendition of tones, as well as a natural interpretation, has been given in Williamstown.

Perhaps the most striking characteristic of Mr. Miles' singing is the element of personality which he puts into it. His wide range of selection, his exquisite rendering of the Prologue from "Pagliacci" and of the oratorio "It is Enough," from the "Elijah," which was added to the program by request; the soft emotion in Starck's "Schlummerlied" and "On the Way to Kew," and the veiled humor in "Molly Malone" —all were so infused with this personality that the evening's entertainment was delightful.

The program was well balanced, the more emotional numbers admirably setting off the lighter ones. Hugo Kaun's conception "My Native Land," received perhaps, from the musician's point of view, the best treatment. "Danny Deever" earned a double encore. The "Pilgrim Song" and the serenade "Don Juan", by Tschaikowsky, coming as they did immediately after the lighter songs, offered a striking contrast. Mr. Frank J. Smith was accompanist.

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Thirty-Ninth Annual Dinner—Gen. C. W. Bartlett, Dartmouth '69

The thirty-ninth annual dinner of the Williams alumni association of Boston took place at the University club, Thursday evening, March 1. There was a larger attendance than ever before, and the dinner proved to be the most enjoyable in years. James D. Colt '84 was a felicitous presiding officer.

After the invocation by Rev. Dr. Francis N. Peloubet '53, a silent toast was drunk to the memory of the late Judge James M. Barker '60. A letter of regret from President Hopkins was read, characterizing the college as "harmonious, courageous and progressive," and asking the alumni "to help us realize the very best things for Williams."

The first speaker was Gen. Charles W. Bartlett, Dartmouth '69, democratic candidate for governor last fall. After referring to the pleasant relations that have always existed between Dartmouth and Williams, and relating several of his amusing experiences in the recent campaign, he spoke upon the effectiveness of the small college as an instrument of education. He believed in limiting the enrollment, so that every undergraduate should be able to know all his classmates thoroughly and enjoy an extended acquaintance with members of other classes. "No two institutions are nearer alike than Dartmouth and Williams in their effect on student character. Men of these institutions have a great respect for each other, because they have to a great extent the same aims and the same training. Numbers do not count: it is the quality of the men that counts, and the spirit of the institution. The training given at Williams and Dartmouth is unique. If I were not a graduate of Dartmouth I should want to be a graduate of Williams."

Rev. John H. Denison '90, pastor of the Central Congregational church, made a scholarly address upon the real purposes of college education. The last speaker was Asst.-Prof. Lewis Perry '98, who brought the greetings of the college and discussed some of the more prominent problems now before the faculty and the undergraduates.

Among those present were Rev. Dr. Peloubet '53, Rev. Dr. Hutchins '61, Rev. Dr. Dike '63, Rev. Dr. Merriman '63, Rev. Dr. Morley '63, Fitch '70, Dunbar '71, Hooker '71, Kingsley '75, Dewey '76, Gleason '77, Dewey '79, Perry '81, Johnson '83, President Lefavour '83, Colt '84, Dowd '85, Warren '85, Anderson '86, Thomas '86, Warren '86, Fessenden '87, Buck '88, Clarke '89,

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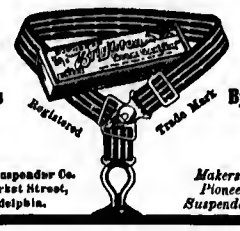
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The regulations governing the cane contest which will occur on Wednesday afternoon and evening of next week are practically identical with those of last year. Again, every underclassman pledges himself not to "cut" unless by special permission of the Dean.

The procession to chapel on Sunday by the class possessing the canes will be absent as has been the custom for two years past. The "shirt-tail" parade and usual features attending the bonfire on the old campus on Saturday night will end the celebration and there will be no rushes after the burial of the hatchet.

The following rules were drawn up by the senior committee:

1—The canes must not be within the fire limits of Williamstown before the "cane hours" are on.

2—The time limits between which the canes must be brought within the fire limits of Williamstown shall be 5 to 11 p. m., on Wednesday, March 14.

3—The members of both lower classes shall pledge themselves to attend all prescribed college exercises on the day of the cane contest, with the exception of those who receive permission in advance from the Dean, through a senior committee, to be absent on cane business.

4—No Sunday afternoon procession.

5—No rush after procession on Saturday.

6—The attendance on Thursday and Friday and Saturday as well as on Wednesday shall be maintained.

7—The sophomores are not to destroy the transparencies or interfere with the parade in any way until the procession reaches the President's house on the return march.

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The second important addition, obtained by Mr. Burr, through chance, for a tenth of its real value, is a number of octavo volumes, bound in parchment, of "Ancient English Metrical Romances," published by Joseph Ritson, and revised by Edmund Goldsmid, F. R. H. S., of Edinburgh. This work was limited to 350 copies. The volumes are careful reprints of early romances, antedating Sir Thomas Malory, of the Arthurian legends, Gothic and Welsh ballads, and "The Squyr of Lowe Degree," so popular in Shakespeare's day that in Henry V, he puts it in the mouth of the uneducated soldier Fluellen.

The best general history that has appeared in several years is the "History of All Nations," in 22 volumes, published by Lea Bros. & Co., J. H. Wright, general editor. Volume 21, Colonization of the New World, and volume 22, Independence of the New World, are by John Fiske. A second costly historical work is a "History of Louisiana," in 4 volumes, by Alcée Fortier, Litt. D., of which the library copy is No. 606 of 1000 numbered sets. The work is gotten up regardless of expense, with frontispieces in color, and numerous full-page illustrations in sepia and other tints.

Other books of interest for various reasons are a "Geography of Commerce," by one Spencer Trotter, M. D.; an "Oscan and Umbrian Grammar," by Buck; Santayana's "The Life of Renson," in 4 volumes; the old Tudor translations of Machiavelli's "The Prince", "The Art of War", and "The Florentine History"; a cloth-bound folio volume "The Most Excellent Hugo Grotius his three books, treating of the rights of war and peace," translated by William Evats, B. D., printed in 1682, with an engraving of Grotius laid in; The Diamond Mines of South Africa, by Gardner F. Williams, M. A., manager of the De Beers consolidated mines, in 2 volumes, an expensive work including much interesting matter on the history of famous diamonds, presented by the author; The Law in Shakespeare, by Cushman K. Davis, published in legal form by the West Publishing Co., of St. Paul.

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ALUMNI NEWS

'78—Prof. Waldo S. Pratt of Hartford has been elected a member of the executive committee of the newly organized University club at Hartford, Conn.

'81—Frederic T. Parsons has been honored with the decoration of Chevalier of the Legion of Honor of the French Republic. This was conferred upon him for his eminence as an authority in electricity, of which he has made a life-study.

'85—James R. Garfield, United States commissioner of commerce and labor, has been investigating the operations of the Standard Oil Co. in Illinois, in order to obtain evidence against that corporation, for the suit brought against it by the attorney-general of Illinois.

'92—Clark Williams, formerly vice-president of the United States Mortgage and Trust Co., at 55 Cedar street, New York city, has been elected vice-president of the newly organized Columbia Trust Co., of New York.

'98—Ralph W. Dunbar is practising law with the firm of Dunbar, Rachemann and Brewster, in Boston.

'99—Frederick M. Joiner is with the Empire Foundry Co., at New Brunswick, N. J.

1900—Albert Hopkins has left the brokerage firm of Welles, Auchincloss & West, New York, and has entered the employ of Dudley Brothers & Co., brokers, 43 Exchange place.

Ex-'09—Price is a member of the freshman class at Columbia.

COLLEGE NOTES

Lyman Eldridge 1908 has left college.

Owing to the absence of Prof. Rice, Prof. Spring has been named as senior class officer.

Prof. Leverett Mears will speak on "Physical Chemistry" at the regular meeting of the scientific association Thursday evening.

Mr. Edward M. Lewis was toastmaster at the annual banquet and dance given by the Leek club of North Adams last Friday evening.

Banks '90, Stiles 1900, Hatch, Hopkins, H. D. Mears, C. I. Wood 1903 and J. M. Woodhouse ex-'06 have been in town recently.

A fire occurred in 6 Morgan Hall early Saturday morning which was fortunately discovered in time to prevent serious damage. A hole was burned in the floor and the woodwork scorched and smoked in the hallway.

Mr. W. S. Pettit attended a meeting at Amherst Thursday, at which the efficiency of the deacon system and means of strengthening the college church were discussed. He will also speak at the vesper service at Williston on Sunday, March 18.

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BROWN CHAMPIONS

First Tricollegiate League Debate—Williams Defeats Dartmouth

QUESTION: RESOLVED, THAT IT WOULD BE FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF AMERICAN COLLEGES THAT NO MONEY SHOULD BE EXPENDED FOR TRAVELING EXPENSES, MAINTENANCE, EQUIPMENT AND COACHING OF ATHLETIC TEAMS ENGAGED IN INTERCOLLEGIATE CONTESTS, EXCEPT FROM VOLUNTARY, BONA-FIDE SUBSCRIPTIONS OF THE STUDENT BODY.

Result of Debates

WILLIAMS DEFEATED DARTMOUTH.

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Teams

At Williamstown. Affirmative, Williams: John Kenneth Byard 1908, of Fly Creek, N. Y.; Lytel William Matthews 1907, of Westfield, N. Y.; Roy Herbert Case 1907, of Canandaigua, N. Y.; Franoia Bowes Sayre 1909, of South Bethlehem, Pa., alternate. Negative, Dartmouth: Philip Minot Chase 1909, of Boston: Bertrand Edwin Spencer 1906, of Wilder, Vt.; Arthur Bond Meservey 1906, of Aahland, N. H.; William Joseph Minsch 1907, of Worcester alternate.

At Providence. Affirmative, Brown: A. W. Manchester 1906; George Hurley 1907; C. R. Branch 1907; H. H. Thurlow 1906, alternate. Negative, Williams: Henry Wolcott Toll 1909, of Denver, Col.; Elmer Philip Groben 1908, of Buffalo, N. Y.; Joseph Earl Perry 1906, of Shelburne Falls; James Burch Murray 1908, of Utica, N. Y., alternate.

Dartmouth Beaten in Rebuttal

President Hopkins presided at the debate in Jesup Hall. Williams won on the excellence of the rebuttals, which in every case carried more conviction than the first speeches. Dartmouth's first speeches were the more convincing, owing to the careful summarizing of arguments by each speaker. In rebuttal work Dartmouth made the old mistake of trying to prove too many points. Each Williams debater in rebuttal laid main stress on a single important point, and presented this point in spirited, forceful manner. The judges, Mr. Herbert Noble, Mr. William B. Whitney and Mr. J. Frederick Eagle, all of New York, were out thirty-five minutes. The decision was not unanimous. Before the debate and in the interval before announcement of the decision music was given by the college orchestra.

To Prevent Commercialism

Byard '08 introduced the question for the affirmative, showing that by the proposed plan no money would be obtained from gate receipts and alumni contributions. There is too much money in athletics. Within twenty years athletics have become a commercial enterprise, and the only way to prevent this commercialism is to bring the money receipts to a normal basis.

Chase '09, for Dartmouth, stated that the system would not eliminate the evils in intercollegiate athletics, such as professionalism, the outcome of the inborn desire of Americans to win, graft, extravagance, and the undue honor shown the athlete by the student body.

Matthews '07, Williams second speaker, stated that the proposed plan was intended to cure only the universal evils, commercialism and overexaggeration. He cited four college presidents and seven professors from all parts of the United States that this overexaggeration, distorting student perspective, was directly due to the money derived from gate receipts and alumni contributions.

Spencer '06 continued for Dartmouth. The abolition of gate receipts would mean that the greater part of American intercollegiate athletics would go. We would become largely self-centered. The present system is good; it would be folly to shift the burden onto the students' shoulders.

Closing Speakers

Case '07 closed the debate for Williams with a strong argument. The affirmative's plan, most effective, most permanent, most adaptable, is the best way to make the necessary reduction of athletic expenditures. In no case will the student body be forced to pay more than they can, for the question states that subscriptions shall be voluntary.

Meservey '06 concluded the negative. The system proposed is too radical and is inconsistent. The student pays only a third of the cost of his education. Why should he pay for all the cost of his athletics? A better method is the adoption of faculty control, with endowment where possible, and the professional coach and the training table eliminated.

Dartmouth Arguments Met

Dartmouth opened the rebuttal,

Continued on page 6.

ACTION REVERSED

College Takes a Position Against Hazing During Second Half Year

On Tuesday evening a meeting of the college was held in Jesup Hall to reconsider the question of hazing, upon which action was taken by the student body Friday night. The previous decision, that hazing be not abolished from that time until the end of the college year in June, was reversed when it was voted (199 to 139) that the students of the college should co-operate with the trustees in supressing hazing during the second half year.

The meeting was opened shortly after 7.30 p. m. by H. D. Bixby, vice-president of the senior class, presiding officer in the absence of J. E. Perry, president of the senior class. President Hopkins, who had asked for a reconsideration of the question, spoke to the college. He explained fully the position of the trustees and faculty on the subject of hazing, saying that whether or not there was to be hazing in the college could not properly be decided by the undergraduates; it was a question that the administration had settled. The final position taken by the student body must be one either of co-operation or opposition in enforcing the rules of the college. The president did not enter into the advantages or disadvantages of hazing. He referred to the opinion of the trustees, faculty and alumni, that the action taken Friday night would be harmful to the name of Williams. He spoke for about half an hour, and his remarks were heard with the closest attention.

After President Hopkins had left the meeting the motion was made, "That it is the sentiment of the students of Williams College that hazing be abolished during the second term." An effort to lay the motion on the table was defeated by a ballot vote, 193 to 177. Twenty-three members of the student body, from the senior, junior and sophomore classes, spoke for and against the necessity of reconsideration.

The original motion was amended to read, "That the students of Williams College co-operate with the trustees in suppressing hazing during the second half year." The amended motion was carried on a ballot vote by a majority of 60.

At a meeting of Cap and Bells held in Jesup Hall this afternoon Robbins '06 was elected business manager in place of C. Hills '06, resigned.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, MARCH 8

8.00 p. m.—Jackson entertainment, Dannrauther quartet, J. H.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9

8.00 p. m.—City government club lecture, J. H. Mr. Charles W. Hinrichs, of New York, speaks on "Political Work and Its Rewards."

SATURDAY, MARCH 10

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Wesleyan basketball, Lasell Gymnasium.

SUNDAY, MARCH 11

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Rev. R. W. Brokaw, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Utica, N.Y. will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. James H. Hamilton, of New York city, will speak.

MONDAY, MARCH 12

8.00 p. m.—Prof. Wahl lectures on Frankfort, T. B. L.

A ROUGH GAME

Williams Defeated at Hanover by Score of 26 to 7

Dartmouth defeated Williams in basketball at Hanover last evening by the score of 26 to 7. Williams did not secure a basket from the floor and scored but one point after the first half. The game was very rough, and Dartmouth made its superior weight count, getting free repeatedly in the second half. The work of the official was poor.

Williams' passing was very poor, and Dartmouth's by no means up to the standard exhibited in previous games. Both teams blocked fiercely, and the fouls unseen outnumbered those called. Dartmouth took no long shots, but scored their points invariably from near the basket, after fighting free in a scrimmage. Cowell and Gardner did the best work for Williams, while McGrail was everywhere for Dartmouth and Lang, though slow, was able to get free for shots. The score at the end of the first half was 12-6. Williams played fast at the beginning of the second half.

Line-up and summary:

Williams	Dartmouth
Gardner lf,	rg, Alling
Neild rf,	lg, McGrail
Blaisdell c.	c, Lang
Tower lg,	rf, Grebenstein
Cowell rg,	lf, Russ

Score, Dartmouth 26, Williams 7. Baskets from floor, McGrail 4, Lang 3, Russ 2, Grebenstein. Baskets from foul, Neild 6, Gardner; Grebenstein 5, Russ. Umpire and referee, Hardy, of Cushing academy. Time, two twenty-minute periods.

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The Decision on Hazing

The vote of the college Tuesday evening "to co-operate with the trustees in suppressing hazing during the second term," has repaired to some extent the damage done to the name of the college by the previous decision. The students of the college should feel satisfied with the meeting. We wish we could see in the vote a change of opinion on the evils of hazing, but cannot. The majority still seem to feel that the kind of hazing done at Williams is a benefit rather than a harm.

The college body has rid itself of the charge of obstinacy, in showing its willingness to look at the question of hazing from another point of view. A motion to assist in enforcing any rule of the college should have but one outcome when presented to men who evidently agree, upon matriculation, to be governed by the laws of that college. The only source of regret is that 139 undergraduates decided that they ought not to be bound by one of those laws.

As to the meeting itself, the students accomplished something for themselves when they demanded unrestricted discussion of every debatable point. They have not seen fit to do so heretofore. The attitude taken in this partiecular Tuesday night should go far towards making college gatherings more sincere expressions of opinion.

The undergraduates had, up to that meeting, evidently misunderstood the extent of their authority. They had reason to believe they could decide the question of hazing. When the custom was abolished last year, the student body was not notified that it had taken action on a subject beyond its jurisdiction. We are glad the position of the faculty has been made clear.

By passing a motion to "co-operate with the trustees," the student body has relinquished any claim to decide the matter. The practical result of Tuesday's action is that there will be no more hazing during the second semester. It cannot be countenanced by the student body, which voted to abide by a law intended for its benefit, and which does not care to have hazing at Williams identified with hazing at other places.

The Debating Season

The debating season which has just closed, in spite of the fact that it was marked by two defeats and only one victory, cannot be considered a failure. The victory won by Wesleyan last fall has been more than counterbalanced by the results of last Monday's debates. Williams won from Dartmouth, and a halt was called to the series of defeats which characterized last season and the first part of this year. In the debate at Providence it should also be remembered that the decision was not unanimous. The two teams were so evenly matched that the judges had difficulty in coming to a conclusion.

The Purple did not make a mistake in entering the triangular league. When it is considered that both Brown and Dartmouth are more than twice the size of Williams, the result of Monday's contests must be satisfactory. The outlook for next year is particularly bright. There are few branches of intercollegiate competition in which experience counts for so much as in debating. With only one member of the two teams lost by graduation, Williams should start the next year under most favorable circumstances.

Success in the present triangular league should not tempt Williams to extend its debating interests at this time. The proposition has been made for another league, with Amherst and Wesleyan. We believe the college should wait a year, at least, before attempting to meet a fourth team. Williams is by no means restored to its former position in debating, though it seems to have advanced nearer that goal by the present methods. The results have not been such as to warrant branching out to include another contest, nor has there yet been shown to be sufficient material to guarantee four well-balanced teams. In this case it is better to concentrate all efforts for success in the three debates which are scheduled for next year.

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LEHMAN CUP EVENTS

Held Yesterday Afternoon—Horrax '09 in Lead by a Point

Three outdoor events of the Lehman cup contest were held on the board track yesterday afternoon. The results of these events gives Horrax '09 the lead with a total of 35 points, A. Brown '07 being second with 34. The remainder of the points are distributed as follows:

Marshall '08 and Chapman '07 20; B. P. Allen '08 and LaMent '08 18; Matz '09 12¾; M. Brown '07 12; Bowker '08 and Wadsworth '09 9; Griswold '06 6; Hurlbut '07 5¼; Conover '07, Ayres '06, M. H. Fisher '08 2; Lapham '07 1.

The summary of events follows:

40-yd. Dash. Final heat, won by Horrax '09; A. Brown '07 second; Chapman '07, third; Lapham '07 fourth; Hurlbut '07 fifth.

40-yd. Low Hurdles. Won by Horrax '09; A. Brown '07 second; Griswold '06 third; Hurlbut '07 and Matz '09 fourth, (dead heat).

Half-mile Run. Won by B. P. Allen '08; Chapman 07 second; Hurlbut '07 third; Conover '07 fourth; A. Brown '07 fifth.

The remaining events, the mile run, quarter-mile run, the second 40-yard dash, and the 40-yard high hurdles, will be run off on the afternoon of Saturday, March 17.

Jackson Concert Tonight

At eight o'clock tonight in Jesup Hall the biennial Jackson concert will be given by the Damrenther quartette, of New York. The quartette is composed of Gustav Damrenther, 1st violin, F. Lorenz Smith, 2nd violin, Josef Kovarik, viola, and Emil Schenck, 'cello.

These concerts are given in the Thompson series, but are due to a fund given by Nathan Jackson, the donor of Jackson Hall. This fund was given many years ago to provide for an annual college banquet. As the college grew larger, it was decided to substitute concerts for the banquets, but the income is insufficient to give them oftener than every two years.

Politics as a Career

Charles W. Hinrichs, one of the most prominent lawyers of New York city, will speak before the college city government club in Jesup Hall at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening. Mr. Hinrichs, who has been an active worker in New York politics for several years past, will take for his subject "Political Work and Its Rewards," and will deal with politics as a career for the college man.

Lecture by Prof. Wahl

The lecture on Frankfort which Prof. Wahl intended to give before the Deutscher Verein tonight has been postponed on account of the Jackson concert to Monday, at 8.00 p. m., probably in the Biological Laboratory. The lecture will be delivered in German.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Prof. Wahl gave the first of a series of lectures on modern German literature before the German 3 classes yesterday.

Prof. Mears has filed his name as a candidate for the Williamstown school committee to take the place of Prof. Wild, who has refused a renomination.

P. R. Peters 1906 has resigned the leadership of the Mandolin club. At a meeting of the club Tuesday afternoon A. N. Cowperthwait 1906 was elected leader for the remainder of the year.

Rev. Ralph W. Brokaw D. D., of Utica, N. Y., will preach in the college chapel on next Sunday morning. Dr. Brokaw, formerly of Springfield, Mass., has been for several years pastor of the first Presbyterian church of Utica.

The nets for the baseball cage have been received and put in place. A cinder walk has been constructed from near the corner of the board track to the north door of the cage. Coach Dowd is expected in town next week and will remain about two weeks.

A match shoot was held Wednesday afternoon between the gun club and the North Adams country club resulting in a victory for the latter by the score of 73 to 70, unknown angles. The match took place on the country club's range at Zylonite. There will be a return shoot on the Taconic club range Wednesday.

NOTICES

—Seniors wishing to order caps and gowns are requested to notify Campbell '06 before Saturday, March 10.

—The class prayer-meetings will be held on Friday evening at 7:15. Topic: Citizenship; Romans 13. Leaders: 1906, Griswold; 1907, McCleary; 1908, Anderson; 1909, Crawford.

Y. M. C. A. Speaker

At the Y. M. C. A. meeting on Sunday evening, James H. Hamilton, Ph. D., head of the University Settlement in New York city, will speak on some subject connected with his work in that institution. Dr. Hamilton is the author of several books and papers on economic and sociological subjects. Graduating from the University of Cincinnati in 1887, he received the degree of Ph. D., from the University of Wisconsin in 1896. In 1896 he became professor of sociology at Syracuse university and held that position until he accepted his present duties with the University Settlement. This institution, the chief of its kind in New York, aims to uplift life on the lower east side by efforts which have no marked religious intention.

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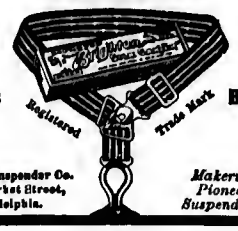
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'68—James H. Canfield, LL. D., Litt. D., librarian of Columbia university, will deliver the commencement address at Wellesley college, June 26.

'82—Charles A. Heath delivered the first of the illustrated lectures of the Chicago academy of sciences, in the society assembly hall, on Jan. 26. His subject was "The Cody Route into the Yellowstone Park."

'88—George L. Hubbell is superintendent of the Garden City Co., Garden City, N. Y., controlling the estate of the late A. T. Stewart.

'92—Newton B. Vanderzee has been appointed surrogate judge of Albany county, New York, by Governor Higgins.

1900—John Bray, holder of the college records in the mile and half mile, has been transferred from the Philadelphia to the San Francisco offices of the Western Eelectric Co.

1900—Rev. Marion G. Cole, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of Ft. Edward, N. Y., has resigned his pastorate to the Quarterly Conference of the Methodist church. On April 1 he will become associate pastor of the Third Presbyterian church of Chicago.

1901—John M. Birnie, who has been engaged in business since his graduation, has entered the junior class in Harvard Law school.

1902—Richard Jaeckel has been admitted to the firm of H. Jaeckel and Sons, successors to Asch and Jaeckel, 37 Union Square, New York city.

1903—George C. Forrey, jr., has resigned his position with E. M. Campbell & Co., of Indianapolis, to accept the position of Indiana manager for Breed and Harrison, municipal bond dealers of Cincinnati. He will remain at Anderson, Ind.

1905—Robert E. Webster has entered the employ of the Library Bureau Company, at 316 Broadway, New York city.

1905—Henry W. Mellen of Pasadena has entered the employ of the Banking & Trust Company of Los Angeles, Cal.

Ex-'07—The engagement is announced of Miss Jean L. R. Cory, of Brooklyn, to Wilbur Booth Wensley, of Brooklyn, a former member of the class of 1907.

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Brown Champions

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reiterating the burden of proof. Byard made clear that the present evils have grown up under faculty control. Not to quote at length, the main Dartmouth argument that the burden on the student-body would be unbearable was well met by Matthews, who showed that with the expense of athletics reduced, the burden would be less, and in no case could be inordinate, if contributions were voluntary. Case turned Dartmouth's arguments by showing that a decrease in the number of intercollegiate contests was really desirable, and that the Williams plan was in effect to help out the faculty in their task of supervision. The Dartmouth rebuttals failed to meet Williams' points, and suffered through vagueness.

A reception to the debaters of both teams and the judges was held at President Hopkins' residence after the debate.

DEFEATED BY BROWN

The debate with Brown in Providence was held in Sayles Hall, Hon. George T. Brown, Justice of the Rhode Island Superior Court, presiding. The entire debate was very closely contested, and the judges, Prof. Ira N. Hollis of Harvard, Prof. Henry E. Pearson of M. I. T., and Frederick W. Stone of Boston, had difficulty in arriving at a decision. The victory was judged to be Brown's with one dissenting vote.

The Brown representatives gave a descriptive rather than an argumentative debate, and for that reason were much less logical than the Williams speakers. The form of the Brown debate, as well as the delivery, was excellent. The speakers met each other's arguments all the way through, and the debate was probably won for Brown by the rebuttal of their third speaker. A reception was held after the debate at the home of President Faunce.

Evils in Athletics

Manchester '06 opened the debate for Brown by showing that serious evils exist in athletics. Extravagance is the underlying evil of athletics, the "mother of graft," and in this day of attacks on graft the colleges should set the pace.

Toll '09, first negative, showed that the plan was unnecessary, proving by statistics that there is not an overexpenditure in American intercollegiate athletics. Since this plan has the sole object of reducing athletic expenditure, the affirmative must prove general overexpenditure to justify their general change.

Extravagance Impossible

Hurley '07, Brown's second speaker, maintained that extravagance in student support of ath-

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letics would be impossible, since there would not be enough money, and student control would not permit it. Those taking part in minor sports would support them personally and colleges would play only their natural opponents.

Continuing for Williams, Groben '08 showed that the advocated measure would fail of reform in the large colleges, where the large student bodies have immense unused resources, as well as in the small colleges, and showed that, at Columbia, the scheme had proved unpracticable and easily evaded.

Overexaggeration of Athletics

Branch '07 concluded for the Providence team. The plan of the affirmative will enable the colleges to strike at overexaggeration of athletics. The athlete is too prominent in college life, a condition as bad for the athlete as his fellows, causing the "win at any cost" spirit.

Perry '06 summed up the Williams case. The affirmative plan, unnecessary and inefficient, is injurious because it imposes an immense burden on the students. A better plan is that of control by the faculty, the body best able to meet local conditions.

Rebuttals

The rebuttals centered largely about the question of overexpenditure. Brown's endeavor to eliminate "a few small colleges, situated in small towns, that would not lose much money anyhow," was well met by Groben, who showed that in ignoring the small colleges, the affirmative was ignoring 70 per cent of the college students in the United States. The rebuttals were generally in good form, and both closing speakers clarified the debate by careful summaries, Williams claiming that Brown had neither proved general evils, nor showed their plan to be the best, while the Brown speaker claimed that their plan "would put athletics on a sane basis."

OBITUARY

'57—Judge Martin Henry Smith died at his home in Suffield, Conn., January 31, of valvular heart disease, ensuing from a severe attack of the grippe. He was born at Suffield, August 5, 1833, prepared for college at Connecticut Literary Institute at Suffield, and graduated from Williams in the class of 1857. After graduation he removed to Kentucky and became principal of Maysville Literary Institute. Removing to Suffield, he was for many years judge of the probate court.

1900—Edwin E. Risley, formerly of Ionia, Mich., has been admitted to the bar, and is practising law in Utica.

Ex-'07—W. D. Woodhouse has entered Dartmouth.

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DR. HILLIS TO PREACH

In Chapel at 4.00 Thursday Afternoon

Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plymouth church, Brooklyn, will deliver a sermon in the chapel Thursday afternoon at 4.00 o'clock. The townspeople as well as the students are invited. His subject has not been announced. Dr. Hopkins said last evening that probably recitations would not be omitted on that afternoon.

Dr. Hillis comes to Williamstown in connection with a tour he is making this week through Berkshire county, preaching at various places. He has been pastor of the Plymouth church since 1899, when he succeeded Lyman Abbott. Dr. Hillis needs no description. His prominence in religion and literature is well-known. Perhaps the most widely read of his books are "The Investment of Influence," "The Quest of Happiness," and "A Man's Value to Society."

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Address on Settlement Work by Dr. James H. Hamilton

Dr. James H. Hamilton of the University Settlement in New York city, gave an address at the Y. M. C. A. meeting yesterday evening, on the aims and results of settlement work. Man's life is best spent in serving society, and each citizen should feel a great responsibility to correct social evils. One of the chief aims of settlement work is to develop social responsibility among the people it reaches and thus to help prevent many of the evils which lower morality.

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FOR GOOD GOVERNMENT

College Conference at New York Tomorrow

Through the influence of Mr. Henry D. Nims '98, secretary of the College Men's Political Association of New York city, invitation has been sent to the local City Government club to send delegates to a meeting to be held in New York city tomorrow evening for the purpose of consolidating the good government clubs of the various colleges into a regular federation. Nomer '06, president of the club, and Perry '06, vice-president, have been chosen as the delegates and leave for New York tomorrow afternoon to attend this meeting. They will be accompanied by Loomis '06, Chapman '07, Howe '07, Linen '07, Pease '07, and Sayre '09, who are members of the organization.

The Williams men together with the delegations from the twelve other colleges where government clubs have been orgsnized, will be entertained at the City Club, on West 44th street, where a dinner will be given to the visiting delegates by the College Men's Political Association, of New York. Frederick W. Hinrichs, Columbia '74, who addressed the meeting of the City Government Club here on Friday evening, is a director of this organization, and will be one of the speakers on this occasion. It is expected that Mr. Nims, R. Bayard Cutting, Harvard '97, and Charles M. Jesup, who has spoken before the local club will also speak regarding the consolidation of the undergraduate clubs at the colleges represented.

Delegates are expected to be present from Amherst, Brown, Columbia, Cornell, Dartmouth, Harvard, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, University of Michigan, New York University, Pennsylvania, Princeton and Yale, where there are student clubs of a political nature.

Jack London Unable to Speak

Nomer '06, president of the City Government Club, has received word from Jack London, the socialistic leader and novelist, stating that he will be unable to come to Williamstown to address the organization on April 6, as invited. Mr. London will be unable to address the club, as he is at present at his home in Glen Ellen, California, to which he has just returned from a four months lecture trip through the eastern states.

THE LAST GAME

Wesleyan Loses to Williams in Featureless Game—Score 20 to 15

The final basketball game of the season, with Wesleyan Saturday afternoon in Lasell Gymnasium, was won by Williams, 20 to 15. The game was fairly clean, but rarely brilliant, the chief interest lying in the closeness of the score. Wesleyan guarded too well to permit of real basketball, and only occasionally, as in the very last of the first half, when Blaisdell tallied after clever passing down the floor by Cowell and Crawford, was fast team-play conspicuous.

Crawford, opposing the poorest man on the Wesleyan five, played the best game for Williams. He shot better than at any time before this year, was speedy, and showed less tendency to wild passes. Captain Cowell, in the last game of his four years experience in Williams basketball, played his usual brilliant game, was the center of the passing, and, as always, missed easy shots for the basket, and caged difficult ones. Gardner missed several easy shots, and Tower and Blaisdell had hard men to cover.

Wesleyan got the lead at the start, White shooting the ball through the net when completely covered. Cowell batted the ball in from a toss-up. Three goals were made in quick succession by Williams, and, though Dearborn shot a one-handed basket from back of center, Williams led 12-8 at the whistle.

Wesleyan fought hard at the beginning of the second half, and at one time was but a single point behind, but, as their passing became poorer, they were obliged to try long shots for the basket. An underhand shot from the side by Crawford, followed by another on a back pass by Tower, gave Williams a good lead, and Gardner's clean basket from right center balanced Dearborn's two goals from foul.

Line-up and summary:

Williams	Wesleyan
Gardner lf,	rg, Campaigne
Crawford rf,	lg, Chamberlin, Downey
Tower c,	c, White
Blaisdell lg,	rf, Taylor
Cowell rg,	lf, Dearborn

Score, Williams 20, Wesleyan 15. Baskets from floor, Crawford 4, Cowell 2, Gardner 2, Blaisdell; Campaigne, White, Taylor, Dearborn. Baskets from foul, Gardner 2; Dearborn 7. Referee, Briggs of Springfield Training school. Umpire, Carlson of Middletown Y. M. C. A. Timers, Brady '06 and Murphy. Time, two 20-minute periods.

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MONDAY, MARCH 12

7.15 p. m.—1909 class meeting, J. H.

8.00 p. m.—Lecture by Prof. Wahl on "Frankfurt," T. B. L.

TUESDAY, MARCH 13

7.30 p. m.—Reading of Plautus' "Mostellaria" by members of Classical Society, with introduction by Morrill '07, west wing of Library.

8.00 p. m.—Lecture by Prof. R. H. Chittenden, of Yale, on "Reason and Intelligence versus Custom and Habit in the Nutrition of the Body," T. B. L.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14

5.00 p. m.-11.00 p. m. — Bringing in of 1909 canes.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15

4.00 p. m.—Sermon by Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plymouth church, Brooklyn, in Thompson Memorial Chapel.

BASKETBALL CAPTAIN

Tower '07 Elected to Lead Team for Next Year

At a meeting of the basketball team held Saturday evening Oswald Tower 1907, of North Adams, was elected captain for the season of 1906-1907. Tower prepared for college at Drury academy, where he played on the 1900 and 1901 basketball teams. He entered Williams in the fall of 1903 and at once made left guard on the 'varisty. Last year he played at left guard and this year at center. Tower is not the equal of the rest of the five in basket shooting, but is an excellent passer and blocker, has a thorough knowledge of the game and always works for the team rather than for himself.

Lecture by Prof. Chittenden

Director Russell H. Chittenden of the Sheffield Scientific school, New Haven, will lecture on "Reason and Intelligence versus Custom and Habit in the Nutrition of the Body," tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Thompson Biological Laboratory. Prof. Chittenden is an authority on food and nutrition, and the results of his remarkable experiments with teachers, soldiers and Yale athletes are of first importance. The college and the public are invited to attend the lecture.

Lecture on "Frankfurt"

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Fun and Lawlessness

If Williams had a Harvard Lampoon, or a Princeton Tiger, or a Cornell Widow, a good guess could be made at the interpretation which would be put upon the events that took place in Williamstown Saturday. The visit of the De Rue minstrel troupe and its adventures would have furnished ample material for the pen of cartoonist and wit. We must admit that there was something funny in the entire performance—from the time the parade came to grief in Spring street in the morning until the trembling minstrel players were escorted to the hotel, under the protection of a guard of Williamstown's peaceful citizens.

Nevertheless, it seems that a good time was carried too far. The results have been that the part played by the students has been greatly exaggerated, and that the actions of a comparatively small number, begun in a spirit of fun, ended in the arrest of four undergraduates, bringing a certain amount of disgrace to the student body as a whole. A further injustice is evident when it is known that the men taken into custody were not responsible for the disturbance.

Interference with a minstrel parade is not usually considered a culpable act in a college town. At any rate, we feel certain that the student body would have had little to answer for, if the affair had gone no farther than this.

We can assume that undergraduate sentiment favors the observance of the law, and is not for a moment in sympathy with any violation of it, whether done in a spirit of fun or otherwise. When a person sends in a false alarm of fire, or destroys property, he places himself beyond the reach of college law. Undergraduates were probably responsible for the alarm rung Saturday and the damage done to the hose-house. Such action cannot be too strongly condemned by the student body.

If any feeling of friendship exists between the town and college, it certainly hasn't been exhibited lately. That hostility should be aggravated by the action of any student of the college is much to be regretted. The protection which is afforded the college buildings from fire is poor enough. The Williamstown department with its imperfect apparatus, is the only organized body within a reasonable distance which can be called upon when college property is endangered. Volunteer firemen called to imaginary fires are not likely to be very zealous in the interests of the college.

The Basketball Championship

The college basketball season has closed, and as usual the problem of awarding the eastern intercollegiate championship meets with some difficulty. Yet an examination of the scores seems to give the title to Dartmouth. Williams must yield the honor of last year to the Green, and be content with second place.

Dartmouth's claim is by no means undisputed, for it has not played Syracuse, or Pennsylvania, the head of the intercollegiate league. The Hanover five, however, have won twice from the team which defeated Pennsylvania, and which by that victory, if by no other, has shown its superiority over Syracuse. Further than this, it seems as if sportsmanship to some extent should enter into the decision. If there is any reasonable doubt a team should be willing to defend its claim by a championship game. Syracuse cancelled its contest at Hanover, and Pennsylvania refused Dartmouth's challenge. Colgate is disposed of by the result of its game with Williams. Wesleyan lost twice to the Purple and three times to the Green.

There now remains no necessity for a third game between Williams and Syracuse; it has been announced that such a contest was scheduled, but as yet the Williams athletic council has not given Syracuse an answer. A third game would not decide anything. The defeat of Syracuse on its own floor by Pennsylvania last Thursday, definitely placed Syracuse below Williams in the championship rating. If this is not conceded, there is still no reason for another contest. It has not been the policy of the council to sanction a game to decide a disputed supremacy, except in the case of a championship.

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ALUMNI NEWS

'65—Alfred T. Schauffler is assistant superintendent of schools in New York city.

'92—James C. Rogerson, who is connected with Edmund Seymour & Co., investment bankers, 45 Wall street, New York, has been compelled to return to his ranch in the west on account of ill-health.

'97—Edgar W. Ames, formerly principal of Westport (N. Y.) High school, and head master of the Fort Edward Collegiate institute, has been appointed to the history department of the Troy High school.

'98—John H. Thorpe has opened an office for the sale of bonds and investment securities, at 233 Broad street, Boston.

'98—William T. Quinn has become associated with the legal department of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, in New York city.

'99—John Barker, who has been practicing law for four years in Boston, will remove to Pittsfield to establish a law practice there about May 1.

'99—Edward R. Bolton has left the employ of the Hanna Co., in Cleveland, and has entered the real estate business at Waco, Tex.

Ex-'99—Franklin Carter, jr., is now associated with Lawrence Minot, trustee of estates, with offices at 18 Tremont street, Boston.

1902—James W. Heffernan will coach the Syracuse university baseball team this spring.

1903—Edward E. Shepard has recently been elected cashier of the Second National Bank at Winona, Minn.

1905—Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Hamilton of Waterford, N. Y., to H. P. Peckham.

Ex-'06—The engagement has been announced of W. H. Lane to Miss Bassett of New York city.

Dr. Bascom For Feiker Bill

Dr. John Bascom spoke before the state senate taxation committee at Boston Friday in favor of State Senator W. H. Feiker's bill providing for the taxation of property of educational institutions, aimed directly at dormitories. In speaking of the heavy taxation burden borne by the people of Williamstown he said that one-third of the property in Williamstown is held by the college and is not subject to taxation; that from the building of a house for the president, the policy of the college has extended to other interests not connected with education. Dr. Bascom argued that the building of dormitories places the college in competition with a class of townspeople whose livelihood consists in taking lodgers.

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A parade of the De Rue minstrel troupe was broken up by a number of students on Spring street Saturday noon. A banner was taken from the parade, but returned to its owner shortly afterward. Warrants were sworn out for two students, who left town to escape arrest. Another student was arrested and judged guilty of larceny in court this morning, having robbed one of the paraders of a red cotton tile. A fine of $15. was imposed.

At the performance of the players in the Williamstown opera house Saturday evening about fifty students attended and a further disturbance was created, by interrupting the show with fire crackers and torpedoes. Three more students were arrested by the Williamstown police force, and were imprisoned in the fireman's room beneath the Opera house, which was soon broken into and two of the three rescued. One more was arrested at that time. The fire alarm which was turned in at this time, obviously for the purpose of aiding the prisoners to escape, added to the confusion. Peace was restored by the aid of reinforcements for the police, and the minstrel players were given safe conduct to the hotel.

The case of the four Williams men was tried before Judge Tenney this afternoon, but at a late hour this afternoon was not concluded.

COLLEGE NOTES

April 27 has been decided on as the date for the New York trip of Cap and Bells.

Clark, Doughty 1903, Root 1904, Eldred and Watson 1905 have been in town.

Coach Dowd of the baseball team arrived in town Saturday for a stay of about two weeks.

A large part of the iron and stone work for Berkshire Hall has been delivered. Work will be begun with warmer weather.

Asst.-Prof. Perry gave a talk on Wordsworth Thursday afternoon before the Wordsworth club at the Hoosac school, Hoosac, N. Y.

The trophy banner won in the dual meet with Dartmouth May 14, 1904 has been hung in Jesup Hall. Last year's basketball championship banner has also been put up.

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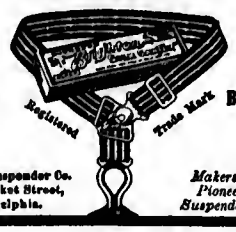
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The Williams delegates were: 1906, Curtiss, Hulst; 1907, Clark; 1908. Bullard; 1909, H. L. Fisher, Palmer. The following alumni were also present: '02 Spencer, Bloom; '03 Higinbotham; '04 Bacon; '05 Hadley, Hunford.

Why Williams Won the Debate

The president of the Adelphic Union has received a letter from Mr. Herbert Noble, the chairman of the judges of the Williams-Dartmouth debate, giving the reasons for the decision. Mr. Noble says that Dartmouth "showed much greater facility in delivery and exhibited better style," but did not meet the Williams position, offering objections merely of a minor character.

He further says: "In point of logical sequence, we felt that the Williams men had rested their case upon very strong grounds. Upon the question of selecting evidence, our opinion is again with the Williams men, but upon the question of presenting it, our opinion is distinctly with the Dartmouth men. Upon the power in rebuttal, we felt that the Williams men were better."

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Mr. Hinrichs said that the question of political duties was of paramount importance to every college man, and that the collegian should be fitting himself to play a leading part in the struggle for civic welfare. He cited many instances of the college man's success in politics, particularly in the municipal campaigns in Brooklyn following the presidential election of 1880. In this campaign Seth Low and others organized the young men's Republican club, to work for the city's welfare unmindful of considerations of national politics. "Partisan politics have no place in municipal campaigns," and "A city administration should be a business administration" were the two slogans used then, and they have since become the principles of all thinking men who have to do with city politics.

The work and methods of Mr. Low in connection with this reform movement were spoken of, and that of his successor, Horace Deming. This club, and the Young Men's Democratic club, patterned after it, were instrumental in bringing about the adoption of the new charter of the city of Brooklyn. It became the pattern for the charter of the greater city after the consolidation, and for many other city charters. Mr. Hinrichs described New York, with all its immensity, and diversity of population, as a field for political work, and gave some account of his own experiences while a candidate for the offices of controller, and lieutenant-governor.

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The biennial Jackson concert was given by the Dannreuther violin quartette of New York, in Jesup Hall Thursday evening. The program was even more enjoyable than that given by the Kneisel Quartette, heard here earlier in the year, for while the technique did not possess the brilliant, clear-cut perfection of the Kneisel recital, the interpretation was more sympathetic. It was a difficult program and varied in character; there could hardly be a greater contrast to the work of Mozart, the first number, than the selections from Schumann which closed the recital.

The four movements in D major of Mozart, though exceedingly intricate, were interpreted in a masterly manner. The Grieg romanza, from quartette in G minor, not the least difficult selection, was the most successful of the evening. The second part of this number was the allegretto scherzando from op. 1 of Svendsen, the disciple of Grieg. In the third number, the andante cantable of Tschaikowsky was played with wonderful insight and feeling, and evoked a sympathetic response from the audience.

The beautiful little staccato, "Liebesliedchen" of Taubert, given with rare charm, was second in execution only to the Grieg romanza. The familiar "Traumerei" was played as an encore. The program was concluded by the three movements from the quartette in A major, op. 44 of Schumann. The last of these, in particular, the allegro molto vivace of exceptional difficulty, was as exceptionally well treated.

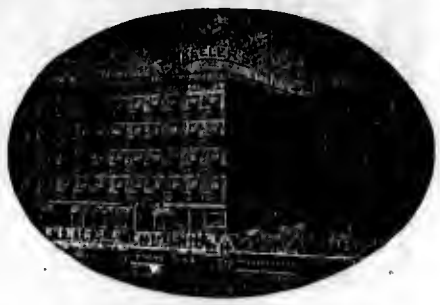
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FRESHMAN CANES IN

Committee Crossed the Line Without Opposition—No Sophomores in Sight

The Sand Springs Road, Near the Station, the Point of Entrance—Canes Had Been Thirty Yards from Line for Two Months—The Sophomore and Freshman Committees and Plans.

At 11.00 last evening the plans of the freshman cane committee came to a successful conclusion, when the six members brought the class canes into the fire district from the house of Mr. James McIntosh, about a quarter of a mile above the switch on the Sand Springs road, in the station district. The distance from Mr. McIntosh's house to the the fire limits is thirty yards.

Sophomore Plans

For weeks the committees from the two classes had been maturing their plans. The defense of the sophomore class was in charge of the following committee: Downing Potter Brown, of Portland, Me., class president; John Kenneth Byard, of Fly Creek, N. Y.; William Niles Elder, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Harold Hawkins LaMent, of Pittsfield; Alexander Gebhart Reed, of Dayton, O.; and Philip Noyes Westcott, of Syracuse, N.Y.

The majority of the class were stationed last evening in squads along eight principal roads, and telephone reports were sent to Reed, at central, from time to time, as usual. 35 of the largest men in the class established headquarters at 22 Morgan Hall. Although there was no definite knowledge it was strongly suspected that the canes were near East mountain, and at 10:30 the company in Morgan Hall set out for the station in drags. Turning to the right instead of the left, they were on the North Hoosac road near the Blackinton line when the canes came in.

Freshman Committee

The 1909 committee was as follows: Clarence Fayette Brown, of Montclair, N. J., class president; Eliot Olmstead Cushing, of East Orange, N. J.; William Henry Hoch, of Worcester; Mahlon Ernest Hopkins, of Fishers, N. Y.; Alan Lichtenhein, of New York city; Charles Desmond Wadsworth, of Dorchester. The committee left town with little difficulty and by 7:30 Tuesday night were all in Mr. McIntosh's house except Brown. Brown went to Bennington Tuesday, came down to Mr. W. R. Stocking's house, in the White Oaks district, Tuesday evening, and joined the rest of the committee at 10.00 last night.

The canes are light, of polished bamboo with silver engraved heads. They were ordered before Christmas by Mr. Harold P. Brown, father of the president of the freshman class, from Harvey and Watts, 387 Broadway, New York, and were expressed to Mr. McIntosh at once. They have been at his house since Jan. 15.

Freshman Plans

The freshman plans were unusually well laid. Brown escaped Tuesday morning. The only class "scrap" of any importance occurred Tuesday noon, between College Hall and Hopkins Hall. At 4.30 Tuesday afternoon the greater part of the freshman class left Williamstown for the east in a body, spread out when they reached the open country, and thus covered the escape of the committee.

Last evening the class met on Weston Field at 9.00. After marching about the outskirts of the town for about an hour, half of them marched to Sand Springs, to be in readiness in case of any interference with the canes. A band of 18 was within 100 yards of the spot where the canes came in.

Meanwhile a "fake" box had been prepared, and shipped from New York city to R. H. Enrich at Petersburg. A sub-committee, consisting of Coleman, Englehard, Enrich, Palmer, Pike and Wilcox left town at 8.30 last night, went to the head of Flora's Glen, where the box had been carried, and brought it without interference down Bee Hill across the golf links to a spot back of the Alpha Delta Phi house.

The real canes were also brought in without the slightest opposition. With the canes divided among the six freshmen in loosely tied bundles of two dozen each, the committee ran from Mr. McIntosh's house to his poultry-yard at 10.54. There they met the senior secret committee, consisting of Bowman, Brady, and S. G. Curtis, and at 11.01 the timers announced the success of the freshmen.

The End Saturday

The festivities of cane week will close Saturday evening with the usual nightshirt parade and bury-

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RECEIVED BY PRESIDENT

College Civic Club Delegates at Capitol—Speech by President

Washington, D. C., Mar. 15.—In a speech which was proof of his hearty co-operation with the movement for the consolidation of undergraduate political clubs in the universities and colleges of the country, President Theodore Roosevelt addressed a delegation of 42 students at the White House last evening. On account of the wish of President Roosevelt, publicity had not been given to the fact that student delegates had been invited to Washington.

Delegates were present from Amherst, Brown, Columbia, Cornell, Dartmouth, Harvard, Princeton, Yale, University of Michigan, Chicago, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, New York university and Williams. Williams was represented by H. A. Nomer '06, and J. E. Perry '06, L. G. Loomis, jr., '06, C. B. Chapman, '07, E. F. Howe, '07, J. A. Linen, jr., '07, R. L. Pease, '07, and F. B. Sayre, '09.

The Williams delegation left New York Tuesday evening and arrived at Washington early yesterday morning. The party stayed at the Willard Hotel. Yesterday morning was spent in sight-seeing. The party was accompanied by Sereno E. Payne of New York, chairman of the house ways and means committee, Senator Winthrop Murray Crane of Massachusetts, and Elihu Root, secretary of State. The party went through the capitol and saw the senate, the house and the supreme court in session. The party were at the senate during the speech of Senator Rayner on railroad rate regulation.

President Roosevelt received the delegation very informally in his private library at 9.00 last evening. Mr. Jesup introduced the delegates to the president, who spoke a few words to each one. James A. Garfield '85, commissioner of corporations, was present and spoke briefly, following the president. Harry D. Nims '98 was also at the conference.

The president began his speech with reminiscences of his early political life in New York with Mr. Jesup. He advised the delegates to have high ideals, but to be practical in applying them. Collegians are apt to theorize and must descend to the level of ordinary people. Don't go out as "collegians," but learn your department

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CALENDAR

SATURDAY, MARCH 17

2.30 p. m.—Concluding events in Lehman cup contest, board track.

7.15 p. m.—Start of night-shirt parade, opera house.

SUNDAY, MARCH 18

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Rev. Adolphus F. Schauffler, D. D., '67, of New York city, will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Schauffler will speak.

MONDAY, MARCH 19

8.00 p. m.—Address by Owen R. Lovejoy on "Child Labor," J. H.

THE CITY OF FRANKFORT

German Lecture by Prof. G. M. Wahl

On Monday evening in the Biological Laboratory, Prof. Wahl gave an interesting lecture in German to a small audience, on the subject of "Frankfort." The central theme of his talk was to show how important a place that city has played in the history of Germany ever since the opening of the Christian era.

He spoke first of Frankfort in the time of the Romans, and of its proximity to the old Roman *limes*, along the line of which Emperor William II, with the help of Professor Mommsen, made many excavations, and restored an old *castellum Romanum*, the so-called Saalburg, situated near Hamburg, and within a short distance from Frankfort. He then traced the history of the city in its main events, from the time of Charlemagne, who held an ecclesiastic council there in 794, to the present day, and its gradual development into one of the foremost commercial and political centres of Germany.

It was here that the German emperors were chosen and crowned, and that Charles V promulgated an ediet during the Reformation. Frankfort is the birthplace of Goethe, the greatest of German poets. It is the spot where, after the Napoleonic times, having become a free city and the centre of the German Union, many of the struggles for political liberty took place, until in 1866 it became Prussian, and where in 1871, the treaty of peace between Germany and France was signed.

The lecture was illustrated with stereopticon slides bearing on these events, representing both ancient and modern Frankfort.

Knight 1908 and Sloan 1909 are in the infirmary.

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Record Elections

The Record announces the election to the board of two more members, completing the number of those chosen from the candidates. Francis Ferris Anderson 1908, of St. Paul, Minn., and Mark Walton Maclay, jr., 1909, of New York city, were chosen at a meeting held yesterday. This issue is the last of the 1905-1906 board.

The Question of Taxation

The statements reported to have been made recently by Prof. John Bascom before the legislative committee at Boston, concerning taxation at Williams college, should have considerably less weight now that they have been shown to be incorrect. It is a satisfaction to see that exaggerations and misrepresentations, which might influence legislation to the detriment of the college, will not be permitted to go unchallenged. In a communication to The Boston Herald and other papers, Prof. Nelson has stated the true condition of affairs, as revealed by the books of the treasurer.

It is seen that Williams is the only college in Massachusetts which pays taxes and that the amount paid for taxation of professors' houses is a voluntary gift under the law. In the face of these facts it seems surprising that the bill, which is pending, to add a further burden to the sum which Williams already gives, should receive the support it has by the townspeople.

In reply to the contention Dr. Bascom is said to have made, that a college like Williams is of little monetary value to the town in which it is situated, the writer of the letter referred to stated that "were it not for Williams College, Williamstown, as a hamlet, would not exist, or would be merely a small center, with a general store or two for the accommodation of the farmers of the town." Though such an expression may seem speculative, in this case we believe it comes very near the truth. A conservative estimate of the amount of money paid by the college for labor to the inhabitants of the town, and an enumeration of the town business concerns which are supported almost entirely by the students, would indicate to how great an extent the people of Williamstown are directly dependent on the college for their livelihood.

The prosperity of the college means their prosperity. If there should be a falling-off in the enrollment, there would be a corresponding decrease in sales and profits. If the college should become so small that all the students could room in the dormitories which now exist, the loss in rents to the townspeople would be considerable. No one will go so far as to say that Williams would close its doors if the Feiker bill were made law. Yet we believe that a blow would be struck which would certainly check its progress. It is true that the dormitories net a small profit on the investment. Yet Prof. Nelson has pointed out, and it is a matter of common knowledge, that the college, of which the dormitories are only a small part, is run at a loss.

Such an "assault upon education" as the Feiker bill is a matter of deep concern to every undergraduate. If the dormitories are taxed, the tuition and room rent must be raised, for the college cannot count every year on gifts that will balance its deficit. The present cost of living at Williams is above the average. The student of small means in most cases has trouble in getting along; there are few methods of student employment.

If further taxation of college property would tend to decrease the enrollment, it would also change the character of the student-body. Poor men would go where living is cheaper, where the cause of education is assisted by the state, not hampered. At the same time higher room rents and increased tuition would hit equally hard the man of moderate means. This is the one who has a certain amount that he uses for "incidentals" and he would choose a college where his allowance is not all eaten up by the treasurer's bills. This condition would certainly tend toward making of Williams a "rich man's college." At the same time, in competition with the universities, the college would be greatly decreased in size, retaining some of the richer men, but losing the others.

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On Friday, March 23, Edmund B. Wilson, LL. D., (Yale, Chicago and Johns Hopkins), head of the department of biology at Columbia university, will lecture in the Biological Laboratory on the subject "Modern Investigations in Heredity."

Address on Child Labor

The question of child labor, with its more important issues, will be the subject of an address by Owen R. Lovejoy, of New York city, before the City Government Club in Jesup Hall Monday evening. Mr. Lovejoy is assistant secretary of the board of trustees of the National Child Labor Committee, which has its headquarters in New York. Members of this organization, which is doing valuable work every year in checking the evil of child labor, include Ex-President Grover Cleveland, President Charles W. Eliot, of Harvard, and Cardinal Gibbons.

Rev. Dr. Schauffler will Preach

Rev. Adolphus F. Schauffler, D. D., will preach in the college chapel Sunday morning, and will also address the Y. M. C. A. meeting in the evening. Dr. Schauffler, born in Constantinople, graduated from Williams in 1867; twenty years later he received the degree of D. D. from the University of the City of New York. Since 1873, Dr. Schauffler, who is a Presbyterian clergyman, has been actively engaged in city mission work. He is the secretary of the International Sunday School commission and is the author of several books on Sunday School work. Dr. Schauffler is president of the City Mission and Tract society, a position formerly held by Morris K. Jesup.

Contents of March Lit.

The March number of the Literary Monthly will appear next week. Its contents will be as follows:

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ing of the hatchet on the old campus. The parade will be formed in front of the opera house at 7:15 p. m. sharp, and will be headed by the Nichols cadet band of North Adams, followed by the drag, containing the senior March 17th committee, the senior secret committee, and all the speakers.

The parade will march up Main street to the Greylock and back to the old campus. Though the celebration occurs on the anniversary of St. Patrick the committee hope to make the parade a combination of election night and fourth of July. The transparencies are not to be appropriated, by the new rules, until the parade reaches President Hopkins' house on the return march. After reaching the old campus the usual programme will be carried out around the bonfire,—nightshirts will be removed from unwilling wearers, four speeches will be made, and the ceremony will end with the burning of the hatchet.

Lehman Cup Finals

The remaining events of the Lehman cup meet will take place on the board track Saturday afternoon. The events yet to be decided are the 40-yard dash, the high hurdles, the quarter-mile and the mile. The present standing of the highest six competitors, by points, is as follows: Horrax 35, A. Brown 34, Chapman 20, Marshall 20, B. P. Allen 18, LaMent 18.

Baseball Squad Reduced

The first cut in the baseball squad has been made. The following men have been retained: 1906, Neild, Hogan, Gardner, Van Inwegen; 1907, Domett, Ford, Morrison, Osborne, Pierce, Redick, Southworth, C. B. Stewart, Warren; 1908, Gillett, Harmon, Kelley, Mahan, Osterhout, Parker, Stower, Waters; 1909, Perkins, Sears, Williams, Young.

ALUMNI NEWS

'95—Frederick W. Memmott, composer of the "Royal Purple," who formerly was head of the English department in Bronx High school, New York, is now teaching English in Erasmus Hall Public High school of Brooklyn.

'98—Frederick T. Wood is now secretary to the general manager of the New York city Railway Co., whose offices are at 701 Seventh avenue, New York city.

1905—The engagement is announced of Edward Gould Chace of Providence, to Miss Christine McLeod of Newport, R. I.

Ex-'08—Eldridge, who resigned from college about three weeks ago, has entered the employ of the Eaton-Hurlbut Paper Co., of Pittsfield.

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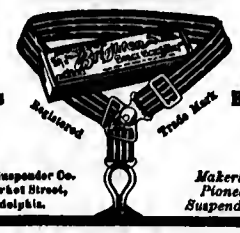
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CIVIC CLUBS ORGANIZE

Delegates from Fourteen Colleges Meet at New York

At a meeting of the undergraduates from fourteen colleges and universities, held Tuesday evening at the City Club, West 44th street, New York city, a permanent organization of the student political clubs was effected.

Harry D. Nims, Williams '98, opened the meeting. Frederick W. Hinrichs and Charles M. Jesup, who recently spoke in Williamstown, gave addresses. A constitution was adopted and it was voted to hold annual meetings to report on the work of the local clubs, addressed by college men prominent in politics. District Attorney Willism Travers Jerome, of New York city, was present at the meeting. The following officers of the consolidated organization were elected: President, W. S. Moorhead, Yale; vice-presidents, O. H. McPherson, Princeton, E. S. Blagden, Harvard, Mechling Blake, Chicago; secretary, C. B. Spencer, Columbia. The name of the organization is the Intercollegiate League of Civic Clubs.

The meeting was held in connection with a dinner, given to the undergraduate delegates from the various colleges. Such a club has long been contemplated and planned for by alumni of the colleges who have engaged in politics and realize the value of getting the college students interested in municipal government. The movement was begun some time ago at Yale, and it is through the efforts of Mr. Harry D. Nims '98 and Mr. W. S. Moorhead, president of the Yale City Government Club, that the consolidated organization was formed.

NOTICE

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Custom exerts a strong influence upon diet. The Romans preserved the habit of fasting until supper; more than one full meal a day was considered preposterous by them. Moderation in diet promotes health in mind and body: a well-ordered diet plays a great part in the prolongation of life.

Are we to follow the cravings of the appetite? They are mostly the consequences of habit. The quality and quantity of food must, however, be sufficient for all needs; anything taken in excess may be injurious: we "must not burn more fuel than is necessary." Excess means waste and, what is more important, excess entails a useless waste of the tissues and organs.

According to the recognized dietetic standard, established by extensive experiments in Germany, an ordinary man requires 118 grams of proteids, 56 grams of fat, and 500 grams of carbohydrates, per day. Excess in nitrogenous and albuminous foodstuffs is distinctly harmful to the digestive organs.

Dr. Chittenden spoke of his recent experiments to determine whether a man can subsist on very much less than the quantity of proteids required by the standard. He has made his experiments on Yale professors, army soldiers and athletes, over periods varying from several months to two or three years. In the investigations the average intake and output of nitrogen was measured each day and it was found that these men lived on about one-half the required quantity of proteids. Moreover this drop in diet was accompanied in every case by a large increase of strength, and a slight variation in weight.

In conclusion Dr. Chittenden declared as his belief that more harm is done by the improper use of food than by alcoholic stimulants.

'99—The engagement is announced of Miss Leslie Crawford, of Princeton, N. J., to John Gale Hun, Ph. D., instructor of mathematics in Princeton university.

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At the Monday session of the court Judge Tenney stated that he would enforce the full penalty of the law on any one convicted of ringing in a false alarm of fire. President Hopkins asked permission of the court to speak, and said he would add $50 to the $100 offered by the town prudential committee for information leading to the arrest and conviction of anyone committing that offense.

Suit to Establish Professorship

Williams college has brought suit in the state supreme court against the attorney-general, to see if it can devote the surplus income received from the fund of $67,150, left it by the will of David Ames Wells, to the establishment of a professorship of political economy to be named after him.

By the terms of Mr. Wells' will, Williams, Harvard and the Springfield city library each received this sum. The gifts to Harvard and Williams were made on the same terms, under which the David Ames Wells prize of $500 is given from the income, for essays on economic subjects. In July, 1902, the trustees voted to use the additional income to found the David A. Wells professorship of political economy, as carrying out the general intention of the will, and are now seeking strict legal sanction for this action.

Classical Society Meeting

At the meeting of the Classical society held in the west wing of the Library Tuesday evening, the Mostellaria of Plautus was read in English by the members. A short introduction was given by Morrill '07, in which he summarized the principal events in the life of Plautus, made a brief analysis of his style, and told the plot of the Mostellaria. The comedy is usually considered the second best of the nineteen extant complete plays of Plautus. After the introduction, the different parts of the play were read by Mr. R. E. Cook '05, Page '06, Reid '06, Wakefield '06, Wilbur '06, Blagbrough '07, Hughes '07, Porter '07, Crittenden '08, Fullerton '08, and Hill '08.

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BURIAL OF HATCHET

Hostilities Come to an End Between Classes of 1908 and 1909

The Night-Shirt Parade—Struggle for the Transparencies—Speeches of the Four Orators Around the Bonfire—Seventeenth of March Celebration Concluded by Singing "The Mountains."

With the burial of the hatchet on the old campus last Saturday evening, and the gathering of the entire college around the bonfire afterwards, the 1906 cane week ended with entire success. The wet blanket of snow was only a literal one, not figurative, for the cold and wet had little effect on the interest shown. The spectacular parade, the hard-fought battle for the transparencies on West College hill, the harder scramble in the snow and mud about the bonfire, the eloquent speeches of the orators from the lower classes, and a hatchet orstion that Mark Twain would have been proud to own, brought the seventeenth to its closing scene. At the conclusion of the final oration, as the hatchet blazed on the fire, the classes formed around the dying embers, gave cheers for one another, and the March 17th celebration concluded with a long yell for the college and the singing of "The Mountains."

The Parade

The night-shirt parade started from the opera house in a blaze of glory at 7.48 p. m., headed by Nichols' Cadet band of North Adams. In the drag containing the senior March 17th committee, the senior secret committee and the speakers, were the following: Appell, Blaisdell, Botsford, Bowman, Brady, Clapp, Cowell, Curtis, Hogan, Kenney, Leland, Macnutt, Nomer, Page and Schell, 1906, J. H. Fischer 1908 and K. J. Howe 1909. The freshman class, attired in night-shirts and liberally provided with red lights and Roman candles, followed in ranks of four.

The illuminating feature of the parade was the four transparencies, though hardly up to previous standards of artistic and humorous merit. The shortcomings of 1908 and the achievements of 1909 bore the illustrative burden, but the sophomore who labors while he slumbers, and other references, too personal for publication, were also prominent. On the return march, opposite the president's house, the transparencies were attacked by the sophomores, and disappeared after a good defense.



1909 CANE COMMITTEE

Fight Around the Bonfire

Aronnd the huge bonfire on the old campus the underclassmen formed two circles, the freshmen nearer the fire. At a given signal, the circles locked and the mud, snow and night-shirts mingled. At the conclusion of about half the usual time about twice the usnal number of night-shirts had refused to part company with their owners.

Initial Speech

After the lsst vestige of conflict had subsided Harold Adin Nomer '06, of Plsinfield, N. J., made the initial speech.

He began by extending the greetings of the college to all present. "The men of 1908 have always shown themselves men of nerve and spirit, I repeat it, men of nerve." In introducing the speakers, he said that the sophomores had always been good boasters, bnt (at the close of the freshman orator's speech) "if the sophomores are good boasters the freshmen are good exaggerators." He finished by introducing the sophomore orator.

Sophomore Orator

John Herman Fischer 1908, of Weeping Water, Neb., rose amid cheers from his classmates. His speech soared to heights of oratory to which abstracts can do no justice, and was long on the wing.

"A blight has fallen upon the college in the advent of 1909, which some day, we hope, will become worthy of the title of class. * * * The freshness of 1909 is monumental, their timorons spirit, unequal to the task of starting bonfires, well shown when they mistake a passing train for a band of sophomores. * * * * I would

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THE VALUE OF DECISION

Sermon by Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, of Brooklyn

Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plymouth church, Brooklyn, preached the third sermon of the series which he gave in Berkshire county, Thursday afternoon at four o'clock in the chapel, before about 250 students and townspeople.

Dr. Hillis took as his text Christ's reply to the rich young ruler and its effect, as found in Mark 10: 17-23, and began by outlining the Bible story, laying emphasis on its conclusion: "And he was sad at that saying, and went away grieved; for he had great possessions."

The rich young ruler did not go away angry, he was merely grieved. He admitted, as so many of us do, that Christ was right, but still he was not willing to give up his all. He did not stand by his convictions. In the same way Daniel Webster, in reaching for the glitter of the presidential nomination against the advice of his friends, was the rich young ruler, as was Stephen A. Douglas in the Grand Pacific hotel in Chicago in 1859-60.

It took some time for the ruler to see that Christ was just and he intended to make his noble sacrifice—"on the morrow." He lacked decision, he procrastinated.

There is always this difference between two equally talented men; one postpones, the other rises up quickly, girds himself, and acts. "There are so many people who arrive at the station anywhere from fifteen minutes to six months after the train goes out." It was indecision, then, which destroyed this noble boy. More people are

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CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MARCH 20

7.30 p. m.—Organ recital by Mr. Salter, Chapel.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21

2.30 p. m.—Concluding events in Lehman cup contest, board track.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22

8.00 p. m.—Thompson Course Entertainment, Leland Powers, J. H.

LIT. ELECTIONS

Six New Members Chosen—Dutton '07 Re-elected Editor-in-Chief

At a meeting of the Literary Monthly board held Friday evening George Burwell Dutton 1907, of Buffalo, N. Y., was re-elected editor-in-chief, and Otis Chamberlain Morrill 1907, of Portland, Ore., elected business manager, for the coming year.

The following new members were elected to the board: William Mansfield Clark 1907, of Salisbury, Conn.; William Richmond Witherell 1907, of North Adams; Willard Ansley Gibson 1908, of Salamanca, N. Y.; Stanton Budington Leeds 1908, of New York city; Gerald Mygatt 1908, of New York city; and Bernard Westermann 1908, of Overbrook, Pa.

Mission Work in New York

Dr. A.F. Schauffler'67 spoke in reminiscent vein on his life-work in connection with the New York city mission, before the Y. M. C. A. in Jesup Hall last evening.

He opened by summarizing the grave problems which confront that city. Passing on to methods of mission work he remarked that the meetings never induced sleep such as he had witnessed in chapel services here.

His advice to college men was that those who have the desire and capacity for the ministry, take up that work when fitted for it. For the right man there are boundless opportunities anywhere for mission service and equally unlimited satisfaction in practical results.

Football Notice

The annual meeting of the Williatms College Football association, for the purpose of electing the vice-president and assistant manager will be held Thursday April 5, at 7:30 p. m. Every man who wishes to become a candidate for this office must hand his name to C. P. Moies, Jr., on or before Sunday, March 25.

A meeting of the class of 1908, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the above-mentioned office, will be held Thursday, April 5, at 1.30 p. m.

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The New Board

With this issue The Record passes into the hands of the 1906-1907 board. The activities of a college paper fall naturally under two heads, news and editorials, and there may possibly be some interest to know the purpose of the new board in each.

It must always be remembered, in the conduct of a college paper, that it serves two distinct bodies—alumni and students. When close to student activities, it is hard to give the alumni a proportional place. Again, with the increase of college activities, the problem of compression of news into the available space has become acute. To meet these two difficulties, after Easter the paper will be enlarged to ten pages instead of eight by the printing of four extra columns of news in an inserted sheet.

In securing news, there are three sources from which The Record should receive co operation; faculty, alumni and student body. It is useless, however, to request this without showing how it may be given. The proceedings of the administration, and the news of the faculty obviously cannot be reported by a student board of editors, but are at the same time of the greatest news value. During the past year certain departments of the college, particularly that of the dean and the director of music, have helped to remedy this defect. If sufficient news of this character, such as addresses given by members of the faculty, faculty publications, administrative decisions, etc., can be secured, they will be placed under the special head of Faculty News.

The second source is the alumni, and particularly the class secretaries. The third is the student body. A year's experience has shown the wisdom of eliminating from the calendar events not of interest to the entire college. Now The Record, as a semi-weekly, cannot hope to take the place of the daily blackboard bulletins, but at the same time should supplement them by affording that often-needed second reminder of such minor college events as rehearsals, practices, meetings of organizations, etc. No board of eleven men can hope to be in constant contact with the leaders of all branches of student activity any more than they can with alumni and faculty, consequently the paper must depend on other sources than itself for this information.

The editorials of an ordinary newspaper are expressions purely of personal opinion. The peculiar situation of a college paper makes it necessary, in addition, that its editorial department express the point of view of the majority of the student body, to explain their attitude to the faculty, the town, the alumni and the outside world. These two necessities are not incompatible. If the opinion of The Record and that of the majority of the student body clash, it is certainly possible to express the trend of opinion of the majority of the college, and give the board's personal opinion as well.

In carrying this out, The Record will try to avoid two pitfalls, hasty, careless criticism, and unfairness. Because of the first pitfall the old "Stroller" was abolished; it gave too tempting a chance for veiled "knocking." The Record will try to present as fairly as possible both sides of every controversy, in deciding between them. Only by so doing can it make the opinions of the majority of the student body carry any weight. However, as a person who makes up his mind for one side cannot be absolutely impartial, the value of communications from the other side can be seen at once. Such communications are welcomed. In this connection it is to be hoped that faculty communications may be more frequent, if for nothing else, to further the present harmony between student body and faculty by a clear statement of faculty position.

We wish to compliment the board which has just retired for what it has done for The Record. While to the board of two years ago the college owes that a semi-weekly was made possible, to the board of 1905-1906 is owed the newspaper energy and system introduced into the news department, and an editorial department characterized by moderation and sound sense. To carry out this efficiency in securing news and conservatism in editorials will be the aim of the present board.

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Editor of the Record,
Sir:—

It is quite fitting that those concerned with a college should be warmly interested in anything which pertains to its prosperity. The question in reference to college taxation now before the legislature by the action of college towns, is one not easily grasped in its full breadth. It suggests at once many opinions while but few of them reach the principles involved.

One may be strongly in favor of taking collegiate education under the guidance of the State, and still find little to be commended in the aid rendered by Massachusetts to her colleges. She has exempted them from taxation, but has laid the burdens of the exemption not on the state but on the towns which entertain the colleges. As far as Williams College is concerned, a decision was reached in the courts a few years ago which narrowed the exemption, subjecting dwellings owned by the college to the same liabilities as other forms of property.

The towns interested are now asking for a law which shall confirm and extend this exemption to this degree: "No real property, owned and occupied by any educational, literary or scientific institution, which is used or appropriated, wholly or in part, for residential, commercial or mercantile purposes or for dormitories, boarding houses, or for the dispensing of food or meals, shall be exempt from taxation."

This bill, if passed, would settle, at least, for the present, the relation of college property to town interests. The primary possessions of the college would still remain exempt from town burdens, but the accessory enterprises on which the colleges, from time to time, are wont to enter, would come under the ordinary obligations of other forms of property.

This adjustment is hastily objected to because the colleges are educational in their purpose and look exclusively to the general welfare. To this, the towns reply: A college is intended to serve and does serve, a large territory. The town where it is situated is only a small portion of that territory, and has no other rights and privileges than those which belong to every part of it. It is beyond the strength of the town to have any considerable portion of its resources removed from taxation. If this is desirable, it is the office of the state to accept and perform this duty.

It is further objected that a college brings to a town many social and intellectual advantages, and that these constitute a compensation for exemption. The response comes that these gains, whatever they are, are not to be bought or sold, that it is, at least, as blessed to give as to receive, and this intercourse must be allowed to rise to and to rest on its own plane. When one asks for a reward for the beneficence of his presence, a doubt is raised as to that beneficence. Men rarely take anything from others without finding a good reason for it in the profiting of those thus robbed. In slavery times, slavery was justified by the fact that the benighted negro was brought from the dark continent into a Christian country. A portion of those same people would now fling the negro, neck and heels, back into Africa from the same Christian land, if they could.

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If Prof. Nelson had been present at the hearing, which was lengthy and constantly assuming new phases, he would hardly have found any one of his criticisms applicable. As, however, the report was brief and disjointed, it is not strange that he should have mistaken the tone of the remarks made, and their bearing. It is well, however, to remember that if one makes haste to get in, he incurs the liability of running against the doorpost.

JOHN BASCOM.

Editor of The Record:—Permit me to express an admiration for the manner in which the administration just retiring from office has directed the policy of The Williams Record. Following the able editor of last year, the chairman from 1906 has rendered the news department of the paper unusually efficient, and editorially has done much to lead and stimulate a wise college spirit. This service to Williams is a great one, and for it the retiring editor-in-chief deserves the thorough appreciation of the college.

Yours truly,
Wm. Smith Pettit.

Condition Examinations at Close of Easter Recess

Tuesday, April 17th, 9.00 a. m.: entrance—Mathematics; college—Greek 1, Greek 2.

Tuesday, April 17th, 2.30 p. m.: entrance—Roman History; college—German 1, German 3, Latin 1, Physics 1.

Tuesday, April 17th, 7.00 p. m.: college—English 1, English 2, English 12, German 2, History 1a, Latin 3.

Wednesday, April 18th, 9.00 a. m.: entrance—Greek; college—French 1, French 2.

Wednesday, April 18th, 2.30 p. m.: entrance—English, French, Latin, Greek History; college—Anatomy, Biology 2, Chemistry 1, Economics 1, French 4, Geology 1, Government 1, Government 6, History 2, Latin 2, Mathematics 1, Mathematics 2, Physics 3.

Wednesday, April 18th, 7.00 p. m.: entrance—German; extra work examinations.

All the above will be held in 4 Hopkins Hall.

An individual notice will be sent from the Dean's office on or before March 21st to every student in whose case the records show that a condition should be removed at this time. Should any conditioned men fail to receive such a notice, they are expected to report the same to this office at once so that the necessary question papers may be duly provided for them.

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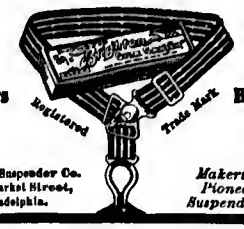
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Burial of the Hatchet

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have you carry away with you as a precious gem in the casket of memory the fact that we, the class of 1908, are the first class in the entire history of the college that has ever won the sweater rush." He concluded by dilating upon other 1908 exploits and victories.

At the conclusion of his speech, Nomer introduced the freshman speaker, Kenneth Jenkins Howe, of Mount Vernon, N. Y. "1909 will not bear the name of class because 1908 has already disgraced that name." The victories of the freshmen in the rushes, the thrilling description of the sophomore battery work in the interclass game, 1909's never-equalled-in-six-years track victory, and the subsequent rushes when "the sophomores found that the Spring street mud was dirty," were told amid yells, appreciative and otherwise.

He bewailed the "lack of an appropriate liquid in which to drink to the class that has always been beaten, has been beaten tonight and always will be beaten—1908! 'To the victors belong the spoils,' but the victors, 1909, don't want 1908 because they are too much spoiled."

The Hatchet Buried

Alfred Miller Botsford '06 closed the program with the hatchet oration, given in a particularly happy vein. His speech began with a number of pat jokes and easily carried off the honors of the evening. He said in part:

Ladies and gentlemen, for I will call you gentlemen in spite of the Boston Transcript—the hostilities (laughter) are over and we come to burn the hatchet. I want to compliment the sophomores on the noble way in which they allowed their irrepressible Lilliputian to escape, borne aloft on the shoulders of his faithful Swain. I am surprised the sophomores couldn't find the canes; the winner of the Dempsey cup, that taxidermist who is always stuffing people, told the fellows where they were. The wily German knew where both the real and the fake box were, only he was in a quandary as to which was which. The other morning he saw that he had to either shave hurriedly or cut chapel. He didn't know whether to cut and shave or shave and cut. I am sorry the audience tonight is so cold. But what if it is zero; zero is nothing. As Judge Tenney said to the student law-breakers, it's a fine day. Closing in serious vein, he urged the two lower classes to put aside class rivalry and all be members of Williams college. "As I throw this hatchet into the fire and the metal melts and fuses into one lump, so may your petty differences also melt away and may you fuse into the body of Williams men."

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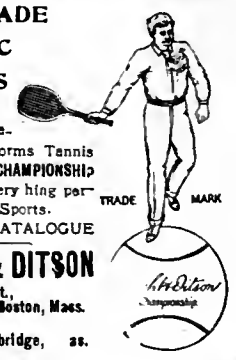
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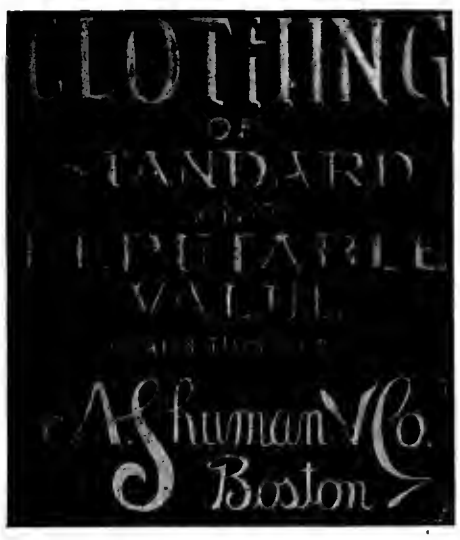
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COLLEGE NOTES

Perkins 1909 is at the infirmary.

Fletcher 1908 has left college. He will return with his class next fall.

Brady 1908 broke the North Adams big pins bowling record by a string of 268 Friday evening.

Mr. Williard E. Hoyt has returned from a two months' stay at Augusta, Georgia.

Mr. W. S. Pettit 1905 spoke at the vesper service at Williston seminary yesterday.

The raised cinder path from the baseball cage to the gym. has been completed.

"The Wearing of the Green" was played on the chapel chimes Saturday morning, March 17th.

Campbell has been elected chairman of the class-day committee, in place of C. Hills, resigned.

Matthews '07, Case '07 and Warren '07 were judges at a senior society debate at the Williamstown High school Friday evening.

Dean Ferry will return from Europe by the first of April, and will take up the duties of dean on April 5.

The following alumni have been in town:—Root 1904, Goldin, Judson 1905, Combes, Temple, and Welch ex-'07.

The anthem sung by the choir Sunday afternoon at the vesper service, "The Lord is my Light", is a recent composition of Mr. Salter's especially written for the choir.

Mr. Owen R. Lovejoy, of New York, who was to have spoken in Jesup Hall this evening on "Child Labor, the Foe of Democracy," has been prevented by the

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sudden death of his son. He will come to Williamstown later and speak upon the same subject.

The senior class day committee has announced the following appointments: for the auxiliary prom. committee, Appell, Bassett, Cantwell, Case, Clapp, W. H. Curtiss, Kenney, Schell, Wooster and Wright; for the supper committee, Robbins, chairman, S. G. Curtis and Gardner.

THE BASEBALL TEAM

Next Cut at Easter—Coach Dowd on the Material

The early beginning of baseball practice, combined with the facilities afforded by the new cage, has brought the work of the squad well along at present. The next cut in the squad will probably be taken directly before the Easter recess when twenty-two or twenty-three men will be retained.

The baseball cage has been divided by a long net down the center, providing for practice by two squads at the same time. The cage is not wide enough for an infield, but is long enough to practice the throw from catcher to second, and from short to the plate. Other nets protect the side-walls and skylights.

Coach Dowd left town Saturday after a stay of a week. He will return April 9, and will remain here the rest of the season. When seen Saturday, he expressed himself as very much pleased with the better opportunity for practice given by the cage. With reference to the material in the squad he said:

"The material which has appeared so far doesn't seem to me anything more that ordinary, although they are doing well for the time of year. The boys need lots of work, and lots of teaching, before they will make a team. The thing I am going to try to teach them first is speed. They mustn't be so clumsy, and must move around faster and more like ball-players. I haven't seen enough of the boys to judge them as individuals, but the best man of the new material today is Young. The team must have some good 'stickers'. The things that most emphasis ought to be laid on in the cage are batting and base-running."

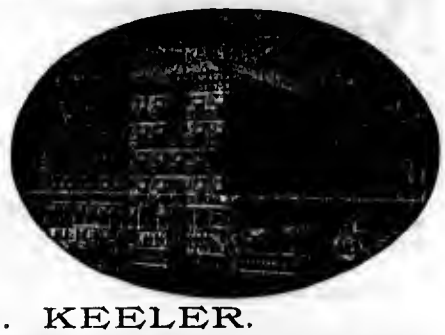
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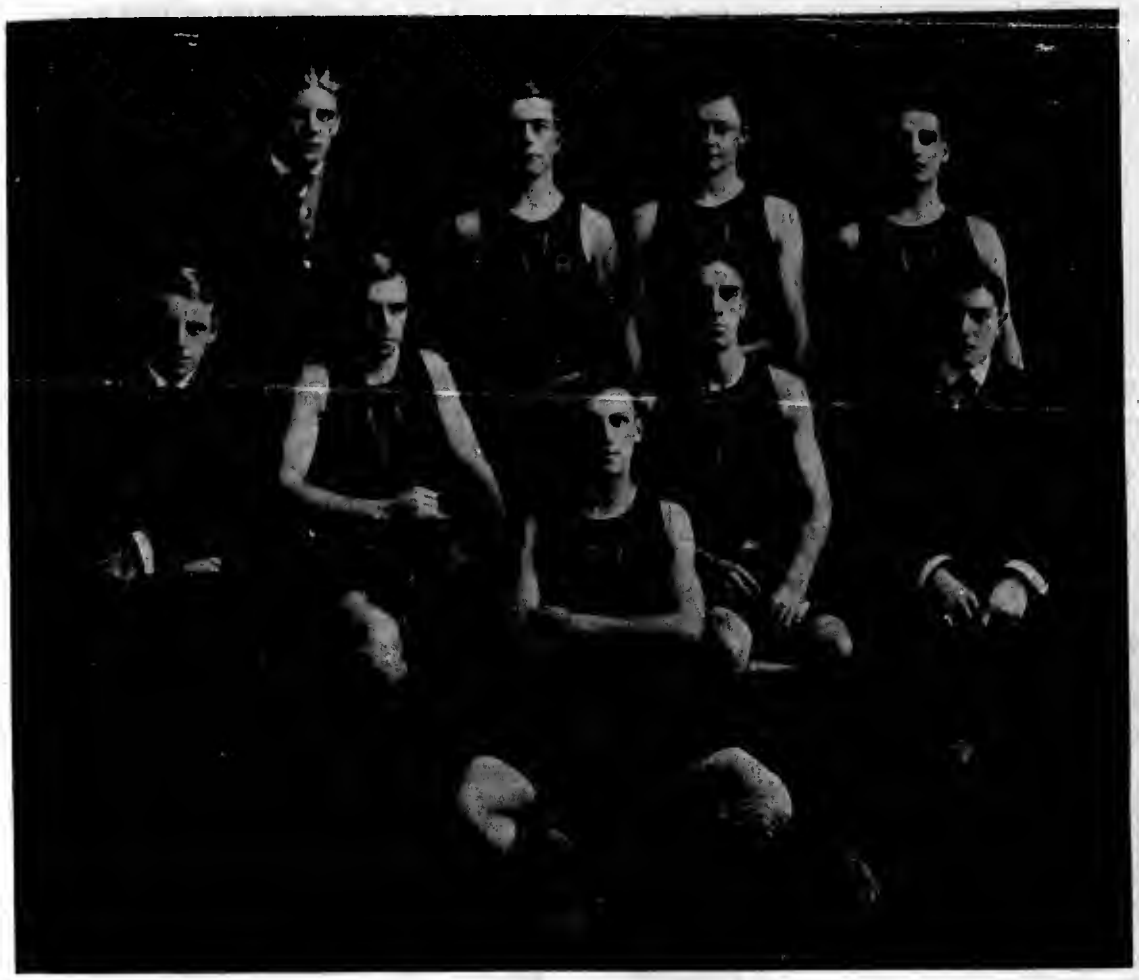
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THE TEAM

SUCCESSFUL SEASON

1906 Basketball Team Second only to Dartmouth—14 Games Won

The 1906 basketball five concluded a successful season with fourteen victories and one tie game to its credit out of the eighteen games played. But one college team defeated Williams. In comparison with last year's championship five, the present team played better basketball at the beginning of the season, although never reaching such a degree of ability as seen in the Minnesota game last year, and only in the last two weeks did the play fall below championship quality. The defeat of this season's intercollegiate league champions and the victories over Syracuse and Colgate, place the Purple second only to Dartmouth in the college basketball ranking.

After rolling up the largest score of the season against Worcester Polytechnic in the first game, the Pennsylvania team, which later won the intercollegiate championship, though at one time 6 points ahead, were finally passed in one of the best contests of the year. A large score was made against M. I. T. On the western trip occurred the Syracuse game, which ended with Williams' withdrawal from the floor with the score 17 to 17, and on the following night an easy win from Rochester. Victories over Tufts and Williston followed, although the latter five, by their close guarding, left the contest in doubt until the last few minutes of play. Wesleyan was beaten in Middletown, and the Fitchburg Y. M. C. A. met a like fate after a close first half.

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BASKETS FROM FLOOR

PLAYERS	W. P. I.	U. of P.	M. I. T.	Syracuse	Rochester	Tufts	Williston	Wesleyan	Fitchburg	Yale	Brown	Colgate	Syracuse	Dartmouth	Hamilton	Company F	Dartmouth	Wesleyan	TOTAL
Gardner lf	4	0	5	2	0	5	3	0	3	0	2	3	2	0	3	1	0	2	35
Neild rf	4	2	3	2	2	1	1	3	1	1	2	2	0	2	4	x	0	x	30
Tower c	4	2	4	2	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	30
Blaisdell lg	x	0	2	0	0	1	2	x	1	0	x	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	10
Cowell rg	4	1	7	2	6	4	1	3	3	6	3	0	4	0	2	1	0	2	49
All Others	5	x	0	x	1	0	x	0	x	x	0	0	x	x	x	2	x	4	12
Williams p'ts	46	15	44	17	31	38	20	22	22	25	22	27	28	9	24	15	7	20	432

BASKETS BY OPPONENT

Gardner	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	0	1	9
Neild	0	0	0	3	2	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	x	4	x	15
Tower	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	2	9
Blaisdell	x	1	1	0	1	1	1	x	1	1	x	2	3	1	0	0	3	1	1
Cowell	2	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	13
All Others	2	x	0	x	0	0	x	1	x	x	0	3	x	x	x	3	x	0	9
Opponents p'ts	11	11	4	17	12	6	13	15	13	9	10	22	20	11	4	23	26	15	242

BASKETS FROM FOUL

Neild	4	5	1	1	2	4	6	6	6	11	8	15	7	5	2	x	6	x	89
Gardner	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	2	9
Opponents	3	7	2	7	3	4	2	5	5	5	6	8	10	5	2	8	6	7	95

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, MARCH 22

8.00 p. m.—Thompson course entertainment, J. H. Leland Powers in "Bleak House."

FRIDAY, MARCH 23

8.00 p. m.—Dr. E. B. Wilson of Columbia university lectures on "The Key to the Mechanism of Heredity", T. B. L.

SUNDAY, MARCH 25

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Rev. C. E. Goss, D. D., pastor of the Avondale Presbyterian church of Cincinnati, O., will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Goss will speak.



O. TOWER, 1907 CAPTAIN

Scores of Games

Williams	46	W. P. I.	11
Williams	15	Pennsylvania	11
Williams	44	M. I. T.	4
Williams	17	Syracuse	17
Williams	31	Rochester	12
Williams	38	Tufts	6
Williams	20	Williston	13
Williams	22	Welesyan	15
Williams	22	Fitchburg Y.M.C.A.	13
Williams	25	Yale	9
Williams	22	Brown	10
Williams	27	Colgate	22
Williams	28	Syracuse	20
Williams	9	Dartmouth	11
Williams	24	Hamilton	4
Williams	15	Wash. Continentals	23
Williams	7	Dartmouth	26
Williams	20	Wesleyan	15
Williams	432	Opponents	242

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The Basketball Season

Few Williams teams ever started a season with better prospects than the 1906 basketball five. Four players remained of the team which had won a national championship, three of which had played together for three years, and all for two. Disappointment in the new material at the start was balanced by the development of a previously untried player to the same standard as the four experienced men. The season marked the passing of the veterans of 1906, the class to which Williams basketball owes more than to any other save 1903.

In the hard games of the last two weeks of play, the team failed to fulfill the hopes aroused by its excellent work in the preceding two months. The reason for this falling off seems to have been that the team was overtrained, and for this poor condition that the season was too long. There is no branch of athletics in which endurance is more necessary for victory than basketball. A team relying on speed, like Williams, is more affected by poor condition then a team relying on weight and guarding ability, like Dartmouth. Further, the number of weeks over which a schedule is extended makes more difference than the number of games in those weeks. In making out the schedule for next year, the management would do well to keep this in mind and compress the games into smaller compass.

The outlook for next season, as poor as that for this was good, should also be considered. One brilliant player cannot make a team. Williams can hardly hope to develop four men from the players in college, but must rely on new material. However, even if the best of new material should be secured, a championship team can not be expected from men playing together for the first year. That the 1906 team had played long together was one reason for its strength. Next year's schedule should not be made too difficult for the team's ability.

Dartmouth's claim to the championship of the East has already been discussed in these columns. Of the remaining teams, of those in the intercollegiate league U. of P. alone is in the class with Syracuse, Colgate, Williams and Wesleyan. Wesleyan twice lost to Williams, U. of P., Colgate and Syracuse once. Further, Syracuse's claims are lessened by a defeat by U. of P., and Colgate's by a defeat by Syracuse. Comparative scores, then, would place Williams above all other eastern colleges but Dartmouth.

Although the defeats at the hands of Dartmouth were disappointing, one need only ask himself how many Williams athletic teams have held second rank among the colleges of the east, to see that the basketball season of 1905-1906 has been well above Williams' athletic standard. Many of us have, perhaps, hitched our basketball wagon to too bright a star. We have let ourselves be dazzled into expecting too much. It is a safe statement that ten years hence the 1906 five will be ranked among Williams' best basketball teams.

COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

To the Editor of The Record:—

I ask for a small part of your space for a response to Doctor Bascom's communication in your issue of the 19th March.

I expressly stated in my article to which Doctor Bascom alludes that I had then no intention of arguing the merits of the measure before the legislature. I simply desired to correct some misstatements of fact which Doctor Bascom was reported, in the North Adams Transcript, to have made. These misstatements, it seemed to me, as it seemed to the President of the college, and to all the members of the faculty with whom I have conversed, and to some trustees from whom I have heard, were calculated to do injury to the college. Doctor Bascom upbraids me for rushing hastily into the controversy. I at least had and took the necessary time to find from the treasurer's office that his statements of so-called facts were not true; Doctor Bascom did not

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have, or did not take, the time to find the truth before he made his argument before the committee on taxation.

Now that I have had more time, and have read Doctor Bascom's two letters, I have nothing to withdraw. Whatever may be Doctor Bascom's theory, or theories, as to the taxation of college property, he made the speech in controversy in behalf of a bill permitting the towns in which colleges are situated to tax their dormitories. He sustained his arguments by certain statements which I have shown to be untrue. Doctor Bascom was not as well informed as he might have been if he had made the inquiry which I, in my haste, did not forget to make.

It is only necessary to add that Doctor Bascom has not replied to my assertion that his facts were incorrect; on the contrary he admits impliedly in his communication to The Record the truth of my assertions. And yet there has been no such withdrawal of the false statements as I have expected. It is sincerely to be hoped that the friends of the measure are unwilling to take advantage of misrepresentations, which may have been made in ignorance, but which were intended for the support of a measure which, if it become a law, will impair the usefulness of colleges, or make education more expensive to students, a measure, therefore, which is an assault upon education.

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Mr. Leland Powers Tonight

Mr. Leland Powers, impersonator, of Boston, well known to Williams men as one of the most successful of those who appear each year in the Thompson course, will present tonight in the last entertainment of the season a dramatization of Charles Dickens' "Bleak House" in which he will assume ten different character roles. Although this has been characterized as Dickens' most loosely constructed novel, yet it is also the most theatrical, and hence offers the largest opportunity of any of his novels for dramatic impersonations.

Lecture by Prof. Wilson Tomorrow

Through the liberality of a member of the class of 1882, Prof. Edmund B. Wilson, of Columbia, has been secured to lecture on "The Key to the Mechanism of Heredity" in the Biological Laboratory tomorrow evening at 8.00 o'clock. The lecture is open to townspeople as well as students and faculty.

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Successful Season

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The development of the team reached its highest point in the middle of February when Yale, Brown, Colgate and Syracuse were successively defeated. The Purple won from the Blue at Springfield in a very poor game; the Colgate contest, though faster and closer, was notable for the large number of fouls called on both teams. The twelfth victory was won from Syracuse in probably the fastest home game of the year.

In the concluding games of the season the work of the team was erratic. The first defeat on the home floor in two years was inflicted by Dartmouth, in the last 10 seconds of play. With the team in form again, a very clean game was won from Hamilton, and the strong Washington Continentals defeated Williams by but eight points. Dartmouth decisively disposed of Williams' championship hopes by winning a rough, poorly officialled game 26 to 7 at Hanover, and, in another poor contest, the team brought the season to a close on March 10 by winning from Wesleyan.

INDIVIDUAL CRITICISM

Captain Cowell is absolutely unequalled at handling the ball and breaking away for shots, but is a poor basket-shooter, especially from easy chances. He has been the pivot around which the play of the team centered during the past season, and, always excepting Vose 1903, is Williams' most brilliant basketball player.

Blaisdell has played a consistent, effectual blocking game, often against the best men on the opposing five, and is an accurate shot in a pinch. Although playing at back guard throughout the season, he has played a fair passing game. His worst fault is an unintentional tendency toward roughness.

Gardner plays an unusually good guarding game for a forward, and for three years has had the fewest number of goals scored on him. Usually an accurate passer and a sure shot, his work toward the end of the season fell off, and he missed many easy chances.

Neild takes many long sensational shots with surprising success, is a good passer, but the poorest guarder of the regular five. His work from the foul line, especially steady and accurate in critical moments, has won Williams many games.

Captain-elect Tower is unexcelled at guarding. Though often against bigger men than himself, he allows his opponents few shots, and seems tireless. Though the poorest shot on the team, playing at center this year he has outscored his opponents more than three to one.

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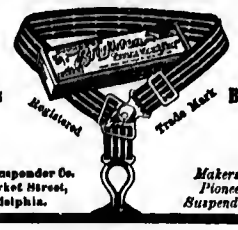
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WARREN HEZEKIAH BLAISDELL, JR., 1906, of Chelmsford Center, Mass., prepared at the Chelmsford High school. During his sophomore, junior and senior years he played a good game at right guard on his class team, and this year made left guard on the 'varsity. Age, 21 years, 3 months; height, 5 feet, 11 inches; weight, 168 pounds.

DANIEL FRANCIS GARDNER 1906, of Pownal, Vt., prepared for Williams at Vermont academy at Saxton River, where he was on the team for two years. During freshman year he took part in three games, and has played left forward the other three years of his course, playing in all but two games. Age, 22 years, 3 months; height, 5 feet, 11 inches; weight, 156 pounds.

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OSWALD TOWER 1907, of North Adams, captain of next year's team, has played two years at left guard and one year at center for the Purple. Tower prepared at the Drury High school of North Adams, and played on the school team two years. Age, 22 years, 2 months; height, 5 feet, 10½ inches; weight, 152 pounds.

Substitutes

ARCHIBALD JOHN ALLEN 1907, of Linwood, N. Y., played left guard in three games. He prepared for college at Geneseo, N. Y., State Normal school, and has played on his class team for three seasons. Age, 24 years, 8 months; weight, 160 pounds; height, 5 feet, 9½ inches.

JOHN FRANKLIN CRAWFORD 1909, of Flushing, N. Y., played in three games at different positions. He prepared at the Flushing, N. Y., High school, and played on the team which won the interscholastic championship of the United States at St. Louis in 1904. Age 18 years, 4 months; weight, 164 pounds; height, 5 feet, 10 inches.

THE MANAGERS

RUSSELL VALENTINE HOBSON 1906, of Wallingford, Conn., was the efficient manager of this year's basketball team until obliged to resign on account of sickness. He graduated from Williston seminary in 1902.

WILLIAM SHERMAN WINSLOW 1907, of Cold Spring, N. Y., was elected assistant manager a year ago. Upon Hobson's resignation he was appointed acting manager for the rest of the year.

ROBERT LEON PEASE 1907, of Huntington, was elected assistant manager in February to fill Winslow's place. He prepared at the Westfield High school, graduating in 1903.

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President Hopkins on Taxation

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He spoke from the standpoint of a citizen, and said that the prosperity of the town depended on the prosperity of the college, which depended on gifts from men outside the state. Taxation would have the effect of taxing those gifts. Nothing has been exempted from taxation since the president's house, while taxes have been paid on professors' houses when, according to a supreme court decision, it was unnecessary. This has caused a good understanding between college and town.

Dr. C. F. Goss to Speak

Rev. Charles Frederick Goss, D. D., pastor of the Avondale Presbyterian church of Cincinnati, O., will preach at the morning chapel service next Sunday and will address the Y. M. C. A. in the evening. Dr. Goss graduated from Hamilton in the class of '73 and later took his doctor's degree at Auburn Theological seminary. He contributes extensively to both religious and secular periodicals, and is the author of the religious novel, "The Redemption of David Corson."

NOTICES

—The following changes have been made in the schedule of the condition examinations to be held at the close of the Easter recess, as announced: The examination in Mathematics 2 will take place Wednesday, April 28, at 9.00 a. m. instead of at 2.30 p. m., and the examination in entrance Latin will take place Wednesday, April 18, at 7.00 p.m. instead of at 2.30 p. m.

Henry D. Wild,
Acting Dean.

—Mandolin club rehearsal, tonight, 7.30. J. H.

Fifteen members of the North Berkshire Medical society met Tuesday evening in the Biological laboratory, where they were addressed by Dr. Howard.

At a meeting of the Adelphic union last evening the proposition for a debating league with Amherst and Wesleyan was laid on the table until next Wednesday.

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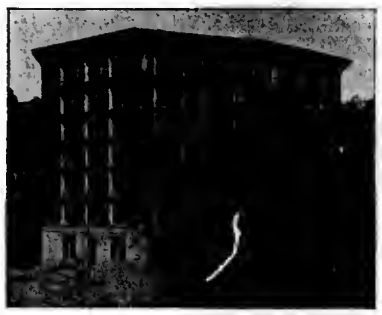
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PRESIDENTS TO MEET

Conference of Y. M. C. A. Leaders April 5-8—Topics of Discussion

In response to an invitation extended some time ago, it has been decided that the annual conference of newly elected student Y. M. C. A. presidents will be held in Williamstown, beginning Thursday evening, April 5th, and continuing through the following Sunday, April 8. Delegates from New England, New York, New Jersey, Maryland and Delaware have been invited, including, besides the student presidents, general secretaries of associations, secretaries of city student movements, and state secretaries.

The sessions, which will be held in Jesup Hall, will be addressed by former association presidents and by secretaries related to the general student movement. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the duties, responsibilities and methods of work of the men who lead college associations, to make clear their relation as presidents to all branches of activity of such organizations, and to promote co-operation among those who are to lead the work in eastern colleges.

Among the topics discussed will be: "The Controlling Purpose of the Student Association," "The Association President; his Preparation and his Work," "The Co-operation of the Faculty in the Work of the Association," "The Place of Religious Meetings in the Association," "The Enlistment of Freshmen," "The Promotion of Bible Study among Students," "How Make the Nashville Convention Effective in our Colleges," "The Relation of Students to World-Wide Evangelization," "The World-Wide Student Movement."

Football Notice

The following men have signified their desire to become candidates for the office of vice-president and assistant manager of the Football Association.

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Amherst Debars Freshmen

The special committee chosen by the Amherst faculty to consider the athletic situation announced last Wednesday that after this year freshmen will not be allowed to represent Amherst College on 'varsity athletic teams.

BLEAK HOUSE

Finished Presentation by Leland Powers of Scenes from Dickens

Leland Powers renewed his already strong hold on Williams men Tuesday evening in Jesup Hall, when he gave his arrangement of a portion of Dickens' "Bleak House," the entertainment being the last of the Thompson course for the year. Mr. Powers' popularity was shown by the hearty applause which greeted him as he stepped on the stage, his effect on the large audience by the tense silence during the many tragic scenes. His choice of a selection was most happy, giving as it did a wide range for impersonation. It hardly seemed possible that Dickens would "stage" so well.

Mr. Powers impersonated ten characters, of whom perhaps Mr. Tulkinghorn, Hortense and Mr. Guppy were the best. It is rather difficult to use anything but superlatives in speaking of Mr. Powers' art. His knowledge of life is abundant and his humor and pathos ring true. He never permits caricature, and in his most dramatic scenes, conveys enough sense of repressed power to keep him from being melodramatic.

The arrangement from the novel was divided into four parts, the strong scene between Mr. Tulkinghorn and Hortense, and the climax at the end of the first part receiving the heartiest applause.

Sir Leicester Dedlock, the proud, loyal baronet; Lady Dedlock, a complex character whose noble spirit is torn as others come to know her secret—both these were represented with true appreciation. Inspector Bucket, Rosa, and Mrs. Rouncewell, though unimportant personages, were clearly differentiated. Esther Summerson alone seemed somewhat colorless, and this was a true reflection of the character in the novel.

Jo, the London crossing-sweeper, who leads the disguised Lady Dedlock to her first husband's grave, kept the whole audience in laughter, as did also the fawning, conceited Cockney lawyer Guppy, who tells every thing "in strict confidence". The coarse, sly, loud-mouthed Frenchwoman Hortense, who in the end takes revenge for her "ill-treatment" at the hands of Mr. Tulkinghorn by murdering him, was far removed from the quiet, laconic, dignified attorney of the Dedlocks.

It is far more difficult to impersonate adequately such a character as Tulkinghorn than characters with pronounced peculiarities, as Guppy and the French maid, and that Mr. Powers was at his best in impersoneting the old lawyer is high measure of his art.

REVIEW OF LIT.

Dr. Wetmore Comments on March Number of the Monthly

The most important contribution to the Literary Monthly for this month is the essay by Shepard Ashman Morgan, entitled "The Greater Fraternity." It is a very thoughtful piece of work and deserves an equally thoughtful reading on the part of every Williams man. A satisfactory review of this essay alone would more than fill the space allowed in The Record for this review. Suffice it to say here that Mr. Morgan describes some of the evils of the fraternity system as worked out in other colleges, and he calls our attention to some dangers that Williams must avoid.

The essay clearly shows, a fact recognized by everyone, that the fraternity system at Williams is on a safe foundation and is not likely to be endangered by any of the evils mentioned. "Williams must always stand first, then may come the fraternities." Such is, I believe, the determination of every fraternity man in Williams College.

Bernard Westermann's two poems show much delicacy of feeling and poetic thought. One enjoys the melody of "Euryale" from the opening verses

"Stone upon stone, the towers stand
Back from the sea and the golden sand."

to the end.

In his second poem, "Liebestraum," which is particularly fine in its conception and style, the author touches a chord in every heart. Our attention is attracted by the first lines

"Longing is born in the dreamland,
Whither we flee away
Out of the striving present,
Out of the lime-light of day."

No one can fail to enjoy the entire thirty verses.

The poem by Stanton Budington Leeds, entitled "Till Thou Return," is most charming. It is full of sentiment and its rhythm carries us along, enchanted, to the close of the last verse. Mr. Leeds also has has a very pretty little stanza on "The Wind of Evening" in the department of the magazine called Suggestions.

The number opens with Graham Ryle's story of the Far North, "Extreme Occasion." One who takes delight in the stories of Jules of the Great Heart will read this story with interest. It is

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CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28
2.30 p. m.—Lehman Cup meet, board track.
THURSDAY, MARCH 29
7.30 p. m.—1908 class meeting, J. H.

LECTURE ON HEREDITY

Dr. E. B. Wilson of Columbia Discusses Its Scientific Position

Through the generosity of Ira J. Geer '82, of Chicago, a lecture was delivered by Dr. E. B. Wilson of Columbia, on the subject "The Key to the Mechanism of Heredity" in the Biological Laboratory Friday evening. His discussion was upon some of the more recently discovered phenomena of biology. The principle of heredity is one of the most important factors in human welfare and progress. Dr. Wilson defined heredity as the native characteristics which are implanted in us from birth; hereditary characteristics, however, are to be distinguished from those which are developed through training, such as the use of the vocal organs or of the limbs.

A hereditary constitution consists of individual units which behave as such, and which may be called hereditary units. Dr. Wilson discussed three phases of the main topic, the presence of unit characters, the fact that these unit characters sometimes cease activity only to appear in future generations, and the fact that when two characters are combined, one often dominates, while the other remains recessive.

The presence of latent characteristics was illustrated by charts showing the results of the cross-fertilization of certain plants; experiments with hybrid guinea pigs were explained with the use of lantern-slides. Taken collectively, such experiments show that inheritance is not the vague process heretofore supposed, but that there is a fixed law of heredity. Experiment has sought to find the proof of hereditary unit character in investigating the number of "chromosomes" in each nucleus or cell, and it has been found that there are equal numbers of these bodies from each parent in a cell, after fertilization. Hereditary characteristics are supposed to proceed individually from the various "chromosomes" of a cell.

In general Dr. Wilson showed the manner in which the subject was treated by scientists of today, with the broad results they have arrived at. In conclusion he predicted that within the next twenty years a much clearer insight will probably be obtained into this naturally complex branch of biology.

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Freshmen in Athletics

Athletic eligibility has been a burning question since last fall. The football rules committee which met in New York in December authorized a sub-committee to draw up eligibility rules for the entire country, and these rules will be presented within a week. Recently, on March 8 Brown excluded from athletics "all students in their first year of residence." On Wednesday last a faculty ruling was announced at Amherst prohibiting freshmen "from representing Amherst college on 'varsity athletic teams after this year." On Saturday, coach Reid of Harvard held a conference with the Dartmouth authorities on this point, and the subject is now under consideration at Wesleyan. Clearly the question of freshmen in athletics must come before this college as well.

The colleges which have made this radical step have done so, according to their statements, for two main reasons, to stop commercialism and to raise standards of scholarship. Any rule that can check the scouring of preparatory schools for athletes will be welcomed, but this rule cannot do all predicted for it along this line. It will have no effect on far the largest class of athletes, men who come to college primarily for a college education.

There is, however, a very small class of college men who have little hopes of graduation, but can make an athletic name for themselves. Such men could not say "I will just pass the entrance exams. and slide through as long as I can." Forced to spend a year out of athletics, they would not be interested in coming to college. These are the men who are the easiest bait for athletic "proselyters."

The testimony of the West, where a six-months eligibility rule is in effect among the "big nine", would not even support the rule on this point. Experience seems to have shown that the athlete will take his disqualification medicine and then, by staying five years, take part in intercollegiate athletics the full time allowed. It is not probable that the East, with different athletic standards, would go to such lengths as this, but the rule should be coupled with one limiting representation to three years to make its effect certain.

The new rule must stand or fall on the question of scholarship. The case of those opposing it is not weak. They claim that habits of study are largely formed in the preparatory school before coming to college, and the amount of time spent on curriculum work varies very little with the amount of outside work, except in extreme cases.

This view does not seem to give enough place to the formative influence of the college. Freshman year is for many a year of adjustment, and therefore dangerous. It is easy to feel that the only way to rise above one's fellows is to become an athletic hero, at the expense of the curriculum, if necessary. This temptation is strongest at freshman year, just at the time when the demands of the curriculum are greatest, and the first impressions are made upon the faculty. The combination has kept many good men from continuing in athletics, and continuing in college. After a certain limit has been reached, the more athletics, the less study.

Viewed from the stand-point of athletics alone, the rule will hurt the small college more than the large because of the scantier material, will help it more because it will help do away with the large college evil of "proselyting." It will be noticed that all the athletic evils it affects are at a minimum in the small college, and particularly in Williams. The benefit the rule affords to scholarship outweighs the objections brought against it.

The question cannot be decided for the Purple on its merits alone, if the other colleges which are rivals of Williams abolish freshmen from intercollegiate athletics. Not to follow this lead would be to invite here the undesirable element in athletics that in the past has gone elsewhere. Williams' eligibility rules must continue to be kept as strict as those of its opponents. In case of adoption of the rule by Wesleyan and Dartmouth, the athletic ideals of the college would demand a similar adoption here. A step which Williams might not need to take for its own interests would be forced upon it as one of the body of New England small colleges.

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Houghton, Mich., Mar. 18, 1906.
Editor of The Record,

Sir:—In regard to the late discussion that has arisen in the college concerning the abolishing of hazing, I should like to say a word. It is not in criticism of the stand taken, but the manner in which it was arrived at. It seems absolutely ridiculous that a body of men of the caliber that Williams students are should vote for a motion one day and the next against it; an outsider might think Williams was a girls' college. It is better indeed to admit you are in the wrong and to change, than to persist in the wrong course after your eyes are opened, but it is best to take plenty of time before coming to a final decision as you are more likely to be in the right.

My suggestion is that in deciding any question that involves the policy of the college as much as the one under discussion, the student body should be addressed by a member of the faculty before and not after the vote is taken, and shown just what stand they take and their reasons for it. Under such circumstances the decision arrived at would be satisfactory to both faculty and student body and a second meeting would be unnecessary.

J. B. Pratt '05.

Organ Recital Tomorrow

Mr. Salter will give an organ recital in the chapel tomorrow evening from 7.30 to 8.30. The program follows:

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Recitation and air: (Tannhauser) "O du mein holder Abendstern" *Wagner.*
Audante con moto, from Unfinished Symphony *Schubert.*
The Answer *Wölstenholmes.*
Fantasie on themes from "Oberon" *von Weber.*

Medal from St. Louis Exhibition

The library has received from the board of judges of the Louisinna Purchase exposition at St. Louis in 1904 a bronze, shield-shaped medal, for deposit with the other exposition medals in the Library. The obverse bears a representation of Louisinna, as a female figure, putting off the cloak of France and receiving a drapery of the American flag from the hands of Columbia. The reverse bears an American eagle. The medal was struck off at the Philadelphia mint.

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Review of Lit.

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forceful in expression and well told, though one might wish that the author had made a little greater effort to handle the dialect, or else had omitted it entirely. It is also hard to believe that a man of ordinary intelligence would give a revolver to a man clearly half insane and then lie calmly down to sleep not far away.

The longest story of the month is "Monsieur le Concierge, Detective," by Alfred Phineas Hanchett, Jr. It is altogether a pleasing tale and one that will hold the reader's interest throughout. The conclusion is a complete surprise and is most effective.

"The Gods Decide," a story by Gerald Mygatt, is cleverly written and no reader could put it aside unfinished after once beginning it. Doubtless this is the most dramatic story of the month. In some respects it reminds us of Weir Mitchell's "Autobiography of a Thief." No one can admire the ethics of the "hero" in either story, and both stories are unpleasant, like so many others of the present day.

The dialect piece, "Over the Hills," under the head of Suggestions, is amusing, though the dialect itself is faulty in many places. The scene is clearly New England, but the author is not a Connecticut Yankee at any rate. The reviewer wonders that, towards the end of the journey, the old man did not lean over and exclaim: "Say mister, if the world is as big the other way from my house as it is this, it must be a whacker!"

The departments are equally good. Mr. Lowe's short article on Kellogg Hall must bring up pleasant memories to many a Williams alumnus. The editor of "Sanctum" gives deserved praise to our Honor System, and such student loyalty to Williams as shown after President Hopkins' convincing speech of March 6. Mr. Morgan's timely article in "Chat" should be read by every undergraduate and particularly by every freshman. The editor of the "Sign of the Shears" has a bone to pick with an illogical writer in the Yale Lit. Surely this department, as conducted by the Williams Literary Monthly is interesting and notable.

M. N. W.

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A conference of eastern college men will be held in Hartford March 30th to April 1, at the invitation of Yale and Union Divinity school and Hartford Theological seminary, to present to those now considering the choice of their life-work, definite information regarding the work and claims of the Christian ministry. Among others, President Woodrow Wilson of Princeton, and President S. B. Capen of the American Board will speak. All delegates will be entertained as guests of the seminary. All expecting to go should hand their names to Mr. W. S. Pettit, Lowe, Bowmnn and Wilbur 1906, Hart and McCleary 1907 will attend.

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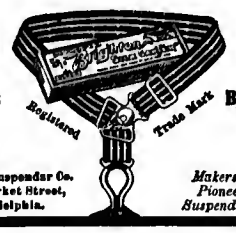
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'81—Bliss Perry, L. H. D., has been offered an appointment to the faculty of Harvard university as professor of English literature. Even if he accepts, he will not leave the editorship of the Atlantic Monthly, and will not take up academic work until March 1, 1907. The only previous incumbents of the professorship to be held by Dr. Perry have been George Ticknor, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, and James Russell Lowell.

Ex-'88—The wedding of Mrs. Susan Andrews Field, widow of Cyrus W. Field, Jr., and Franklin Wells Graves, took place on February 22, in the Reformed church at Greenville, Westchester county, New York. Mr. Graves was a member of the class of 1888 at Williams, and after leaving college was for a number of years a financial writer in New York city. He recently became a member of the New York Stock Exchange, and is heavily interested in Mexican mining properties.

OBITUARIES

Ex-'52—Colonel William Fessenden Allen died at his home in Honolulu, Hawaii, on February 5, aged seventy-three. Colonel Allen was born in Brattleboro, Vt., in 1832, the son of Elijah H. Allen. He attended Williams for two years in the class of 1852. When his father was appointed United States minister to the Sandwich Islands, Mr. Allen accompanied him, and has lived in the islands since. Col. Allen was a leader in philanthropy on the island, and served as collector of the port of Honolulu for many years. He was at one time a member of the staff of King Kalakaua.

'94—Eugene Richard White, one of the most brilliant newspaper writers in western New York died of appendicitis in the Sisters' Hospital, at Niagara Falls, N. Y., Friday, aged thirty-four years. Mr. White was born at Buffalo, July 19, 1872, prepared at Burr and Burton seminary, Vermont, and graduated from Williams in 1894. While in college he was assistant editor-in-chief of the Weekly, an editor of the Lit., chairman of the Gul., and wrote a Williams play, "The Courting of the Colonel," a burlesque on the founder of the college. After graduation he was reporter successively for the Buffalo Express, Buffalo News, and the Buffalo Enquirer. In 1899 he became editor of the Niagara Falls Daily Gazette, and at the time of his death was both editor and chief owner. He wrote much for Scribner's, Harper's and the Atlantic; and published a book of verses, "Songs of Good Fighting," which has received wide commendation.

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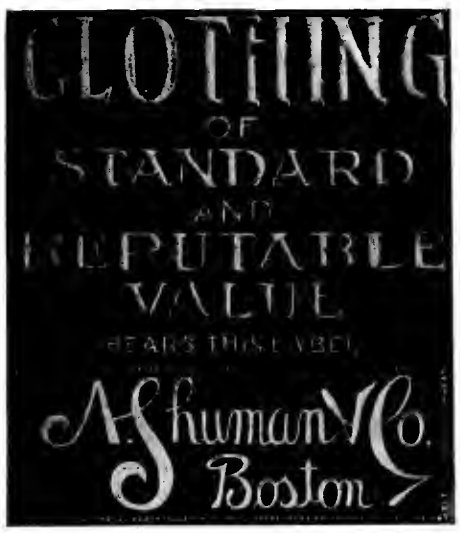
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Dr. Chas. F. Goss, who preached in chapel Sunday morning, spoke before the Y. M. C. A. in Jesup Hall last evening. He defined progress as "conquest of the bad by the good, of the good by the better, and of the better by the best". In the material world it is especially true that men who have had superior advantages seldom choose voluntarily the inferior, for which they feel a natural revulsion. It is the tragedy of life that this law does not operate so universally when applied to morals.

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Insurance and Advertising

The college library has recently received two books on modern business methods of more than ordinary interest. "The Life Insurance Company," by William Alexander, one of the Equitable Life Alexanders, and "Modern Advertising," by E. E. Calkins and Ralph Holden. Mr. Alexander pleads for serious consideration of his subject, beginning in these words: "Charles Lamb, while at the East India House, is said to have written on the fly-leaf of one of his ledgers, 'This book is full of interest.' And many people would also regard as a jest a similar inscription in a book on life insurance."

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Curtiss '06 General Secretary

William Hanford Curtiss 1906, of Olean, N.Y., has been appointed general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for the ensuing year. The committee of appointments, elected last June by the alumni, is composed of D. Chauncey Brewer '86 of Boston, Rev. Adolphus F. Schauffler, D. D., '67 of New York city, and Prof. Henry Loomis Nelson '67.

Ex-'08—W. H. Holmes is in the sophomore class at the University of Missouri.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Knight 1908 has left the infirmary.

Winslow 1907 and Howe 1908 are in the infirmary.

The golf team has been practicing driving in the baseball cage mornings during the past week.

The Trinity management has cancelled the baseball game which was to have been played here on June 2.

D. M. Hills 1906 returned Friday from the Albany City Hospital, where he has been recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

Cap and Bells will give the New York city performance in the Carnegie Lyceum, Seventh Ave. and 57th St., on the evening of April 27.

The following alumni have been in town; Hubbell '74, Allen '95, Gordon, Hall '97, Bacon '98, Stiles 1900, Callan 1903, Erskine, Johnston, Newborg, 1904, L. F. Smith ex-'04, Eldred, Runyon, Tourtellot 1905, and Woodhouse ex-'06.

The meeting of the Classical Society, which was to have taken place tomorrow evening, has been postponed until after the Easter recess.

Dr. Cornelius H. Patton, of Boston, one of the secretaries of the American Board, will speak in chapel, Sunday morning, April 8th.

Mr. Perry read Sheridan's farce "The Critic" in Goodrich Hall Saturday evening to his class in the modern drama.

Prof. and Mrs. Spring entertained the class in English 8 at their home Saturday evening. The play "As You Like It" was read, different members taking the different parts.

A meeting of the Adelphic Union will be held at 7.30 Wednesday evening to consider entering a triangular league with Wesleyan and Amherst in place of the present dual league with Wesleyan.

The economic library has been increased by the addition of complete sets of two of the more important economic publications, The Economic Journal, from 1891 to date, and L'Année Sociologique, from 1896 to date.

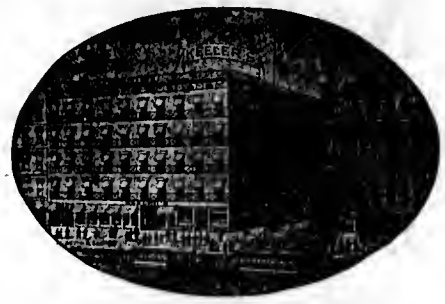
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NEW LEAGUE PROPOSED

Debates with Amherst and Wesleyan Voted by Adelphic Union

The Adelphic Union decided last night to accept provisionally Amherst's offer for a tricollegiate debating league for next year. Mr. W. H. Webster, for Amherst, proposed a dual debating league with Williams early last October to take the place of a similar league between Amherst and Bowdoin. The Adelphic Union suggested that a triangular league be formed, with Wesleyan for the third college and a conference was held between Mr. Webster and officers of the Adelphic Union early this month.

At the meeting of the Union last evening letters were read from Mr. Webster and from Mr. J. M. O'Neill of Dartmouth. Amherst desired to complete arrangements for a triangular league next year, and Dartmouth to renew this years' relations with Williams. After considerable discussion the following motion was carried: Resolved; that the president of the Adelphic Union be authorized to complete negotiations with Amherst and Wesleyan for a triangular debating league for 1906—1907.

A motion to permit men who have been on a previous 'varsity team to enter the second preliminaries without having gone through the first trials was carried. Case '07 was elected as the Williams delegate to the proposed Brown-Dartmouth-Williams debating conference. A motion that in next year's final trials, the candidates should be told which side of the question they were to defend, but that the elimination trials be otherwise the same as those this season, was carried.

After the Adelphic Union adjourned, both Philotechnian and Philologian elected quarterly officers, as follows: Philotechnian, president, McGown '06; vice-president, Hulst '06; secretary, Wheeler '07; critic, Stanley '07. Philologian, president, Scholle '06; vice-president, Matthews '07; secretary, Byard '08.

Election of Gul. Board

A 1908 class meeting will be held in Jesup Hall tonight at 7.30, to elect the Gul. board of five regular editors and two art editors for next year.

Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, who preached in the chapel a week ago Thursday, will occupy the college pulpit Sunday, May 20th, as provisionally announced some time ago.

LEHMAN CUP FINALS

Horrax '09 Wins Trophy—A. Brown '07 Second

Gilbert Horrax 1909, of Montclair, N. J., won the seventh Lehman cup contest as a result of the concluding events, held yesterday afternoon on the board track. Horrax' total of points was 49; A. M. Brown 1907, of Troy, N. Y., again won the cup for the second place, with 38½ points. The cups were first offered in 1900, and have been won in 1900 and 1901 by Paul Potter '01, in 1902 by J. F. O'Neill '02, in 1903 by L. G. Blackmer '03, in 1904 by R. G. Leavitt ex-'07 and in 1905 by W. A. Newell '05. The cups are given by Herbert H. Lehman '99, 'varsity track manager in that year.

The indoor events were held on March 3, and on the following Wednesday, March 7, the 40-yd. dash, 40-yd. low hurdles and the half-mile were run off. There were eleven events in the competition, two more than last year, and out of this number Horrax won the pole vault, one of the 40-yd. dashes, and the 40-yd. high and low hurdles, besdes tieing for first in the high jump. Sixteen men obtained points. In the shot put Marshall '08, with a put of 39 ft., exceeded the distance made in any of the other Lehman cup performances.

The mile run was the least interesting of the events yesterday, as only two of the starters finished, and the winner gained over a lap on his opponent. The quarter-mile was run in good time.

The summary of points gives Horrax '09 49; A. Brown '07, 38½; Chapman '07, 33; B. P. Allen '08, 28; Marshall '08, 20; Lament '08, 18; Hurlbut '07, 15½; Matz '09, 12½; M. Brown '07, 12; Bowker '08 and Wadsworth '09, 9; Griswold '06 and Ayers '06, 6; Cowperthwait '06, 5½; Lapham '07, 3; Conover '07 and Fisher '08, 2.

The summary of events held yesterday follows:

40-yd. dash. Won by Chapman '07; second, Cowperthwait '06; third, Horrax '09; fourth, A. Brown '07.

40-yd. high hurdles. Won by Horrax '09; second, A. Brown '07; third, Lapham '07.

Quarter-mile run. Won by Hurlbut '07; second, Horrax '09; third, Ayers '06; fourth, Cowperthwait '06; fifth, Chapman '07.

One-mile run. Won by B. P. Allen '08; second, Chapman '07.

THE GARFIELD CLASS

Fiftieth Reunion of 1856—The First Amherst-Williams Banquet

The class of 1856, which celebrates the semi-centennial anniversary of its graduation at Williamstown this June, contained among its members the most widely-known alumnus of the college, President James Abram Garfield, and the man who was most generous in gifts to the college, Frederick Ferris Thompson.

Of the fourteen members of the class now living, eight are expected to be present at Williamstown. Nine of the members live in New York state, and the remaining five in Virginia, Missouri, Iowa, Maine and Pennsylvania. The headquarters of the class will be at the Richmond Hotel, North Adams, and the reunion banquet will be held there Tuesday evening, June 26.

Six of the members surviving are lawyers, four miniaters, two teachers, one a doctor, and one a civil engineer. Among these are Hon. James Gilfillan, treasurer of the United States under President Hayes, and Hon. Silas P. Hubbell, formerly United States consul at St. Johns. Of forty-six graduates of 1856, fifteen saw service in the Union armies in the Civil war. William R. Baxter fell in the battle of Brice's Cross-roads in 1864, Charles E. Halsey, an army surgeon, died of disease contracted in the service in 1862, and Amos B. Shattuck was mortally wounded in the battle of Fredericksburg in 1862. James A. Garfield was major-general, Ferris Jacobs a brevet brigadier-general.

While in college the class participated in an event probably as yet unparalleled in American college history. During the autumn of their senior year (Oct. 15, 1855), the entire class of 1856 and the entire Amherst class of 1856, fifty in each, met at the parsonage in Charlemont and went in procession to the top of the near-by mountain at that day called Pocumtuck. A twenty-foot American flag, presented to the class by the young women of Williamstown, was used at this occasion, and will be used at Commencement this June. After various exercises the classes went to Shelburne Falls, where a banquet was held, at which toasts were given to both colleges.

At the inauguration of President Garfield, March 4, 1881, a reunion of the class was held at Washington. The twenty-fifth reunion of the class was held at Williamstown

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CALENDAR

THURSDAY, MARCH 29

7.30 p. m.—1908 class meeting. J. H. Election of Gul. board.

SATURDAY, MARCH 31

3.00 p. m.—Call for track candidates, Gymnasium.

SUNDAY, APRIL 1

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Rev. H. E. Cobb, D. D., pastor of the Collegiate Reformed church, West End Ave., New York City, will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes, J. H.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Cobb will speak.

FEIKER BILL UPHELD

$500 Voted for Committee at Town Meeting—No-License Majority

At the annual Williamstown town meeting, held in the Opera house Monday, the town voted that it is in favor of the passage of the Feiker bill for the taxation of college dormitories, and elected a committee, of which Clarence M. Smith ex-'77 and Samuel P. Blagden, Jr., ex-'96, are among the members, to represent the town in the interests of the bill. $500 was appropriated for the committee's expenses. Notice was served yesterday on the selectmen to the effect that this appropriation was illegal, as not being a reasonable and proper expense for the general welfare of the town. Mr. C. M. Smith, town counsel, was in Boston yesterday and today with Mr. Blagden, representing the town at the last public hearing before the taxation committee. No action will be taken until he has been consulted.

Torrey's woods were accepted by the town for a public park, and placed in the hands of a committee of which President Hopkins is to be a member. The Williams men elected to town offices were George W. Grundy ex-'97, re-elected town clerk; Samuel P. Blagden, Jr., ex-'96, selectman; Prof. Leverett Mears, school commissioner for three years; Charles S. Cole '70, auditor. The town voted no-license, 361 to 233. At the organization meeting of the school committee, held yesterday, W. G. Mitchell '70 was reappointed superintendent of schools for the coming year.

Date of Sophomore Prom.

The Sophomore prom. will be given in the Gymnasium on May 29. The supplementary dance will be held Wednesday, May 30, at the Greylock. Other arrangements have not yet been completed.

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The Proposed Debating League

Last evening the Adelphic Union decided to propose to Amherst and Wesleyan a tricollegiate debating league similar to that now in force between Williams, Dartmouth and Brown. Williams already has yearly debates with Wesleyan and, so far far as it has been made known, sentiment in Amherst is in favor of the proposed agreement. There is little doubt that the league will be formed.

At first sight this might seem too long a step forward. There must certainly be good reasons to justify the college in entering a second tricollegiate debating league so soon after the adoption of the present one. Is there enough debating material in college to justify the step? Five of the eight men who debated in March were underclassmen. This, however, it may be argued, is unusual, is not a condition that will be repeated in succeeding classes. The answer to this lies in the fact that this growth of material seems due more to increase of interest in debating, caused by the chance given by the two tricollegiate debates to make a varsity team, than to an original excellence of material in the under classes. With this interest strengthened by a second series of debates, the college, as far as men to represent it goes, would be justified in entering the proposed agreement.

Does a second debating league mean too great an amount of work for those taking part? This is the vital point. Williams debates Wesleyan now. The proposed scheme adds but one debate to those now held. The debates early this month were more satisfactory to the debating team than any held in the past few years. The experience of the past year has shown how much easier it is for two teams to get up a debate, working on opposite sides of a question, than it is for one team, with only the alternate, who knows he will get no chance to speak, to develop the side of the opponent.

The question is covered more completely, and the work done more thoroughly because the two teams have a definite end in view—upholding their side on the night of the final battle. Work in rebuttal, the speeches in which a debate is usually won or lost, has proved to be more careful and satisfactory because of this same keen competition. Confidence in work done is given which makes for success. In short, instead of finding the work of two debates too much, the experience of this month's contest has shown a real gain in effectiveness. A triangular league with Wesleyan and Amherst would result in more thorough preparation than the present dual league with Wesleyan.

If this new agreement is ratified by the other colleges, the debaters should receive more honor from the college body. To expatiate on the work done by the debaters is trite, but the work remains, and is none the more easy because it is largely unrecognized and unappreciated. The additional league will mean, for the four or five best debaters, at least, constant mental labor for practically the whole year.

In the final analysis, of course, the test for the bestowal of college honor in any one activity must be the benefit to the college from it rather than the work put into it. However, by entering this second league, the debating interests of Williams will become more widespread than those of any other New England college. The college will hold a position in the debating world, in comparison with the other New England colleges, analagous to the position in the athletic world of Bowdoin, in comparison with the other Maine colleges, and for the same reason, diversity and number of contests. This debating world unfortunately has slight importance among undergraduates, but among the collalumni it has far more than supposed. A greater college respect should be felt for those who, by hard work, are to maintain this position in that world.

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COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

Williamstown, March 27, 1906.
Editor of the Record:—

I notice in your editorial in the issue of The Record of March 26th the following statement: "The football rules committee which met in New York in December authorized a sub-committee to draw up eligibility rules for the entire country". This gives expression to an error apparently so prevalent that I would like space in your columns for a correction. The fact is that the Committee on football rules is but a part of a very wide movement and subordinate to the officers of the organization representing that movement. At the National Intercollegiate Football Conference held in New York on December 28, 1905, it was voted that the organization be made permanent and that its work be carried on by an Executive Committee, consisting of a President, Vice-President, Secretary, and four other members, who should report on general eligibility rules to govern intercollegiate athletics. This Executive Committee has prepared a Constitution and By-laws for the permanent organization, which will probably be known as the Athletic Association of the Colleges and Universities of the United States, together with eligibility rules to be recommended to the different colleges and universities. The Committee on football rules, that is, such part of it as was appointed by the National Football Conference, is responsible to the Executive Committee.

The proposed Constitution and By-laws for the permanent organization, and the suggested eligibility rules are now being printed, and will, it is hoped, be distributed among the different institutions within a few days.

Very truly yours,
Henry D. Wild

Engagement of Two Ex-'07 Men

The engagement is announced of Miss Anna Douglas Kincaid, only daughter of Rev. William Morris Kincaid, D. D., '71, of Hatton, Albermarle County, Va., to Arthur Harris Thompson ex-'07, son of Mr. Charles T. Thompson of Minneapolis; and of Miss Esther Dagmar Sorenson, of Honolulu, Hawaii, to Archibald Douglas Kincaid ex-'07, son of Rev. William Morris Kincaid.

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The Garfield Class

Continued from page 1, col. 3

July 5, 1881, three days after Garfield's assassination as he was leaving Washington for Williams. Rev. John W. Lane, secretary of Amherst '56, had invited the president to the 25th reunion of that class, in memory of the friendly meeting at Charlemont. The Amherst reunion occured several days before that at Williamstown, and had the president accepted Mr. Lane's invitation he would have escaped the shot that caused his death.

Mr. Lane has suggested a reunion of the two classes this June, and the famous meeting fifty years ago will be commemorated by the few that survive. Mr. Lane has been invited to speak at the alumni meeting here in June.

Call for Track Candidates

A call is issued for all candidates for the track team to report on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the gymnasium. A large squad should report at this time, as but five weeks remain before the first meet, on May 5th. No cut will be made in the squad until after Easter. The work of the squad will consist in daily setting up exercises in the gymnasium and jogging as soon as the condition of the roads will permit. Men will be expected to report at 3 o'clock on Wednesdays and Saturdays and at 3 or 4 on other days.

COLLEGE NOTES

D. M. Hills 1906 has gone to Greenwich, Conn. He will resume college work after the Easter recess.

The 1906 Y. M. C. A. handbook committee is composed of the following men: Witherell '07, chairman: M. Brown' 07, Murray '08, Westermann '08, and Sayre '09; Payson '08, business manager.

Hulst 1906, one of the delegates who attended the student volunteer conference at Nashville, addressed the Epworth league of the North Adams M. E. Church Tuesday night. He spoke of the work of the convention, giving different phases of the missionary movement.

NOTICES

—Mandolin club rehearsal, tonight, 7.30, J. H.

—Meeting of Essex County club, Saturday, 8.30 p. m., 16 J. H.

—Class prayer-meetings Friday evening, 7:15. J. H. Topic: The Missionary Spirit: Matt. 9:35, 10:1-8. Leaders: 1906, Little; 1907, Barton; 1908, J. H. Fischer; 1909, Johnston.

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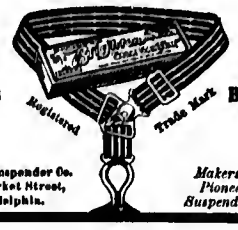
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The main entrance will be upon the west side, and its three glass-fronted doors will be approached by a stoop with steps on either side. The roof will be nearly flat, surrounded on the sides with panels, like that on East and South Colleges. The dormitory will have a lower facing of granite. Practically all of the material is on the ground, and the contractors, L. D. Willcutt and Sons of Boston, hope that the building will be completed by the middle of August.

Room Rents in New Dormitories

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The Deutscher Verein is at work on two plays for presentation in the near future The plays selected are "Post Festum" by Ernst Wichert and "Muller als Sundenbock" by Benedix. Parts have been assigned for Post Festum" as follows;

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Mathilde, seine Frau	Hazen '08
Frida, seine Tochter	von Witzleben '09
Emila von Tautern	Baemeister '08
Proffessor Walther Stern	Winston '08
Regierungs-Assessor Fritz von Brunner	Sternberger '07
Ein Dienstmadchen	Ford '08

The second play will be given shortly after the first. The cast, which has not been fully selected, will be announced later.

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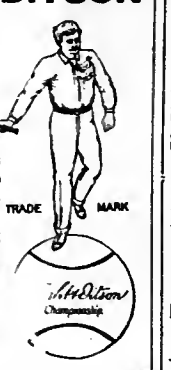
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The Alumni register for 1906, number 2 of series 3 of the Williams college bulletin, has just been issued. The pamphlet is 96 pages long, and is superior in typography, accurateness, appearance and scope, to that of last year. It is for circulation among the alumni of the college alone, and is not for general distribution.

The register gives the names and addresses of 2334 living graduates of the college. The oldest living graduate is the Hon. William Rankin, LL. D., '31, of Newark, N. J.; the second oldest, Rev. Thomas Wright '35, of Fenton Mich., and the third, Hon. Thomas Nelson '36, of New York city. Two of the alumni are over ninety years old, eleven are between eighty-five and ninety, and thirty-one are between eighty and eighty-five. There are eighteen foreign missionaries among the alumni.

A very valuable innovation is made in this number of the register. Besides the usual alumni index alphabetically by classes, there has been added an index of all alumni by the places of their residence, the alumni being arranged by classes in each locality, and the places alphabetically under the states. From this it is seen that the states containing the greatest number of Williams men are New York with 503, Massachusetts with 307, and Illinois with 133. New Jersey, Connecticut, Ohio and Pennsylvania follow in the order mentioned. Williams men reside in every stste and territory of the Union except Arizona, Arkansas, Nevada and Montana. Williams graduates are living in Argentine, Chili, Guatemala, Africa, China, India, and Turkey, besides in European nations. Of the localities New York city is far in the lead in number of graduates with 351. Strangely enough Chicago has 82 to Boston's 81. 46 alumni are living in Williamstown.

Dr. Henry E. Cobb Sunday

Rev. Henry Evertson Cobb, D. D., will preach in the chapel Sunday morning and will address the Y. M. C. A. meeting at Jesup Hall in the evening. Dr. Cobb has been pastor of the Collegiate Reformed Church, West End avenue and 77th street, New York city, for the last fifteen years. With the exception of last year, when he was unable to come to Williamstown on account of illness, he has preached to the students regularly for several winters. He is an effective speaker and his popularity here in the past has been attested by the number of times he has filled the college pulpit.

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ALUMNI NEWS

'74—Charles Bulkley Hubbell has been appointed chairman of the new subway commission in New York city. This is the third time that he has been appointed to subway commissions in New York.

'77—Hon. M. E. Driscoll, member of Congress from Central New York, and Rev. A. B. Bassett '81, professor at Hartford Theological Seminary, will make the annual report of the alumni board of visitors at the alumni meeting next Commencement.

'80—Edward D. Hale, formerly a teacher of music in the New England Conservatory of Music at Boston, is now connected with Colorado College at Colorado Springs.

1901—Stanley F. Gutelius was installed as pastor of the Presbyterian church at Corning, Iowa, on January 26.

'99—Edwin H. Whitehead is employed with the D. S. Walton Paper Co., in New York city.

'99—Lawrence W. Carr, who formerly taught at Ashby, Mass., is now teaching in the public schools of San Diego, Cal.

1901—Dr. Michael F. Black accompanied Mr. George Gould and family, as private physician, on a cruise to the West Indies, which they are making in the yacht Niagara.

1902—W. H. Stanley spoke at the first banquet of the University Club of Spokane, Wash., in that city March 20, responding to the toast "Auf Wiedersehen". Mr. Stanley is secretary of the club, which, though founded but n few weeks ago, numbers 160 members.

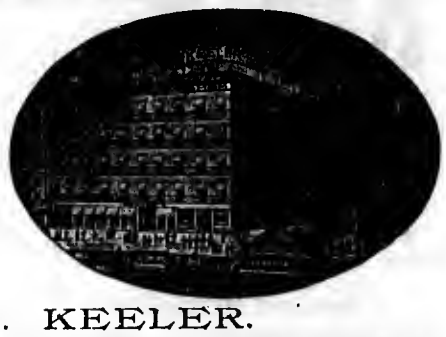
Ex-'07—C. T. Wilson has been elected assistant business manager of the Amherst Student.

OBITUARY

'45—Rev. Charles Jewett Collins, D. D., died at his home, 301 West 107th street, New York city, on March 18, aged 80 years. Rev. Mr. Collins was born at Wilkesbarre, Pa., on June 25, 1825, and graduated from Williams in the class of 1845, with Phi Beta Kappa rank. From 1848 to 1851 he was tutor at Williams college, and in 1854 received his degree from Princeton Theological seminary. For ten years he was pastor of the Presbyterian church at Danville, Pa., and was then principal of the Collegiate Preparatory School at Princeton. He was superintendent of schools at Wilkesbarre, Pa., and founded the well kown Bradford school at Rye, N. Y. He retired from active work some years ago, and has since lived in New York city. He was the donor of the old paintings on the walls of the faculty room in Hopkins Hall, which are the only pictures now in existence of the college as it was sixty years ago.

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Y. M. C. A. CONFERENCE

List of Prominent Speakers—Reception to Delegates Thursday

The program for the Y. M. C. A. convention to be held in Williamstown April 5-8 is not yet completed. Most of the sessions will be conferences and informal discussions by the presidents and general secretaries of the Associations represented, the discussions being introduced briefly by the main speakers. The sessions will be held in Jesup Hall. Among the speakers will be H. P. Andersen of the executive department of the International Y. M. C. A. committee; Clayton S. Cooper, of the Bible Study Department; F. P. Turner of the Student Volunteer Movement; W. H. Tinker of the Students' Club, New York city; Prof. L. H. Miller, assistant professor of biblical languages in Princeton university.

A reception in honor of the delegates will be held in Jesup Hall Thursday evening, to which the faculty and the members of the various association committees will be invited. On Saturday morning a discussion on "The Enlistment of Freshmen" will be informally conducted. On Sunday afternoon a meeting open to the college as well as to the conference delegates will probably be held, and it is hoped that F. Boyd Edwards 1900 will address the meeting. The number at the convention will probably be less than in former years, because of the recent widely-attended student volunteer conference at Nashville. About eighty delegates will attend.

At the opening meeting in Jesup Hall at 7:45 Thursday evening the convention will be welcomed by President Hopkins. An address will be given by Prof. Russell on "The College World a Battle Ground of Great Forces."

Baseball Election

Candidates for the position of vice-president and assistant manager of the baseball association will hand their names to Eugene M. Hoyne '07 before noon of Sunday, April 8.

The annual meeting of the Williams College Baseball association for election to the above office will be held Tuesday, May 1, at 7:30 p. m. Meeting of the class of 1908 for nomination from the names presented will be held Tuesday, May 1, at 1:30 p. m.

A. W. McAllister, Mgr.

At the 1908 meeting last Thursday Atwater was elected manager of the class baseball team.

1906 FOOTBALL RULES

Ten Yards in Three Downs—Forward Passes—Opinions of Captains

At the close of an all-day session held at the Murray Hill hotel, New York city, Saturday, the American intercollegiate football rules committee, the consolidation of the old football rules committee and the rules committee appointed by the national intercollegiate football conference Dec. 28, announced its revision of the football rules for 1906. Ten of the members of the committee were present. Another meeting will be held in New York city April 14, at which the rules will be finally passed upon in the re-edited and codified form as presented by Mr. Walter Camp and Mr. William T. Reid, Jr., but the only changes now to be made are verbal ones.

The principal changes made in the rules are the following:—Ten yards to be gained in three downs, one foward pass permitted except over the goal line; increased power for the officials; two umpires instead of one; six men on the scrimmage line and not more than six on defense; no hurdling in the open field or in the line; all players on side after a kick as soon as the ball strikes the ground; halves limited to thirty minutes.

"Striking with the fist or elbows, kneeing, kicking, striking the runner carrying the ball in the face with the heel of the hand * * * and roughing the fullback after he has kicked the ball" are punished by disqualification for the rest of the game and loss of half the distance to the goal line, with a recommendation of disqualification from football for one year, after a second offense. "Piling up, tripping, tackling the runner out of bounds and all other acts of unnecessary roughness" are punished by a 15—yard penalty. Tackling below the knees is prohibited, and a strict definition of holding given.

The referee shall not be allowed to rotate the ball before measuring to its forward point on a down. The referee is obliged to impose penalties for violations of the rules reported to him by umpires or linesmen. A penalty of fifteen yards is given for coaching from the side lines.

"The ball shall be considered dead when any portion of the person of the runner with the ball, except his hands or feet, touches the ground when in the grasp of an opponent."

H. D. Bixby, captain of the 1905 team, commented on the rules

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MISSION CENTENNIAL

At Haystack Monument Next October—History of Mission Park

The one-hundredth anniversary of the inception of the American foreign mission movement will be observed at Williamstown this fall by a convention commemorating the original haystack prayer-meeting in August, 1806.

A committee, of which Dr. Cornelius H. Patton of Boston, one of the secretaries of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, is a member, will meet at Williamstown on April 9, to formulate definite plans for the centennial celebration. Dr. Patton preaches in Williamstown on April 8. President Hopkins is vice-president of the board. It is expected that a convention of the American Board will be held at North Adams and Williamstown in October, and that special services will be conducted in Mission Park.

On a warm afternoon in August, 1806, five Williams students gathered in a maple grove in Sloan's Meadow, now Mission Park, for an open-air prayer-meeting. A passing rain-storm drove them for shelter beneath a haystack and here Mills announced to his companions the idea of going out as foreign missionaries for the evangelization of the world. The five men present at that meeting, whose names are on the present monument, were Samuel J. Mills 1809, Byram Green 1808, Harvey Loomis 1809, James Richards 1809, and Francis LeBaron Robbins 1808. It was from this prayer-meeting beneath the haystack that the great foreign mission movement has grown.

In 1852 a movement was started to purchase the land upon which the meeting took place, and in 1855 the land was bought from funds, nine-tenths of which were subscribed by alumni and one-tenth from undergraduates. On August 5, 1856, a missionary jubilee was held on the spot, commemorating the fiftieth anniversary of the meeting. Addresses were made by Hon. David Dudley Field, LL. D., '25, Prof. Albert Hopkins '26, Rev. Chester Dewey, D. D., '36, President Mark Hopkins '24, Rev. Dr. Rufus Anderson, senior secretary of the American Board, Gov. George N. Briggs of Massachusetts, Rev. Dr. Stephen H. Tyng '58 of New York city, and a number of early graduates and returned missionaries.

The present Mission Park monument was dedicated on Baccalaur-

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CALENDAR

TUESDAY, APRIL 3

7.30 p. m.—Organ recital by Mr. Salter, assisted by Mr. Michael Banner of New York city, chapel.

THURSDAY, APRIL 5

1.30 p. m.—1908 class meeting, J. H. Election of Gul. board and nomination of candidates for assistant football manager.

7.30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H. Election of assistant football manager.

7.45-9.15 p. m.—Opening meeting of Y.M.C.A. convention, J. H. Address by Prof. Russell on "The College World a Battle Ground of Great Forces."

9.30 p. m.—Reception for Y.M.C.A. convention delegates, J. H.

INTERCLASS DEBATE

Between 1908 and 1909 After Easter—Question of Summer Nines

In response to a challenge sent to 1909 by 1908, the second annual interclass debate between the lower classes will be held directly after the Easter recess. Trial debates for both teams will be held on Friday, April 6, in the Biological Laboratory. Those who wish to compete in the trials should sign their names to the notice in Hopkins Hall as soon as possible, or hand them to the respective class debating managers, Knight 1908 and Sayre 1909. As 'varsity debaters are ineligible by the terms of the agreement, a larger number of men should come out. The question for debate follows:

Resolved; that college ball players should be allowed to play on summer baseball teams.

Dr. Ferry Back This Week

Word has been received from Prof. Ferry that he will return to Williamstown to resume his college work some time this week. Prof. and Mrs. Ferry reached New York March 21, on the Konig Albert of the Norddeutscher Lloyd line. They have been abroad since December, spending most of the time in Italy and on the Riviera. They have been in Washington since their return, and are now at Saratoga.

A Mososaur Coming

The geology department has just received the skull of a mososaur, which will be placed on exhibition in Clark Hall. This reptile lived in the Cretaceous period, and attained a length of 25 or 30 feet. The bones were found in the chalk deposits of Kansas, and were restored to their present conditions hrough the kindness of the American Museum of Natural History, in New York city.

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The New Football Rules

The football rules announced Saturday by the consolidated rules committee must be satisfactory to those who have been nrging the reform of the game. The committee cannot be accused of doing its work hastily. Five long sessions, covering eight days, have been held during the last three months, and the rules announced show that all the more important schemes have been considered.

The committee did not try to reform intercollegiate athletics, nor all the evils that arise from football, but merely the game. That an extravagant amount of money has been made from football or an extravagant interest in the game aroused were not problems for a body revising rules. The main charges against the game have been that brutality is common, easy and unpunished, that there are too many mass plays, and that the game is not interesting enough for the spectator.

The new rules seem to incorporate the best suggestions made against these objections. As for brutality, the more flagrant offenses are met with a disqualification penalty, with loss of half the distance from the goal line. A provision that the ball is dead as soon as any part of the runner but his hands or feet touches the ground takes away the occasion for the injuries coming from "piling up". The tackle in the open, which has caused more numerous but less serious injuries, becomes less dangerous when hurdling and tackling below the knees are prohibited.

The provisions with regard to opening the game seem less effective. Will it open up the game to require ten yards in three downs? In the 1903 Yale-Princeton game, in which the score was 11 to 6, both teams averaged over ten yards per three downs. This is not an isolated instance. To come nearer home, in the Amherst-Williams game last fall, Amherst averaged ten yards, excluding Shattuck's long run from the calculation. Amherst's style of play was hardly the open style of game. Under the new rules, the offense has been strengthened by the forward pass, the defense weakened by allowing only six men in the scrimmage line. It would seem all the more likely that ten yards can be averaged in three line plays.

On the other hand, in a game played under what were essentially the rules as revised between two evenly-matched college teams in Kansas on Christmas day, but seven first downs were made. The Washburn College Review for Jan. 9, 1906, states that "the ten yards in three downs was too much for either team" and that the game was "very tame to spectators."

Perhaps the ten-yard rule will strike the happy medium between these two. There is nothing in the new rules to show that it is going to be any easier to gain around the ends than it is through the line. However, when the present five-yard rule was adopted, it seemed so radical to all but Mr. Camp that it could only be introduced on trial. Perhaps his ten-yard rule is another stroke of football genius, but it does not look so on paper.

To consider the rules in detail is impossible, but a few others deserve comment. That a kicked ball which touches the ground can be secured by either side will further weaken the defense by forcing that more than one man be kept far back of the line, and will make the ends the most responsible positions on the team. The provision that a ball cannot be rotated to determine its forward point in measuring improves a rule that has caused endless disputes between teams and officials.

It is easy to theorize about the work of the committee, but nothing can really be known until fall. The committee have met the technical objections of the critics by adopting the best of the critics, own suggestions. Their work has been careful, thorough, inclusive. They have done what they could to eliminate the worst points of the game.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Hormel 1909 is in the infirmary.

Last copy for the 1907 Gul. was sent to the printers Saturday.

Heermance 1904 and Stocking 1905 are in town.

Cotrell and Leonard delivered the senior caps and gowns Saturday.

The footballs won by the 1905 team have been placed in the trophy case in Jesup Hall.

The Greylock will open May 24. A garage will be built, the contract for which has been let to P. A. Smedley.

Clark 1907 spoke on "The Nashville Convention" at the regular evening service of the Adams Baptist church yesterday.

Dean Wild spoke to the freshman class immediately after Saturday morning chapel on conduct during chapel services.

The entire baseball squad was measured at Bemis' Friday for suits by Mr. J. B. Pendleton, representative of Wright and Ditson.

Committees have been appointed by Philologian and Philotechnian to consider the advisability of holding an intersociety debate. No meeting of Philologian will be held after May 1.

The musical clubs will give a concert in New York, at the Berkeley Lyceum, 44th street, between 5th and 6th avenues, on Monday evening, April 16. A second concert will be given the following evening, April 17, at Englewood, N. J.

President Hopkins attended the banquet of the Pilgrims of the United States, held at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, New York city, Saturday evening, in honor of His Excellency, The Right Honorable Lord Grey, Governor General of Canada. Among the committee were Mr. Morris K. Jesup, the donor of Jesup Hall, and Mr. Herbert Noble, chairman of the judges of the Dartmouth-Williams debate.

50 Track Candidates Reported

Fifty candidates reported at the gymnasium Saturday afternoon for track work. Capt. Griswold urged upon every man strict training and regularity in practice. The following men reported: Ayers, Cowperthwait, Egleston, Griswold, Miller, 1906; Andrews, Chapman, Conover, A. M. Brown, Coulter, Davis, Hompe, Hurlbut, Lapham, Lesser, McGown, Waller, Weeks, Wells, Wilder, 1907; B. P. Allen, L. Allen, Ayer, Bullard, Clark, Deyo, Fenno, H. W. Fisher, Goodbody, D. S. Johnson, L. R. Fowle, T. W. Fowle, Marshall, Scarritt, Slattery, Watters, 1908; Dodd, Fisher, Gutterson, Holmes, Johnston, Matz, Menard, Moore, Palmer, Pike, Rowland, Swain, Westbrook, Woodfin, 1909.

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ILLEGAL ELECTION

1908 Gul. Board Will be Chosen Again Thursday

At a meeting of the sophomore class held in Jesup Hall Thursday evening, the five regular editors of the Gul. board and the business manager were chosen. The election was illegal. By Article II, Section 1, of the election regulations adopted by the college Feb. 19, the Gul. board is included among the organizations affected. Nominations for the regular editors at the meeting were not by ballot, as stipulated by article IV, section 2. The business manager was not elected by the board, as required by article II, section 3, but by the class. The election will be held over, Thursday noon, at 1.30.

The men chosen were Elmer Philip Groben, of Buffalo, N. Y.; Stanton Budington Leeds, of New York city; Gerald Mygatt, of New York city; David Burnet Scott, of New York city; William Ernest Slattery, of North Troy, N. Y.; Harold Conant Payson, of Portland, Me., business manager.

Praise for Williams Men

The preliminary report upon the shellfisheries of Massachusetts by the commissioners has recently been published by the state. The report is submitted by David. L. Belding 1905 and sets forth a series of experiments to determine the most practical methods of increasing the yield of shellfish under different conditions of tides, currents, etc., besides facts in the life history of the edible mollusks.

In closing his introduction to the report proper, the chairman of the committee. George W. Field, Ph. D. says, "The work upon the food mollusks has been carried on under the general direction of the chairman and immediately in charge of Prof. James L. Kellogg of Williams college, perhaps the best authority on this continent upon the clam nnd oyster. The work has been carried on, with great credit to himself and to the satisfaction of all, by the biologist to the commission, D. L. Belding, A. B., assisted by Mr. R. L. Buffum and others."

Contents of April Lit.

The contents of the April number of the Literary Monthly will be as follows: Frontispiece, Williams College, 1845; The Phantom of Glenbrook—story, Shepard Ashman Morgan; Chiaroscuro—verse, Stanton Budington Leeds; The Consummation—story, William Richmond Witherell; Ways Forgot—verse, Bernard Westermann; The Prophet of the Unfulfilled Hope—essay, Stanton Budington Leeds: Suggestions, The Awakening, W. A. G.; The Children of the Pool, G. M.: Williams of Yesterday, VII, Williams College, 1845, J. A. L.: Sanctum; Chat, S. A. M.: Sign of the Shears.

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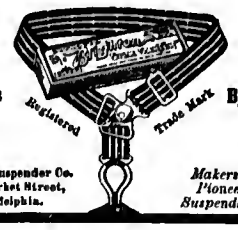
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The committee in charge consists of Professors George E. Howes (Williams), chairman, Allen R. Benner (Andover), Julia H. Caverno (Smith), Charles U. Clark (Yale), Charles B. Gulick (Harvard), Harley Roberts (Taft School). Besides discussing the advisability of forming a classical association, papers will be read on classical subjects by instructors in colleges and high schools, including Professor Heidel of Wesleyan, Professor Manatt of Brown, and Professor Burton of Dartmouth.

Concluding Organ Recital

Mr. Sumner Salter, assisted by Mr. Michael Banner, violinist, of New York city, will give the last of the series of three organ recitals in the chapel tomorrow evening, at 7.30. Mr. Banner formerly played under Theodore Thomas, the noted orchestra leader, and does much solo work in New York.

The program is as follows:

Suite Gothique — Boellmann
Introduction—Choral
Menuet Gothique
Priere de Notre Dame
Toccata

Air from Orchestral Suite — J. S. Bach
Violin and Organ

Fantasie on Themes from "Parsifal" / Prize Song [Die Meistersinger] — Wagner
Violin and Organ

Marche Funebre — Chopin

Andante from Concerto for Violin / Transcription—"On Wings of Song" — Mendelssohn
Violin and Organ

Largo — Handel
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At the recital last Tuesday, Mr. John Bright Lord rendered a solo, the Romanze, "O du mein holder Abendstern," from Wagner's "Tannhauser."

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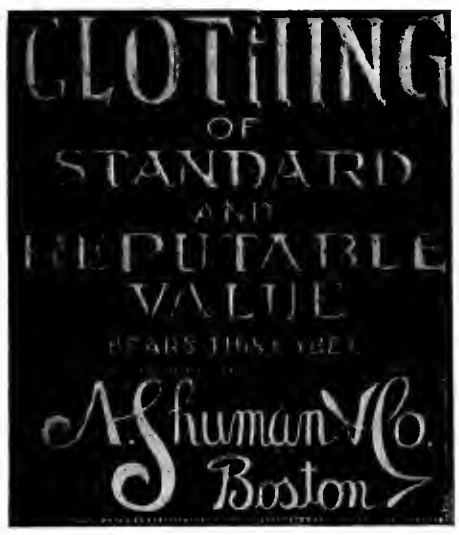
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1906 Football Rules

Continued from page 1, col. 2 as follows: "It is rather hard to critioise the rules before seeing how they work. I don't know whether the attempt at making the game more open will be successful or not. The forward pass rule, meant evidently to aid open play, seems to be changing the character of the game a little too much, making it more like association football. The heavy penalties and the disqualifications will make the game less rough if the officials will be able to see the fouling. For this purpose the extra umpire is a welcome addition. The rule forbidding hurdling ought to help the new game immensely. The new code will be rather tough on the coaches, who will practically have to relearn the game. On the whole the new rules, putting a premium as they do on tricky and fast play, should prove of great benefit to a light team such as Williams generally has".

Captain Waters' opinion of the committee's changes follows:

"The new football rules, which have just been made public by the committee, have undoubtedly solved the problem in regard to opening the play. With ten yards to gain in three downs, a team must resort to more end plays than heretofore, and, as Prof. Russell suggests, a premium will be placed on the punting game. This will serve to make the play more interesting from the spectator's point of view, but there is a question as to whether the danger of injuries to players will be lessened. This of course cannot be demonstrated until next fall. It is a question whether more men are injured in mass or in end plays.

"The other revisions in the rules are perhaps of less importance than the above, but there has been a much-needed effort made to make the game less rough. Heavy penalties are to be inflicted for all slugging and unnecessary roughness. The danger of injuries has been lessened by forbidding hurdling of any kind and this ought to make the game more interesting for the spectator. With forward passes allowed and more end plays and punting, football should be a much faster game.

"In regard to the scores next fall, it can only be shown by practical application of the rules whether the defense has been weakened enough, by allowing only six men in the line, to make any material difference in the points. It would seem, judging from past experience, that the small colleges would have a better chance against the larger ones."

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cate Sunday, July 28, 1867. Addresses were made by President Mark Hopkins, Hon. William E. Dodge, a trustee, Rev. Marshall D. Sanders '46, a returned missionary, Rev. Robert Russell Booth '49 of New York, and the donor of the monument, Hon. Harvey Rice '24, of Cleveland, O.

Open-air prayer-meetings have been held in Mission Park every year, usually on the afternoon of Baccalaureate Sunday, since 1857. Rev. Robert Russell Booth, D. D., LL. D., '49, presided over the meetings until that of last year, conducted by Rev. Charles Augustus Stoddard '54, of New York.

Trip by Taxation Committee

The Massachusetts Legislature committee on taxation is planning a tour of college towns of the state, to investigate the conditions in relation to Senate bill No. 106 for the taxation of college dormitories. If the trip is made, Williamstown will be visited next week.

The committee is composed of Senator Seiberlich of Suffolk, chairman; Senators Garfield of Plymouth, Chase of Bristol, and MacCleod of Middlesex; Representatives Davenport of Malden, Morse of Haverhill, Williams of Attleboro, Barber of Lynn, Hilliard of Braintree, Birch of Milford, Hull of Milton, Mack of Boston, Stowe of Springfield, Shields of Boston and Mooney of Boston. It will be noticed that no man on the committtee comes from further west than Springfield.

The order authorizing the trip has passed the Senate, and has been referred to the committee on the rules in the House.

The Force of Character

Dr. H. E. Cobb of New York city, spoke before the Y. M. C. A. in Jesup Hall last evening. He contrasted the "Kingdom of Heaven" as conceived by John the Baptist and Christ. Christ anticipated a transformed world in which men help their follows not so much by words as by the uplifting force of character. The greatest sermons are not those delivered in pulpits, but preached by the lives of men who have the courage of their convictions. That life is useless which does not, by its fidelity to its ideals, inspire confidence and sympathy in those with whom it comes in contact. This "silent influence" is the greatest force within man's control.

Ex—'05—Carl B. Moore, probably the best quarter-back Williams ever had, has signed to play baseball with the Jersey City team of the Eastern league. He played a few games with Providence last year.

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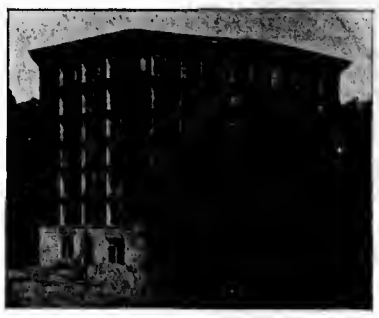
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Y. M. C. A. PRESIDENTS

First Meeting Tonight—Delegates and Conference Hours

At 7:45 this evening the annual conference of the college Y. M. C. A. presidents and association leaders will begin with a meeting in the Biological Laboratory. Delegates will be present from all the New England states, New York, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland. Thirty-nine delegates will attend. In addition secretaries of the student department of the international committee of Young Men's Christian Associations and secretaries of the general committee will be present. In the absence of John R. Mott, now in Europe, H. P. Andersen, of the executive department of the committee, will preside over the meeting.

As at present arranged, the conference hours of the presidents will be as follows: Thursday evening, April 5, 7:45—9:15; Friday morning, April 6, 9:00—12:00; Friday afternoon, 2:00—4:15; Friday evening, 7:30—9:30; Saturday morning, April 7, 9:00—12:00; Saturday evening, 7:30—9:00; before chapel Sunday morning, Sunday afternoon, and Sunday evening 7:30—9:00.

The place of the opening meeting this evening has been changed from Jesup Hall to the Biological Laboratory. The delegates will be welcomed by President Hopkins and addresses given by Prof. Russell, as announced in the last number of The Record, and by H. P. Andersen, on "The World Student Movement." After the meeting a reception to the delegates will be held in Jesup Hall, to which are invited the faculty, the chairmen of the old Y. M. C. A. committees and the chairmen and members of the new committees.

The program for Friday morning is not yet settled. At the Friday afternoon meeting Clayton S. Cooper, international secretary for Bible Study, will lead the conference in the discussion of Bible study. Friday evening F. P. Turner, secretary of the student volunteer movement, will lead the discussion of Missions.

Saturday morning's program is not completed. At the Saturday evening meeting addresses will be given by E. Boyd Edwards '00, catcher of the 1899 and 1900 baseball teams, Prof. L. H. Miller of Princeton, and W. H. Tinker of Amherst.

A devotional service will be held in Jesup Hall before chapel Sunday morning, led by Prof.

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GUL. ELECTIONS

Board of Editors Chosen by 1908 This Afternoon

At a meeting of the class of 1908 held in Jesup Hall at 1.30 this afternoon the following men were elected to the Gul. Board:—Willard Ansley Gibson, of Salamanca, N. Y.; Elmer Philip Groben, of Buffalo, N. Y.; Stanton Budington Leede, of New York city; David Burnet Scott, of New York city; Bernard Westermann, of Overbrook, Pa.; Gerald Mygatt, of New York city and Glenn Nelson Rowell, of Keene, N. H., art editors.

First Outdoor Baseball Game

The first outdoor baseball game of the year was played between the first and second teams of the baseball squad on the Blackinton diamond yesterday afternoon. Five and one-half innings were played, during which neither team scored. The fielding work of both nines was good, considering the condition of the field and the lack of previous outdoor practice. The 'varsity worked without an error. In hitting, there was an unexpected weakness, only three hits being made. The teams lined up as follows:

'Varsity; Waters c, Williams p, Harman 1b, Kelley 2b, Neild 3b, Young ss, Hogan lf, Warren cf, Pierce, Redick rf.

2nd team—Southworth, Morrison, Bates c, Meare '03, VanInwegen p, Gardner, D. Brown 1b, Osterhout 2b, Domett 3b, Wadsworth ss, Stower lf, Osborne cf, Ford, Gillett rf.

Trials for Interclass Debate

The trials for the 1908-1909 debate will be held tomorrow evening at 7.15 p. m. in Philotechnian Hall, the freshman trials preceding the sophomore trials. The judges are to be Prof. J. E. Russell, Asst.-Prof. Lewis Perry, and Mr. B. J. Rees. The method of trial will be the same for both teams. Each speaker will be given five minutes to speak, including rebuttal, and from the candidates, three debaters and an alternate will be chosen.

Philotechnian-Philologian

The Philotechnian and Philologian societies will hold a debate on the evening of May 2, in one of the society halls, probably with faculty judges. The contest will be informal, and largely extemporaneous, as the question, to be selected by a joint committee, will not be made known until the day before the debate. The following men have been elected to form the two opposing teams:—Philotechnian, Case '06, Hulst '06, and Sayre '09; alternate, Bullard '08; Philologian, Nomer '06, Case '07, and Matthews '07; alternate, Bynrd '08.

PLANS OF 1906

What Members of the Senior Class Will Do After Graduation

The statistics of the senior class book reveal this information concerning the plans of the members of 1906 after graduation:

Appell will study law at Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Ayers will enter the banking business at Jacksonville, Ill.

Barlow will enter business at Ware, Mass.

Barrett will enter the Medical school at Johns Hopkins university.

Bowen will teach school in North Adams.

Brady will enter the general Theological seminary in New York city in preparation for the Episcopal clergy.

Brown will probably enter Harvard Law school.

Cantwell will study law.

Cowell will either study medicine or enter business at Ashburnham.

Cowperthwait will enter the furniture business in New York city.

Curtiss will be resident general secretary of the Williams Y. M. C. A.

Day will study law at Batavia.

Fitch will study medicine at Utica, N. Y.

Gardner will enter Harvard Law school.

Gunther will teach one year and then take up the study of law.

D. M. Hills will enter the mining business in Colorado.

Hoyt will enter the employ of the Outlook Company, New York city.

Hulst will study for the ministry of the Reformed church.

Kenney will enter Harvard Law school.

Knox will enter the employ of the chemical firm of H. K. Mulford Company, Philadelphia.

Leland will either enter business or practice medicine at Plainfield, N. J.

Little will take up advanced work in Geology, probably at Yale.

Lowe will be student librarian of Williams college.

Lowry will probably enter business at Akron, O.

McAllister will enter the banking business at Spencer, Iowa.

McGown will enter the hardware business at Cooperstown, N. Y.

Macnutt will enter the employ of the Western Electric Company in New York city.

Miller will study law.

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CALENDAR

THURSDAY, APRIL 5

7.30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H. Election of assistant football manager.

7.45-9.15 p. m.—Opening meeting of Y. M. C. A. convention, T. B. L. Address by Prof. Russell on "The College World a Battle Ground of Great Forces." Address by H. P. Andersen on "The World Student Movement."

9.30 p. m.—Reception to Y. M. C. A. convention delegates, J. H.

FRIDAY, APRIL 6

9.00 a. m.-12.00 m.—Y. M. C. A. conference, J. H.

2.00-4.15 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. conference, J. H. Topic of discussion, Bible study, led by Clayton S. Cooper.

7.30 p. m.—Lecture by Prof. W. L. Underwood of M. I. T., on "Ravages of Gipsy and Brown-Tail-Moths," T. B. L.

7.30 p. m.—Trials for 1908-1909 debate, Philotechnian Hall.

7.30-9.00 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. conference, J. H. Topic of discussion, Missions, led by F. P. Turner.

SATURDAY, APRIL 7

9.00 a. m.-12.00 m.—Y. M. C. A. conference, J. H.

1.30 p. m.—1907 class meeting, J. H.

7.30-9.00 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. conference, J. H. Addresses by F. Boyd Edwards '00, Prof. L. H. Miller of Princeton and W. H. Tinker of Amherst.

SUNDAY, APRIL 8

10.00 a. m.—Y. M. C. A. conference, J. H. Devotional service, led by Prof. L. H. Miller.

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Sermon by Dr. Cornelius H. Patton, secretary of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, of Boston.

3.00 p. m.—College conference meeting, combined with regular Y. M. C. A. meeting. F. Boyd Edwards '00 will speak.

Lecture by Prof. W. L. Underwood

Professor William Lyman Underwood, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, will give an illustrated lecture on "The Ravages of the Gypsy and Brown-Tail Moths," in the Biological Laboratory at 8.00 o'clock tomorrow evening, under the auspices of the Lyceum of Natural History.

The trees and shrubs of the eastern part of Massachusetts have been seriously injured in the last two years by the ravages of these moths, and they are now advancing westward through the state, after having spread into Rhode Island, Connecticut, New Hampshire and Maine. The college and public are invited to the lecture.

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Williams and College Missions

The religious year just begun is to be notable for two things, the convention of college Young Men's Christian Association presidents which begins tomorrow, and the celebration of the one-hundredth anniversary of the haystack meeting, in October. That the meeting around the haystack in what is now Mission Park started the American foreign missionary movement is well-known to all Williams men, that it also started independently the mission movement among college Christian associations is not so well-known.

Briefly summarized, the links of the chain are as follows: Apparently the efforts of these Williams students to start an intercollegiate mission movement failed. However, a pamphlet written by one of these men who went to the mission field induced Dr. John Soudder to become a foreign missionary, who in turn led James Brainerd Taylor into Christian work. The Philadelphian society, founded at Princeton by Taylor, united with the Young Men's Christian Associations in 1876 and at once took the lead in intercollegiate work, started at a convention at Louisville in 1877. At first no intercollegiate mission movement was thought of, but in 1878 a member of the Louisville convention, hearing of the effort and apparent failure of the Haystack men, said, "Let the students in these closing years of the century consummate what our fellow students in the early part attempted. Let us engraft the mission idea upon the intercollegiate movement."

He wrote to President Mark Hopkins, and in consequence H. P. Perkins '79, then preparing for mission work, was sent to the Baltimore convention in 1879. The result of his earnest appeal to the delegates was the inauguration of the mission department of the college Y. M. C. A. The intercollegiate movement which the haystack men had not been able to bring about directly had come to pass indirectly, when strengthened by further inspiration from the college where the force of the ideals of these men had lived on. Williams can lay direct claim to be the source of the intercollegiate missionary movement as well as the greater American mission movement.

We like to feel that there is something in the environment, in the inspiring uplift of the purple hills, which made the Christian spirit stronger here than elsewhere. May the members of this convention of Young Men's Christian Association presidents gain a like spiritual inspiration for the discussion of those religious problems among the most important in the life of every college today.

The Colgate Honor System

By a vote of over two to one the students of Colgate have put themselves on record as desiring the adoption of the honor system. The exact system has not yet been decided upon, but the proposed constitution has been printed in The Madisonensis, the college paper. We congratulate Colgate on the spirit of this step, but the letter of the system proposed seems to negative the end desired. As a college in which the system has been in successful use for ten years, we can venture a few words of advice.

In two important articles the Colgate constitution differs from that at Williams. Article IV, Section 1, reads: "In case of reported frauds in examinations, the committee * * * shall conduct a formal investigation * * * . In case of conviction * * * * the penalty shall be, for the first offense, reprimand by the committee, and for the second offense, a recommendation to the Faculty of separation from college." This practically says, "You can cheat as much as you want to until you have been caught once."

Article V, Section 1, reads as follows: "Should a student happen to see a man cribbing, he shall be expected to reprimand him personally at once, and obliged to report this reprimand to the committee. Two such reports demand an investigation according to Article IV."

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COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

Editor of The Record,

Sir:—The new football rules should be a disappointment to those who desire and have been looking for a real improvement in this game. All things considered, football played under these rules will be a less desirable game than was the game under the old rules.

The worst feature in the present game, and the feature to which are to be traced most of the evils of the game, is the use of mass plays. The new rules, so far from discouraging the employment of these plays, distinctly encourage their continuance. They do so by strengthening the offense and weakening the defense in the scrimmage. The required gain of ten yards instead of five yards will not seriously diminish the resort to mass formations, such as the tandem. These plays will become more strenuous and more destructive to the weaker team; since they will be employed to gain six, seven and even more yards instead of the hitherto necessary five yards. There can be no great improvement in football so long as mass plays are allowed.

The most serious objection to our American game in its present form, is the severe physical strains to which the players are subjected, and the liability to injuries that is inseparable from the game as it is played at the present time. No student can safely or successfully play this game, who does not give himself almost as severe a training and toughening of his muscles and sinews as the gladiator or the prize fighter needs. I think a game which makes such demands upon the energies and the time of a student, has no place in an institution devoted to liberal education.

John E. Russell

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"I think if the smaller colleges do not adopt the rule, they will gain largely in point of numbers at the expense of the overshadowing universities, and that it is poor business policy to throw away such a valuable advantage."

COLLEGE NOTES

The musical clubs will give an informal concert at the opening session of the Y. M. C. A. conference in Jesup Hall this evening.

The training table will begin next Wednesday. Coach Dowd will arrive Saturday.

The baseball squad was outdoors on the old campus Tuesday afternoon for the first time for batting practice.

The gym. clock has gained but 28 seconds, since December 18. The record is the best the clock has ever made. The clock was set accurately again Tuesday.

NOTICES

—The Lit. board will meet Monday evening, April 9th, to consider manuscript for the May number. All contributions must be in the hands of some member of the board or left at No. 6 East College before 6 p. m. of that day.

—Regular class prayer-meetings, tomorrow evening, 7:15. Subject and references: Things worth thinking about; Phil. 4: 4—14. Leaders: 1906, Hulst; 1907, Birdsall; 1908, Deyo; 1909, Westbrook.

Dr C. H. Patton to Preach

Rev. Dr. Cornelius H. Patton, of Boston, who will preach in the chapel Sunday morning, is the Home Secretary of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions. Dr. Patton was for many years pastor of a church in St. Louis, before he was called to Boston to take his postion on the American Board.

Dr. Patton will confer on Monday morning with a committee of arrangements to formulate plans for the centennial celebration, in October, of the haystack prayer-meeting. The committee will be appointed by President Hopkins, vice-president of the American Board, and Rev. Dr. Francis Treadway Clayton of the Congregational church.

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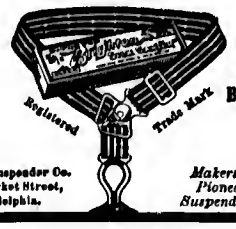
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Miller. The regular Sunday evening Y. M. C. A. meeting will be combined with the afternoon meeting of the conference, and will be open to the college. Mr. Edwards will address the meeting. The conference will close Sunday evening.

A complete list of delegates who will be present at the convention follows:

Alfred university; Thomas G. Davis.

Amherst college; B. F. Barton. J. S. Birge.

Blair Presbyterial academy; A. M. Richmond.

Centenary Collegiate institute; A. L. Fretz.

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Princeton university; E. W. Bixby.

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Stevens Institute of Technology; R. S. Lane.

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Union college; Walter T. McIntosh.

University of Pennsylvania; Frank V. Slack, Thomas F. Evans, M. K. Bickham.

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Wesleyan university; C. L. MacClelland, R. S. Munson.

West Point; Donald J. McLachlan.

Yale university; W. D. Barnes, T. A. D. Jones, J. H. Twitchell, John G. Magee, Frank Weinecker.

Mass. state college secretary; Sidney E. Sweet.

Intercollegiate Secretary, New York city; Gilbert A. Beaver.

The following secretaries of the student department of the international committee; C. W. Gilkey, C. S. Cooper, H. P. Andersen, A. B. Minear.

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Easter Music

Mr. Sumner Salter has arranged the following special Easter music for the chapel services Sunday: At the morning service, the Gloria in Excelsis, from Mozart's Twelfth Mass; at the vesper service an anthem "Whoso Dwelleth," by Martin, with tenor solo, sung by Pevear 1907; a duet, "Crucifix Faure," sung by Mr. John Bright Lord 1905 and Pevear 1907; a quartet, "Lift Thine Eyes," from the "Elijah" of Mendelssohn, to be sung by W. H. Curtiss and Robins 1906, Pevear and Rogers 1907.

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White will study law, probably at Harvard.

Wilbur will enter a graduate school at Yale.

Woodbury will probably enter the shoe business at Beverly, Mass.

Wooster will enter business at Albany.

Wright will enter the First National Bank of Newark, O.

Zahner will enter Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Men whose names are not mentioned are undecided.

BASKETBALL CAPTAINS

Leaders of Chief College Fives for Next Season

The list of next year's captains of the basketball teams from the colleges usually on Williams' schedule and the other strong college fives is nearly completed. A majority are forwards and men from 1908.

Dartmouth has elected George Warren Grebenstein '07, center and right forward, a 'varsity player of three years' experience. He shot the winning goal in the decisive game against Willisms at Williamstown in February.

George M. Flint, '08 D, a forward, has been re-elected by Pennsylvania. Flint scored more points that any other player in the intercollegiate league.

Wesleyan's choice is G. E. White '08, the center of this year's team.

David D. Stowell '07 will lead Colgate. He has been a member of the 'varsity for the past three years, and has shown steady improvement in the position of left forward.

Ernest R. Halliday '08, who made the 'varsity this year for the first time as guard, is the choice of Princeton. He is a steady, aggressive player.

C. W. Cuthel '07, of Columbia Law school, succeeds Hurley '08. Cuthel has played forward for three years on the 'varsity teams.

Other captains are: Syracuse, George L. Redlein' 08, forward; Hamilton, Oscar Kuolt '07, forward; Trinity, E. J. Donnelly '08, guard; Oberlin, Wm. Most, Jr., '07, center; Yale, Haskell Noyes '08, guard.

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Gun Club Shoots

The college gun club defeated the North Adams team yesterday afternoon in a return shoot at the home traps on the golf links, winning by the score of 82 to 73. An uncertain southerly wind made Fitch's perfect shooting all the more remarkable. The match is the first won from North Adams by the local club in two years.

The detailed score follows:

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Geer '07	18	McHale	18
Fitch '06	25	Pratt	21
L. vP. Allen' 08	17	Fogg	13
	82		73

The shoot for the Sercomb cup will be held on two half holidays in May. No one will be allowed to compete who has not taken part in at least five local shoots of this college year.

Pictures in Jesup Hall

Several pictures of famous authors have been hung in the Jesup Hall reading room. The pictures had been taken down on account of the reconstruction last year. A number of athletic team pictures have been hung in the trophy room. Beginning at the north door at the entrance, the pictures are as follows, from left to right: 1897 track team, 1897 baseball team, 1892 football team, 1899 baseball team, 1899 football team, 1898 track team; near the press room door, 1901 basketball team, 1900 relay team, 1900 basketball team, 1898 football team.

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CONFERENCE MEETINGS

Held During Four Days—Sessions Closed Yesterday

The annual conference of college Y. M. C. A. presidents and association leaders came to an end last evening with the address of Rev. F. Boyd Edwards '00 at the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall. The convention was not so largely attended as in recent years, but over fifty representatives were present. The conference meetings were very informal, and gained much of their value from the fact that the majority of the delegates took an active part in the discussion.

Opening Meeting

President Hopkins gave a brief address of welcome at the first session of the conference, on Thursday evening in the Biological Laboratory, emphasizing the fact that such a conference is entirely spontaneous. Prof. Russell was the first speaker, taking as his subject "The College World a Battle-ground of Great Forces." He discussed the good and bad forces which affect the college man. College men are living in the future; anything which is fitted to open the great gates of life rouses in them a ready response. A lack of strenuousness, an unwillingness to submit to criticism, and a love of ease are forces which affect adversely. Too many men adopt as their maxim, "Do that which is expedient." In conclusion Prof. Russell proclaimed it one of the chief duties of college life to stand as an exponent of the genuine life in the world.

The last speaker, Mr. H. P. Andersen, discussed the features of the world-wide student movement. He reviewed the important epochs in the history of the Association. In 1877 several students at Princeton took the initial steps in the organization of a united college Y. M. C. A. The chain of events shows that the haystack meeting in Williamstown in 1806 had a marked influence on this formation of the Christian Association seventy years later. Less than thirty years ago the mission department of the Y. M. C. A. was organized, and in 1884 the different corresponding organizations throughout the world were amalgamated under the name of the Christian Federation.

Reception to Delegates

An informal reception was held in Jesup Hall for the delegates after the conference meeting. Light

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HOW SAVE THE TREES?

Interesting Lecture on Insect Pests —Danger to Williamstown

Prof. W. L. Underwood, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, gave one of the most interesting lectures of the year on "The Ravages of Gipsy and Brown-Tail Moths," in the Biological Laboratory on Friday evening before a small audience. The lantern slides were of unusual excellence, showing well the damage caused by the animals in the eastern part of the state. Prof. Underwood outlined the history of the pest, told his experiences in trying to save the trees upon his property, and explained the methods of exterminating the moths.

The gipsy moth was introduced into this country by a Frenchman in 1868, to breed a new silk worm, and first spread through accident. Since that time the insect has spread so rapidly that legislative methods have been found necessary if its extermination is to be accomplished. The brown-tail moth has penetrated as far as the Connecticut river and Greenfied, and a visitation may be expected in the Berkshires this summer.

The golden-brown nests of the gipsy moth are deposited in every conceivable place and contain from four to five hundred eggs. The caterpillars, grayish-brown and hairy, are three inches in length when full-grown. Although showing especial preference for deciduous trees, the caterpillar will occasionally attack evergreens. Thousands of trees are denuded by them each year in Massachusetts.

The brown-tail caterpillars are reddish-brown, hairy, with two prominent orange spots, and attain a length of one to one and a half inches. When the human skin is brought in contact with the hairs on the caterpillar a serious irritation occurs, and a welt or rash results.

Several equally efficient agents for the extermination of the pest are used. Creosote is often applied to the nests, and kerosene sprayed upon the foliage. Trees are also well protected by putting a girdle of some sticky substance around the trunk. Whole sections of land may be protected by encircling the area with a narrow strip of hay saturated with crude oil.

The moth pest is serious, and in view of the fact that Williamstown is likely to be affected this summer, is a problem that must be studied and met, to save the shade trees.

—All library books must be returned by 12:30 Wednesday noon.

MUSICAL CLUBS TRIP

Concerts given at New York city and Englewood, N. J.

The musical clubs will take a trip during the Easter recess, giving concerts in New York city and Englewood, N. J. The New York entertainment will be held Monday, April 16, at 8:15, at the Berkeley Lyceum, 44th St., near Fifth avenue. The second concert, to be followed by a dance, will be given in Englewood the following evening, Tuesday, April 17. The hall in Englewood in which the concert will be given has not yet been decided on. The dance will be held in the armory. A. J. Pierce 1907 will give a monologue at each concert.

The program for each concert follows:

PART ONE

1. a—The Royal Purple
   Bartlett '95
   b—Come Fill your Glasses Up.
   Words by H. S. Patterson '96
   Glee and Mandolin Clubs
2. Spanish Dance, Moszkowski
   Mandolin Club
3. The Bells of St. Michael's Tower, Knyvett Stewart
   Glee Club
4. Peter Piper. S. R. Henry
   Banjo Club
5. Solo—a Thy Beaming Eyes
   MacDowell
   b A Proposal
   Mary Turner Salter
   S. R. Pevear 1907
6. John Dough,
   From "The Gingerbread Man"
   W. H. Curtiss 1906 and Glee Club

PART TWO

1. Moonlight, Moret
   Mandolin Club
2. Reading—selected.
   A. J. Pierce 1907
3. Fill Your Steins,' Mittell
   Glee Club
4. Williams Two Step, Gale '06
   Banjo Club
5. A Chinese Tragedy,
   L. F. Gottschalk
   Glee Club
6. Solo—A May Morning, Denza
   S. R. Pevear 1907
7. The Mountains,
   Washington Gladden '59
   The Clubs

Baseball Candidates

The following men from 1908 announce themselves as candidates for the position of vice-president and assistant manager of the baseball association:

E. D. Atwater
J. K. Byard
G. E. Hite, 2d
J. H. Knight
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CALENDAR

MONDAY, APRIL 9

7.30 p. m.—Classical society meeting, west wing of Library. Readings on "Greek Athletics" by Cowell '06, Gardner '06 and Neild '06.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11

12.30 p. m.—Easter recess begins.

MONDAY, APRIL 16

8.15 p. m.—Musical clubs concert, Berkeley Lyceum, New York city.

TUESDAY, APRIL 17

8.15 p. m.—Musical clubs concert, Englewood, N. J.

THURSDAY, APRIL 19

8.20 a. m.—Easter recess ends.

FRIDAY, APRIL 20

8.00 p. m.—Annual smoker and dinner of New York alumni, Delmonico's.

SATURDAY, APRIL 21

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Union baseball game, Weston Field.

SUNDAY, APRIL 22

10.30 a. m.—College Chapel. Sermon by Rev. John H. Denison '90, of Boston.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Rev. Mr. Denison will speak.

ASST. FOOTBALL MANAGER

Willmore Bisexter Stone, Jr., 1908, Elected Thursday

At a college meeting held in Jesup Hall Thursday evening, Willmore Bisexter Stone, Jr.,



W. B. STONE, JR., 1908

1908, of Springfield, was elected assistant manager and vice-president of the football association for 1906. He will become manager in the fall of 1907. Stone prepared for college at the Springfield High school, from which he graduated in 1904.

No track work will be held during the Easter recess. The training table will be started a week before the Wesleyan meet, which comes on Saturday, May 5.

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The 1905—6 Record board will publish an index to Vol. XIX, as an insert in the first number after the Easter recess. Reference will be made by number of the issue and page, to every item that appeared in the last volume, except alumni notes and college notes, which are of little importance for reference.

Track Insignia

At the meeting of the athletic council to be held immediately after the Easter vacation, the question of insignia for the relay team will come up for discussion. The consensus of college opinion seems to be that the relay team are deserving of the letter. That a single victory against Dartmouth has in the past been awarded by the bestowal of a letter certainly affords a precedent for a similar gift at the close of a season marked by two victories and no defeats. Wesleyan is as much a natural rival of the Purple as Dartmouth, Brown as large a college and as hard to defeat. The honor of the letter seems due the members of the 1906 relay team.

The one argument that has seemed applicable against granting this for the work this winter would come from comparison with last spring's track work. Track work in the spring is harder than that in the winter; the season is longer, the training more severe and undergone by a greater number of candidates. Last spring's track team was not lacking in ability. The five firsts won in the Dartmouth meet showed its strength more truly than the thirteen points won at Worcester. That but three "W"s should be given in the spring and four in the winter seems to some inconsistent.

If this argument were based on any consistent policy, we might sympathize with it. However, the trouble lies with the action last spring, and, back of that, with the constitution of the track association. In football and baseball a man who plays in the last games with Amherst and Wesleyan is sure of his letter, except in extraordinary cases, and in track a point-winner at the Worcester meet is likewise certain. The constitution of the track association awards this letter to every man on the team "who shall have scored a point in a championship meet". This wording compelled that each point-winner in the Dartmouth meet of 1904 be awarded the "W", if the letter was to be given for that meet, and dissatisfaction over the seventeen letters in that year may have helped in causing a swing as far the other way in 1905. To have awarded it in the Dartmouth meet last year, under the wording of the constitution, would have given eleven men "W"s who did not win their letter at Worcester.

There should be some amendment to the constitution by which it would be possible—to take last year's case—to strike a medium between three and fourteen, for the over-conservatism of the one is just as unsatisfactory as the over-liberality of the other. This medium could be reached by an amendment awarding the letter to those winning first place in a dual "championship meet", in addition to those winning points in the Worcester meet. This amendment could scarcely be objected to on the grounds of awarding the "W" to too many—but four more would have received it in 1905—or on the ground of lowering the standard of ability, for Dartmouth, Amherst and Wesleyan are all certainly strong enough in track to make "W" ability necessary to get the letter. At any rate, the athletic council always retains a check on the award through deciding what is a championship meet and what is not. Such an amendment would give a deserved honor to a number of athletes, able to win first in a meet between two colleges, but not able to get points in a meet where nine others compete.

The natural tendency in the award of a letter is to give it to too many. The athletic council, however, has always shown itself able to maintain a proper conservatism in opposing such a policy. The system proposed will give them an opportunity to maintain this conservatism without being forced into the present unjust di-

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lemma of giving the "W" either to all the point-winners of the track team, or to the few star men.

Track Election May 3

The annual meeting of the Williams College Field and Track Association for the purpose of electing the vice-president and assistant manager will be held in Jesup Hall, Thursday, May 3d, at 7:30 p. m. All candidates must hand their names to the undersigned on or before Wednesday, April 25th, 1906.

A meeting of the sophomore class will be held in Jesup Hall May 3d at 1:30 p. m. for the purpose of nominating candidates for the above office.

PHILIP R. PETERS.
Manager

'Varsity Defeated Second Team

On Saturday afternoon the first nine inning game was played between the first and second teams of the baseball squad on the Blackinton grounds. The fielding work was not as good as that of Wednesday. In batting there was a slight improvement. Coach Dowd was on the field and paid especial attention to the batting. The work of the pitchers, in the cold weather, was poor. Warren made a three-base hit in the eighth inning.

The batting order and score by innings follows:

'Varsity	Second Team
Wadsworth, 2b	Osterhout, 3b
Warren, cf	Domett, ss
Young, ss	Osborne, lf
Gardner, 1b	Kelley, 2b
Neild, 3b	D. Brown, rf
Pierce, Southworth, rf	Redick, cf
Hogan, lf	Harman, 1b
Waters, c	Bates, c
Williams, Sears, Pierce, p	Mears, Ford, p

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'Varsity	4 2 0 0 1 0 2 1 2	12	10 2
2d Team	0 3 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	4	8 7

Easter Baseball Plans

The entire baseball squad, with the exception of those who receive special permission from Capt. Neild, will be kept in town over the Easter recess. Regular practice will be held mornings on the old campus, and afternoons at Blackinton until Weston Field gets into condition. A game will be played with Blackinton Saturday afternoon.

Prof. Cleland in Bermuda

Prof. Cleland is planning a trip to the Bermudas during the Easter vacation to study the interesting coralline and eand formations of the island. The Bermuda group is built of coral formed upon the craters of two sunken volcanoes, and offers an interesting field for geological research. Prof. Cleland will leave April 12, and will be back by April 23. He expects to obtain some lantern slides, and to give an illustrated lecture on Bermudas after his return.

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Conference Meetings

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refreshments were served. During the reception the musical clubs gave "The Royal Purple" and "Come Fill Your Glasses Up." The Glee Club sang the "Bells of St. Michael's Tower" and the Banjo Club played a selection entitled "College Life." The reception was concluded with "The Mountains".

The Conference Sessions

At the Friday morning meeting the duties of Association presidents were considered. Charles W. Gilkey led the discussion. At the session Friday afternoon Clayton S. Cooper, international secretary for bible study, introduced the discussion of bible study work. Friday evening's meeting was led by F. P. Turner, on the subject of Missions.

At Saturday morning's session the enlistment of freshmen was discussed, general secretary Pettit opening the discussion. In the afternoon no sessions were held. President Hopkins accompanied the delegates to the points of interest about the campus, and spoke briefly at the Haystack monument.

Addresses Saturday Evening

At the meeting in Jesup Hall Saturday evening, open to the college, F. Boyd Edwards 1900, Prof. L. H. Miller of Princeton and Mr. W. H. Tinker of Amherst gave addresses.

The first address was by Mr. Edwards. The greatest thing in the world is personality, and this we must develop. Are we willing to be nobodies in Christ's service? We must use our personality and take a stand. The only way to get this personality and power is through the contagion of Jesus Christ.

Prof. L. H. Miller spoke on the relation between the faculty and the Y. M. C. A. The ideal relationship between the two is of course harmony and co-operation—an ideal which does not exist. A faculty may be divided into four groups: the few who co-operate with the movement, the many who are passively favorable, the number who ignore the Y. M. C. A. and the few who are unfavorable toward it. To secure the help of certain of these men the association must enlist the best men in college and thus compel the regard of all.

Mr. W. H. Tinker gave a few suggestions to Y. M. C. A. presidents, advising them to master the history of their college association and of the whole movement. Remember that you are working for the future, and try chiefly to arouse interest.

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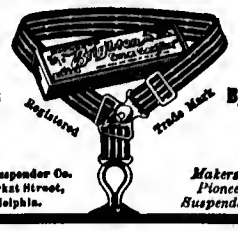
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In addition to the list published in the last number of the Record, the following delegates were present:

Albany Medical college; W. C. Porter.

Amherst college; C. H. White.

Bates college; Mr. Jackson.

Colgate university; G. H. Simmons.

Mt. Hermon Academy; Dixon Van Blarcom.

New York university; C. M. Keefer.

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute; H. C. Childs.

University of Vermont; C. F. Northrup.

John Hopkins university was not represented, and T. A. D. Jones, J. H. Twitchell and Frank Weinecker of Yale, and C. F. Chamberlain of New York university were not present.

The Haystack Centennial

The following men have been appointed to the committee in charge of the Haystack Centennial celebration to be held next October: Professors Hewitt, Mears, Milham and Wild. The committee met this morning to discuss plans. Prof. Mears was elected chairman. Four or five townspeople, members of the Congregational church, were present, and will probably be chosen as a second committee. There are prospects of a large meeting next fall. The centennial will probably be celebrated by the younger men, of whom Rev. Mr. Mott will be in charge.

For Relief of Japan

President Roosevelt has issued an appeal to the American people for the relief of the famine in northern Japan. At present Berkshire county has failed to respond, and Mrs. Henry Hopkins, a member of the Berkshire county division of the National Red Cross association, will receive and forward any contributions for the help of the suffering Japanese.

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The time for the final debate has not yet been definitely fixed, but will probably be ten days to two weeks after Easter Monday. The question will be slightly different in wording from that used in the trials.

Dr. Gerig at Columbia

Dr. John Lawrence Gerig, instructor in French, will join the teaching staff of Columbia university next fall as lecturer on the Romance languages and Celtic philology. He will spend the summer in southern France, where he will be engaged in editing, in company with M. Picot of the French Academy, the hitherto unpublished biographical (Latin) letters of Antoine Arlier, documents which throw much light upon important events of the earlier part of the sixteenth century. He expects to publish the book within a year.

Mr. Ray Leaves Saturday

Mr. John Arthur Ray, instructor in French, will sail Saturday on the "Philadelphia" of the American line for Paris, where he will spend the summer. He goes to sustain his thesis written a year ago and to take the final examinations for the degree of "Docteur de l'U. Paris".

Dean's Notice

—The Easter vacation commences at 12:30 p. m. on Wednesday, April 11, 1906, and extends, through Wednesday, April 18, 1906, all regular college exercises being resumed at 8:15 o'clock Thursday morning, April 19, 1906.

Attention is hereby called to the following extract from the Administrative Rules:

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The New England intercollegiate tennis tournament will be held at Longwood, May 28, 29 and 30.

The following alumni have been in town: R. C. Seaver, F. G Squires 1900, Chase, Herrick 1904, Thing 1905, Stewart and Welch ex-'07.

At a 1907 class meeting Saturday noon Townsend was elected class baseball manager. Domett has been chosen class baseball captain.

A letter was received last week by the basketball management from John R. Boyle, chairman of the registration committee of the A. A. U., stating that the Williams basketball team was suspended for playing the Washington Continentals at Schenectady on March 3.

On his return to Williamstown Friday evening, Dean Ferry was cheered and serenaded at his residence on Main street by a body of students. Dr. Ferry spoke briefly, thanking them for the welcome. The students then marched to Prof. Wild's residence on Southworth avenue, where cheers were given for the retiring dean.

Classical Association Formed

About 150 teachers of the classics in New England schools and colleges held a meeting at Springfield Friday and Saturday, at which the classical association of New England was formed. From Williams, Professors Hewitt, Howes, and Wild, and Assistant-Professors Clark and Wetmore were present.

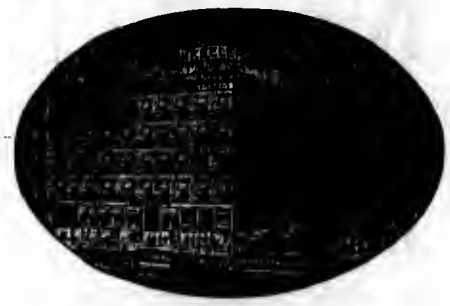
The following officers were elected: President, Prof. Charles D. Adams (Dartmouth); vice-president. Prof. Charles H. Forbes (Andover); secretary-treasurer, George E. Howes (Williams); members of the executive committee, the officers and Rev. Thomas E. Murphy (Holy Cross) and Miss Charlotte Gulliver (Norwich, Conn.) for two years, and Prof. Helen Searles (Mt. Holyoke) and James J. Robinson (Lakeville, Conn.) for one year.

This executive committee will meet again in Springfield in about a month to decide on the place for next year's conference and to take up the details of the work. Many teachers who could not attend the conference have applied for admission to the association, and it is expected that its final membership will number several hundred.

'71—George E. McLean, Ph. D., LL. D., president of Iowa State university, has accepted an invitation to speak as the representative of the colleges and universities of the west at the inauguration of President Houston, of the University of Texas, on April 17.

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FIRST BASEBALL GAME

With Union on Weston Field Saturday—The Line-up

Williams will meet Union at 2:30 p. m. Saturday on Weston Field, in the opening game of the season for both teams.

Dr. H. L. Towne '94, who is an English instructor at Union, has coached the latter's team this year. D. H. Osborne '05, who is in the Union Technical school, will probably take part in the game. Weston Field is quite dry, except near third base, and in the grass back of second. The line-up follows:

UNION; Hildreth ss, Rider 1b, capt., Hagar cf, Diver or Perry 3b, Burgin lf, Osborne or Baylies rf, Davis p, Harvey 2b, Vogt c.

WILLIAMS; Ford or Pierce p, Waters c, Harman or Gardner 1b, Wadsworth 2b, Young ss, Neild 3b, Hogan lf, Warren cf, Osterhout or Gardner rf.

ON THE DIAMOND

Even Break with Town Team—Yesterday's Game

In the game yesterday afternoon at Blackinton the baseball team made up for its defeat Saturday by defeating the Williamstown Athletics by a score of 15 to 7, in a loosely played and uninteresting contest. The 'varsity showed better form than hitherto and were charged with only five errors. They hit well, although many of the safe drives were fluky. The Athletics did not play anywhere near their game of Wednesday.

Williams scored first, Osterhout and Young crossing the plate on a double by Neild, and a little later Gardner and Neild came home on Waters' single. The Athletics tied the score in the third inning, but Harman's well-placed single with the bases full, and Wadsworth's two-base hit, placed the Purple three runs in the lead. The Athletics tied the score again in the fifth, but Waters scored on a single and errors by Keefe and Mears. Seven more runs were scored by the 'varsity.

Young at short-stop and Harman at first base played in good form, and Neild did well at both bat and field. Sears pitched well after the fifth. For the Athletics Prof. Lewis excelled at the bat.

Score by innings:

		R	H	E
Athletics	0 1 3 0 3 0 0 0 0—	7	11	11
Williams	4 0 3 0 1 6 1 0 x—	15	15	5

'Varsity Beaten Saturday

A team composed of faculty, alumni, ex-professionals, town talent and students defeated the 'varsity 7 to 6 on the Blackinton diamond in November weather Saturday wholly because of wretched work by the infield. Ford pitched the first five innings, and was in good form, but one hit being made off him. A tendency to wildness toward the close got him into bad holes twice. Pierce, who

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YALE SYSTEM CONTINUED

For Next Year's Football Coaching—Head Coach Not Yet Chosen

The Yale system of football coaching, begun under Morris Ely two years ago and continued by Mr. Ely and J. A. Hatch '03 last year, will be continued in 1906. Two plans have been under consideration for some time, one of a head coach with numerous assistants, the other, first proposed by L. L. Draper '00, of several coaches who should meet in New York before the football season began, determine upon the method of coaching, and divide up the coaching season in Williamstown between them. It has now been definitely decided to adopt the Yale system entire, except that last year's captain will not necessarily come back as next year's coach.

The coaching force for 1906 will, then, consist of a single head coach, with numerous other coaches from the alumni and others to assist him, that there may be always at least two coaches on the field. The head coach has not yet been definitely selected. Mr. Morris Ely, head coach for the last two years, will be unable to give any time to football coaching next fall owing to his law practice. The matter will be further discussed at the meeting of the athletic council called for April 28.

Northern N. Y. Alumni Gathering

The Williams alumni association of Northern New York held its annual smoker at the Troy Club, at Troy, N. Y., Thursday evening, April 12. A large number of alumni from Troy, Albany and vicinity attended. The president of the association, Justin Kellogg '65, was the presiding officer. The committee in charge consisted of the officers of the association and the executive committee, which was elected at the annual banquet held at Albany. The committee was as follows: President, Justin Kellogg '65 of Troy; vice-presidents, Hugh P. Blackinton ex-'87 of Hoosick Falls, and J. Warren Bott '85 of Albany; secretary, Frank C. Huyck ex-'96 of Albany; treasurer, W. S. Elder '90 of Troy; executive committee, Walter H. Cluett '93 of Troy, Fred E. Draper, Jr., '95 of Troy, Dr. Fred J. Cox '89 of Albany, Arthur P. Sayles '99 of Albany and Prof. Herbert L. Towne '94 of Schenectady.

Rev. Mr. J. H. Denison to Preach

Rev. John Hopkins Denison '90 will preach in the chapel Sunday morning and address the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall Sunday evening. Mr. Denison, the son of Rev. Dr. John H. Denison '62 of Williamstown, is pastor of the Central Congregational church, of Boston. He was for some time first assistant pastor of the Madison Square Presbyterian church, of New York city, under Dr. Parkhurst, and was later pastor of the Church of Sea and Land on the lower East side, in that city.

EASTER BASEBALL

Eleven Men at Training Table—Capt. Neild on Prospects

The work of the baseball squad has come along fast during vacation week. The weather has permitted morning practice on the old campus and the soft diamond at Blackinton has been used afternoons. Reports of the games played will be found in another column. Training table began a week ago, with the following, besides coach Dowd: Gardner, Hogan, Captain Neild 1906; Ford, Pierce, Warren 1907; Harman, Osterhout, Waters 1908; Wadsworth, Young 1909. In regard to the prospects of the season as a whole, and the work of the different candidates to date, Captain Neild says:

"The weather has kept the baseball squad in the cage later than usual this year but thanks to our new cage the squad has not felt the handicap as much as it would have done in previous years. The prospect for a good team is not as encouraging as it was last year at this time. However, the squad is working hard under the direction of Coach Dowd, and we are hoping for the best. We should have as good a fielding team as last year and if we can back up our pitchers by hitting we should win the majority of our games.

"For catcher the team is fortunate in having Waters to fill in the gap behind the bat left by the graduation of Captain McCarty. Southworth and Bates are the other catchers. Ford and Pierce are the leading candidates for pitchers with Sears and Williams as reserves. For first base Gardner and Harman are the candidates. The latter is the best fielder while Gardner appears to be the best hitter. For second base Wadsworth is the leading candidate, and at short stop Young is doing the best work. For the outfield Hogan and Warren of last year's team will probably play left and center field respectively with Osterhout as leading candidate for right."

Boston Alumni Smoker

The Williams alumni association of Boston will hold its last smoker of the season at the University club, 270 Beacon street, Boston, Saturday, April 21, at 7:30 p. m. An entertainment will be given by Mr. John Thomas, a well-known humorist, and others, following which a business meeting will be held to formulate plans for next season. All graduates and all present and former undergraduates and teachers of the college are invited. The charge for non-members is $1.75. The committee in charge consists of James R. Dunbar '71, Macgregor Jenkins '90, Irvin McD. Garfield '93, Olcott O. Partridge '94, Romney Spring '94, Edward A. Watson '97, James F. Bacon '98, Philip R. Dunbar 1900.

CALENDAR

FRIDAY, APRIL 20

8.00 p. m.—Annual smoker and dinner of New York alumni, Delmonico's.

SATURDAY, APRIL 21

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Union baseball game, Weston Field

7.30 p. m.—Boston alumni smoker, University Club, 270 Beacon street, Boston.

SUNDAY, APRIL 22

10.30 a. m.—College Chapel. Sermon by Rev. John H. Denison '90, of Boston.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Rev. Mr. Denison will speak.

TRIP OF MUSICAL CLUBS

Unusually Successful Concert at Englewood

The first of the two concerts given on the New York trip was held in the Berkeley Lyceum, 44th St., near Fifth avenue, Monday evening, April 16. The audience was very small owing to the fact that tickets were not put on sale at the box-office until late in the afternoon of the same day. The entertainment started at 8:45. The numbers were given smoothly, perhaps the best work being done by the banjo club. The solos by Pevear 1907 received much applause. The imitations and monologue by Pierce 1907 were funny and well appreciated.

The attendance at the second concert, held Tuesday evening at the Lyceum, Englewood, N. J. was large. The work of the clubs was far superior to that at New York Monday and compared very favorably with that of the Cornell and Yale clubs, which appear in Englewood every year. The concert was easily the best given by the clubs this year. The work of the reader, and of Gale '06 and Smith '07 in their swing and exchange banjo duet, received the most applause. About seventy-five alumni and students were on the stage at the singing of "The Mountains" at the close. The members of the clubs were entertained at the houses of alumni and and townspeople, and a dance was held in the Englewood armory after the concert. Van Baar's orchestra of New York furnished the music. The decorations in the armory were in yellow and white bunting with the 1905 basketball championship banner hung across the end of the hall.

Freshmen to Oppose Summer Ball

At a meeting of the freshman debating team held before vacation, it was decided that the wording of the question remain unchanged. The negative of the question was chosen; i. e., opposing summer baseball, and Ernst elected captain. The debaters will speak in the following order: Robb, Pike, Ernst.

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Announcement

Owing to the inability of the business manager to secure the necessary advertisements, it will be impossible to print an insert page during this spring. To secure the necessary additional space, the paper will be printed without leads, thus securing the equivalent of twenty-eight additional inches of news matter.

A Suggestion for History 8

The early history of the college is, we venture, practically unknown to the average undergraduate. Beyond the fact that Ephraim Williams founded the college and Mark Hopkins made it, he can recollect little except such occasional events as the haystack meeting and the story of Bryant and "Thanatopsis." Nor is this a slur on the undergraduate, for its cause is lack of opportunity rather than lack of interest. Information is hard to run down and poorly classified. Of the standard histories, the accurate one stops fifty years back, the more detailed one is too critical and too hard to get hold of for general use.

The few short articles that have appeared in the Lit. this year have merely whetted our appetite for more. The rebellion of 1808, the dark days when the college came near moving to Amherst, the story of the old Gym.—a multitude of subjects and episodes suggest themselves on which information should be more wide-spread. That even in recent years, such events as the story of Goodrich Hall and the origin of the March seventeenth celebration are generally unknown, shows that something is needed to keep our college history from oblivion.

The Record can scarcely ask for a chair of the "History of Williams College," or a new history of the college, although the latter, at any rate, is sorely needed. In these days when next year's new courses are being whipped into shape before announcement, however, we do suggest that no more popular course could be given than one on this topic. If every American should know his own country's history first, every college man should know his alma mater's history by the same reasoning. Perhaps such a "History 8" would be too popular, would not be hard enough to be "practical", but educational value does not depend alone on the difficulty of the subject taught. At any rate let us ask for at least a series of lectures on the subject, for something to shed light on this darkness where there should be no darkness.

COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

Editor of The Record:

Recently there came into my hands a copy of the constitution and by-laws of the Intercollegiate Athletic Association; and the reading of it has suggested this question: after all, what are the necessary and the proper qualifications for playing in intercollegiate games? Now, at the risk of being tried and banned because of dangerous heresy, and woeful defection from the cause of pure, amateur athletics, I am going to give to this question, what, in my opinion, is a sufficient answer, and I do so by saying:

1. A player in intercollegiate games should be a bona fide student in the college he represents. A bona fide student is a student who has presented satisfactory qualifications at his entrance into college, and who is maintaining satisfactory scholarship in college.

2. Players in intercollegiate games should be the best athletes in college; they should represent the best athletic ideals of the college.

3. Players in intercollegiate games should represent worthy ideals of gentlemanly and sportsmanlike conduct. They should always play a clean and manly game. They should prefer to lose a game to winning it by unfair means. And now comes the head and front of my heresy; I do *not* believe that any other qualifications whatsoever are necessary or expedient. I will not attempt at this time to justify this belief of mine; I will only say that it is a conclusion to which I have been led from rather intimate connection with college athletics during a period of more than twenty years. I have ventured to make this statement in the hope that it will provoke a more thoughtful and a more thorough discussion of this matter of college athletics.

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A NATURE NUMBER

Review of April Literary Monthly by Prof. Howes

Any one who attached himself to the Williams community for the first time last fall, whether as a student or as a member of the Faculty, received perhaps as one of his strongest impressions, during his first few days, the feeling that traditionally, at least, the "Mountains" formed one of the most potent factors in the education and development of the best that is in man. One of the first songs that he heard was "The Mountains." In the Y. M. C. A. reception he was welcomed by President Hopkins who told him that the best influences at Williams were the men and the mountains, and that he should cultivate both. Soon came "Mountain Day," and many availed themselves of the opportunity of becoming acquainted with Greylook.

Such an issue as the April number of the Monthly would hardly be possible, surely it would not be probable, except in a college with a beautiful outlook upon Nature. Evidently the "mountains" and the valleys and the brooks and the woods do awaken in us a feeling for the beautiful in Nature. Of the seven numbers in the Monthly four—two in prose and two in verse—are directly inspired by a love for the beauties in Nature, while a fifth is a most sympathetic appreciation of a poet of Nature.

The first of these sketches is entitled "The Phantom of the Glen Brook," by Shepard Ashman Morgan. The writer, we do not hesitate to say, has climbed the mountains and roamed the hills and penetrated the woods. His ideal of young womanhood, Margaret Hale, though she is "The Phantom of the Glen Brook", is only one figure in his broad view of Nature. Two sentences especially showed the writer's skill. We are cleverly introduced to *her* by the words: "Margaret Hale rode well." Again, as young Bruce sees her down the bridle path, after he has been wondering whether there might not be in the trees and mountains a wood maiden, a "quintessence of this green and blue creation", he refers to her, not by name, but more subtly by an earlier description, here repeated, "The more substantial part of the vision was clad in a garment which seemed to partake of the soft and unobtrusive shade which one finds on the under side of the hemlock bough."

I suppose the reviewer's duty is to discriminate. There seems a desire for antithesis in the expression, "balancing the relative merits of energetic contemplation and contemplative energy." As I said before, however, the sketch is a fine bit of description of Nature.

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The second "Nature Study" is "The Children of the Pool," by G. M. Objectively, the sketch is merely outlined; subjectively, it betrays the heart in sympathy with Nature in her quieter moods.

The other two tributes to Nature are in verse. "The Awakening," by W. A. G., is especially appropriate to the season. There seems to be a verse lacking in the second stanza. "Chiaroscuro," by Stanton Budington Leeds, is a dainty bit of verse, in which the skies above, rather than the lower aspects of Nature, have furnished the inspiration.

The literary criticism in the issue appears in "The Prophet of the Unfulfilled Hope," by Stanton Budington Leeds. One is not surprised to find the writer of the verse just referred to as the sympathetic critic or rather interpreter of a poet of Nature, Edward Rowland Sill. Our interpreter tells us, "Only a few are acquainted with the facts of his life and likewise in the great world of literature only a few know his work." As the present reviewer, in both these respects, would have to be counted, not among the "few" but among the many, it were idle to attempt to criticize. He may say, however, that the impression from the sketch is of a man of strong poetic feeling entering into the spirit of the poetry of another. We are glad to note, in the writer himself, both religious tolerance and optimism. Is there not, however, a little of dogmatism, out of harmony with his religious tolerance, in this sentence, "Among Sill's shorter verse 'The Fool's Prayer' is best known, but those who esteem it his best are mere *superficial* critics not acqueinted with his work as a whole, the whole that breathes of the man himself."(The itstics are the reviewer's). The best tribute to the worth of the sketch is, perhaps, the statement that the writer brings before us a poet who, we realize, was close to Nature in her various moods, and makes us eager to turn to his poems themselves.

The one real tale in the issue is "The Consummation," by William Richmond Witherell. This takes me back to my college days. I have just discovered Poe. I read one after another his subtle, weird tales, from The Gold Bug to The Murders in the Rue Morgue, The Mystery of Marie Roget, etc. I wonder if the present writer has not saturated himself with Poe. The story has a distinctly Poe flavor.

The story is well told, is really a psychological study. One could wish, however, the omission of the grotesque feature of the ghoulish banquet on the murdered man's heart. I query whether the probability of such a weird tale, which carries with it extreme improbability, is strengthened by the statement of the narrator, "I am resolved to make this an exact truthful narrative."

Another bit of poetry, subtler than the nature verses, is found in "Ways Forgot," by Bernard Westermann. This grows upon one stronger with each re-reading. It is the darkness groping for the light.

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pitched the last four innings, was hit hard, but none of the runs made off him were earned, the 'varsity making three errors in the seventh and two in the eighth and ninth. Mr. Lewis, who had taken kindly to Pierce's delivery in the other innings, struck out with one out and two on bases in the ninth.

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GREEK ATHLETICS

Discussed by the Classical Society—A Fifty-five Foot Jump

At the meeting of the Classical Society held in the Library Monday evening, April 9th, "Greek and Roman Athletics" were discussed. Neild '06 read a paper dealing with the place of bodily training in the social systems of the various Greek tribes and the different systems adopted by them. The principal "track events" of the Olympic games were described—running and jumping. A record of 55 feet in the broad jump has come down to us.

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It was voted to elect officers at the final meeting of the society, on May 8. The meeting for April 24, at which Greek music was to have been one of the topics for discussion, will probably be postponed until May 1st, that Mr. J. B. Lord 1905 can be present to assist.

'72—Rev. Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall has sailed for India, to be absent from Union Theological seminary until the spring of 1907. He has been appointed for a second term of service as Barrows lecturer from the University of Chicago to India and the far East.

'81—Bliss Perry, recently elected professor of English literature at Harvard, will be Commencement orator at the Emma Willard seminary Commencement exercises in Troy on June 6.

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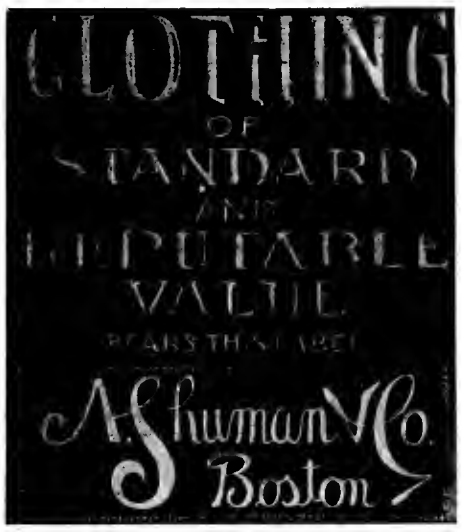
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WILLARD ANSLEY GIBSON

board on Monday evening, April 9. Gibson prepared for college at the Salamanca high school. He is a member of the Literary Monthly board, and the Sophomore prom. sub-committee.

Specimens from the Bad Lands

The recent arrival of several new specimens which have undergone restoration at the American Museum of Natural History, has completed that portion of the geological collection which consists of fossils from the Bad Lands, of South Dakota. These were procured several years ago by Prof. Cleland and, with the exception of the skull of the Mososaur described a short time ago, formed the Wells collection.

Most prominent among them is the complete skull and jaws of a Titanotherium, a huge herbivorous animal resembling a rhinoceros, nearly as large as an elephant, with a saddle-shaped horned skull. The brain cavity is very small, denoting a low order of intelligence. A set of casts shows the animal as it existed in life, and illustrates clearly the development of the horns. The college now possesses an almost complete skeleton of this monster.

Another specimen is the skull of a Caenopus, an early species of rhinoceros. This species flourished in North America several million years ago, but finally became extinct probably owing to the increase of cold. Besides these the skulls of the Elotherium, a hog-like creature, the Oreodon, a connecting link between the deer and the hog, and ancestors of the giraffe and hog have been secured.

'95—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. William Reed of Verona N. J., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ruth Dexter Reed, to Walter Horton Main, of the editorial staff of the Troy Daily Press, of Troy, N. Y. Miss Reed is the granddaughter of Edward North, for half a century professor of Greek at Hamilton College.

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The class of 1886, which will celebrate the twentieth anniversary of its graduation at Williamstown this June, is making extensive plans for the reunion. Of the fifty-two graduated from Williams twenty years ago this June, forty-eight are now alive, and it is expected that thirty-eight of these will be present at the reunion.

The plans for the reunion are in the hands of a committee of five, composed of Edgar C. Leonard of Albany, John B. Carse of New York city, Rev. C. B. F. Pease of Plantsville, Conn., Theodore M. Taft of New York city, Judge Sanborn G. Tenney of Williamstown, and D. Chauncey Brewer of Boston. The committee has engaged for class headquarters the old Walters house, next to the Alpha Delta Phi house at 106 Main street. The reunion banquet will be held at the Greylock hotel Tuesday evening, June 26. The men of '86 will make themselves known by means of some distinctive headgear bearing their numerals.

The twenty year class, graduating fifty-two strong, has lost four men by deaths, Edward L. Dixon, Walter D. Mapes, John Person and William H. Smith. The forty-eight members are distributed in twelve states of the Union, and in France. The class contains more lawyers than members of any other profession, there being twelve, including the class secretary, George W. Anderson, a Boston school commissioner; D. Chauncey Brewer, to whose efforts is due the present system of a resident general Y. M. C. A. secretary, and Judge Tenney of Williamstown. There are nine ministers and eight teachers in the class, including Dean Appleby of the Minnesota School of Mines, Paul C. Ransom, headmaster of the Florida and Adirondack school, and William M. Marvin, principal of the Portland, Me., High school. There are seven manufacturers, including Josiah M. Lasell, one of the donors of Lasell Gymnasium, four doctors and eight in miscellaneous lines of work.

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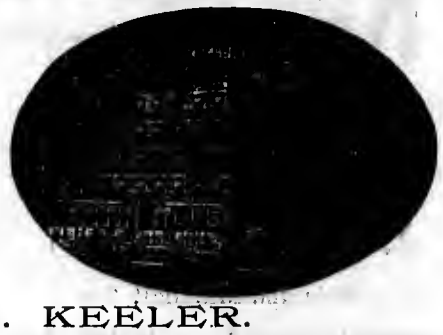
President Hopkins preached in the Lee Congregational Church on Easter Sunday.

The old board track on the old campus has been taken up and sold. A new track will be built next winter with more rounded corners. The matter will come up before the athletic council for consideration at their meeting called for April 28.

There is strong probability of a baseball game with Manhattan on Weston Field on Saturday, April 28, the first open date. Manhattan plays Yale Thursday; and, if they can schedule another game for Friday, will play in Williamstown Saturday.

The basketball management has received a letter from the collegiate basketball rules committee requesting the opinion of Williams upon their rules for this year. The more important rules on which criticism is requested are dribbling and allowing the player first touching ball out of bounds to retain possession of it.

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For Victims of California Disaster —$334.50 Contributed

At the first collection ever taken in the Thompson Memorial chapel, made at vesper service yesterday for the benefit of the victims of the San Francisco disaster $334.50 was contributed by the students and faculty present in cash and pledges. Further subscriptions made to Curtiss '06, to President Hopkins, or to Mr. A. E. Evans, at the Williamstown National bank, by those who were absent or were not then able to give what they felt like contributing, if given before tomorrow night, can be sent at once to San Francisco.

Similar collections were taken in all the town churches yesterday. The money contributed will be sent through Mr. Evans Tuesday to Governor Curtis Guild, Jr., who will turn it over to Kidder, Peabody and Co., the treasurers of the fund, by whom it will be shipped at once to California. It is urged that all college subscriptions be given to Curtiss '06 or to President Hopkins that the exact mount can be determined separately from the amount sent by the town.

Statues from Mrs. Thompson

President Hopkins is in receipt of a letter from Mr. Edward Robinson, assistant director of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, stating that three statues have been sent to the college as a gift of Mrs. Frederick F. Thompson. The statues, from the Giustiniani collection, are of Mercury, of Septimus Severus and of a warrior. A fourth, damaged in packing, is being repaired and will be sent as soon as possible. A large part of the Giustinani collection was given to the Metropolitan museum by Mrs. Thompson. The statues will not be unpacked until Prof. Rice returns from Europe. The statues are genuine specimens of ancient art, but not for the classic period. The place of the statues is as yet wholly undecided.

Springfield T. S. Wednesday

Williams will meet the Springfield Y. M. C. A. Training School in the second baseball game of the season at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, on Weston Field. Every team which has played against the Training school nine has scored over ten runs. Purinton, catcher of the Springfield nine, is a former Bates college captain. The batting-orders of both teams follow:

WILLIAMS: Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Hogan lf, Osterhout rf, Waters c, Harman 1b, Pierce p.

SPRINGFIELD T. S: Honhart ss, Cobb rf. Purinton c, Gray 3b, Wright cf, Hawkes 2b, Prettyman 1b, Bookland lf, Lawson or Shean p.

A GOOD BEGINNING

Williams Shuts Out Union in First Game of Season Saturday

In the opening game of the season Williams shut out Union Saturday afternoon by the comfortable score of 8 to 0. The game was notably free from misplays, only two errors being charged to the Purple and three to the visitors. The game was won in the first inning when Williams scored seven runs and made five out of its eight hits. After the fourth inning the interest flagged, for no further runs were made and only one safe hit was sent from the bat.

Prof. Russell threw the first ball across the plate and Ford promptly retired the batter on strikes. In Williams' half the first three men bunted safely. A passed ball, a gift, a wild throw by the shortstop, and hits by Ford and Warren produced seven tallies. Williams' last run came in the fourth on a hard drive by Osterbont, after Neild and Hogan had drawn bases on balls.

Williams fielded snappily, a stop of a hard grounder by Wadsworth featuring, although Union's tendency to hit into the air made chances easy. Ford was very wild, but did good work in pulling himself out of tight holes in the third and fourth. The work on the bases was not so good as the score would indicate, as Union's catcher was unable to prevent base-stealing. The Union team showed little baseball ability, except in the box and at second base. D. H. Osborne '05 entered the game in the sixth inning, but had no chance to distinguish himself.

The summary:

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth, 2b	5	1	2	3	2	1
Warren, cf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Young, ss	4	1	1	1	1	0
Neild, 3b	2	2	0	2	0	0
Hogan, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Osterhout, rf	4	1	1	0	0	1
Waters, c	2	1	0	8	1	0
Harman, 1b	3	0	0	9	0	0
Ford, p	4	1	1	1	3	0
Totals	32	8	8	27	7	3

UNION

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hildreth, ss	3	0	1	2	1	2
Rider, 1b	4	0	1	11	0	0
Hagar, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Davis, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Harvey, 2b	0	0	0	1	4	0
Bargen, lf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Vogt, c	3	0	0	6	1	0
Vanderbosch, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Perry, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Osborne, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	0	3	24	9	2

Williams	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	x	—8
Union	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Stolen bases—Wadsworth 2, Hogan, Osterhout, Waters. Sacrifice hits—Harman, Harvey 2. Bases on balls—Off Ford 5, off Davis 5. Hit by pitched ball—Hagar. Struck out—By Ford 7, by Davis 6. Passed balls—Waters, Vogt 2. Double play—Ford and Harman. Umpire—Keefe. Time—1 hr. 34 min.

OUR KNOWLEDGE OF GOD

Powerful Address Before Y.M.C.A. by Rev. J. H. Denison '90

Rev. John Hopkins Denison '90, pastor of the Central Congregational church, of Boston, spoke before the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall last evening on "Our Knowledge of God." The address was unusually powerful and carried conviction by its earnestness.

He said that most people who professed themselves Christians had a very hazy idea of what God was like. One man expressed his conception by saying that he thought of God as "an oblong blur." This is the trouble with present-day Christianity. Unless a man has a deep conviction of what God means to him, he has not faith, and can accomplish nothing. Most of us are polytheists, in that we conceive our ideas of God from several totally different aspects. Four of these different connections are clearly marked in modern thought.

The first is the God of Power, the Great Unknown the hem of Whose robe is sometimes touched by the questioning fingers of the scientist. Each day, almost, discloses some new mystery, which leads us to wonder at the infinite Power that moves the world. Another idea is the God of Beauty, the God of poetry and art. The glories of the sunset, the majesty of the mountains and the limitless power of the sea have always moved mankind to feelings of reverence and awe, which stir vague longings to know of the Father who keeps His children in this wonderful world.

We have our beliefs also in the God of Righteousness. A man's ideal of conduct is really his God, whether the ideal be high or low. Lastly there is the God of Religion. This to many is the "oblong blur". Many people go through the forms of worship, and subscribe to a creed, who do not know what they worship, and whose religious life is not sincere. Their attitude is that of a boy to a rich uncle whose whims and crotchets must be humored, in order to obtain favors.

But before we can have faith, we must combine these four conceptions of a God of power, of beauty, of righteousness, and of religion, into one Vision which shall embrace them all, such as the vision of Isaiah. The only way to thus attain the sense of the reality of the Universal God, which realization alone is faith, is to see the vision through the eyes of Jesus Christ, who saw clearly, while we unaided, can only grope.

Training School Scores

Sp'gfield T. S. 1 Holy Cross 23
Sp'gfield T. S. 3 Wesleyan 11
Sp'gfield T. S. 10 Sp'gfield H. S. 17

At a meeting of the freshman class held in Jesup Hall this afternoon H. M. Greene was elected class baseball captain.

CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25

2.30 p. m.—Williams - Springfield Training School baseball, Weston Field.

8.00 p. m.—Cap and Bells presents "The Man from Mexico," Williamstown Opera House.

BUILDING OPERATIONS

Walls of Berkshire Hall Up By June —Contractor Smedley in Town

With the present force of 48 men at work and a continuance of favorable weather, it is expected that Berkshire Hall will be ready for roofing by the end of May. Although the girders are in place, the floors will not be laid until the walls are up. The building will not be painted to correspond with East and South, but will be left in the natural dark red of the brick, with white marble facings around the four sides just beneath the first-floor windows and below the eaves of the roof. All of the windows are to be trimmed with white marble, those on the west side second floor living large marble arches over them. The facing of the roof parapet will be terra-cotta with inlaid festoon panels. Each of the Western entrances will have marble porticos, flanked by two marble columns, and there will be a marble entrance on the north end. A retaining wall and terrace are to be built north of the building, and The Hermitage, now used a as a chart house, will be torn down after the dormitory is finished.

The dormitory will be strictly fire-proof. It will be divided into three entirely separate divisions by brick fire-walls. The flooring will be composed of two alternate layers of concrete and wood, the stairways will be of iron frame-work, with black slate treads, and the roof will be concrete with a tar and gravel covering. The outer bricks are of a very hard variety best adapted to resisting fire. The steam-fitting will be done by Cleghorn & Co., the plumbing by Wells & Newton, and the plaster-work by McIntosh —all Boston firms. It is confidently expected that Berkshire Hall will be completed by August 15 and ready for occupancy next Fall.

With the return of Mr. Smedley, who has been at Pinehurst, N. C., recovering from an attack of typhoid fever, work on South college and the swimming tank has been resumed. It is expected that the middle of next week will see the South college extension built to the first floor. Specifications have been sent out for the concrete work and tiling, and until these contracts have been sub-let it will be impossible to give an iden of the time when the pool will be completed.

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The Spirit of Sympathy

Those of the college body who contributed over three hundred dollars in a few minutes to aid those injured in the San Francisco disaster made a notable expression of their feeling for their suffering fellow-men. College men suffer in the eyes of the world because the world believes them to hold a bit aloof from other mortals. In no more fitting way could Williams men go to prove in this great crisis that they are members of "The Greater Fraternity", that they can show a nobler spirit than "college spirit", than by the action of yesterday. There still remains an opportunity for those unable to be present at yesterday's vesper service to give some expression to the sympathy which must be in their hearts if they are members of this greater brotherhood. The fund should be raised to as large an amount as possible before tomorrow night.

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The 1905-1906 Lit.

With the current number the 1905-1906 Lit. editors turn over the monthly to a new board. Now that the balance can be struck, we can see that the past year has been one of progress. The Lit., while losing none of its old-time dignity, has kept itself interesting to the college, and made itself a Williams publication in something more than name by keeping local color in its articles. For some it has been made more readable by publication of stories which, if not so deep, or of such great literary value as more studied efforts, charm by light handling of plot. We mention "In the Parlor Car" and "The Secretary and the Gunboat" as the best examples of this type. As a whole, however, the short stories have lacked originality, and the more thoughtful shown a surprising turn toward the pessimistic. Perhaps the best developed was "The Man in the Gallery."

Each board must be superior in something. Two years ago the thoughtful philosophical essay was predominant, this year it has been rare. We trust that the new board will be able to remedy this scarcity, while continuing the intelligent literary criticism of 1905-6. The successful allegory was a notable effort for an undergraduate publication.

The Monthly's verse has been its leading feature. Its range has been unusual, from the many melodious descriptive poems of nature to the more ambitious narrative and philosophical verse, and its quality uniformly high. Perhaps the best of the year was the dramatic poem "Until He Cometh." To choose the best of the poems of nature would be difficult. Sanctum, in interpreting the literary and scholastic side of college life, has broadened the field of the Lit. Its stand has been bold, its treatment of difficult topics, in reminding us of college ideals from which we may be falling away, unconventional and eminently sane.

The work of publishing the monthly is not, we trust, so unappreciated as it appears on the surface. Sanctum's "easy chair" is an editorial fiction, especially when there are but two helpers instead of the usual six. Sanctum does not do his work out doors, we cannot enter his den and see the busy hours he employs in pruning and remodeling contributions — and Sanctum would not want us there if we could— but it is to these hours that the excellence of the form of the literary matter the past year is due. Inspiration may be a will-o'-the-wisp, but good literary expression grows only by careful tending. No artist can bring out the inspiration in him without technique, and in technique the Lit. has come very close to its ideal goal in the year just past.

COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

Editor of the Record:

In connection with the deliberations of the collegiate basketball rules committee concerning the rules for next year, for which Williams has been asked to offer suggestions, the following proposals have occurred to me as the simplest means of doing away with the evils which have grown up in the playing of the game.

1. No player shall attempt to take possession of the ball while it

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2. Guarding shall consist solely in intercepting the passage of the ball from the player who is being guarded to some other player.

3. In guarding, no player shall use any part of his person to interfere with the free movement of the player he is guarding or to move this player out of his position.

4. The player who is being guarded must pass the ball before the official shall have counted three, otherwise the ball shall go into the possession of the player who is guarding him.

I suggest the following advantages from the adoption of these proposed regulations:

1. They will eliminate practically every occasion for rough and illegitimate playing.

2. They will greatly reduce the number of fouls during the game.

3. They will materially increase the speed of the game.

4. They will greatly facilitate a satisfactory direction of the game by the officials.

5. They will do much to make basketball the sort of game it was designed to be; a game in which quickness in judgment and action, accuracy in throwing the ball, and team work are to be the essential factors; rather than weight, brute strength, and ability to sustain hard physical shocks and strains, which are the most important factors in the game as it is now played.

JOHN E. RUSSELL.

A. MITCHELL '07 IN FINALS

In Golf Tournament at Lakewood —L. Mitchell '07 Qualifies

A. L. White of Harvard, the 1904 intercollegiate champion, defeated Ardo W. Mitchell '07 in the final round of the open golf tournament held at Lakewood, N. J., Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the first big tournament of the year in the north. There were 82 golfers in the tournament, including Pierre A. Proal of Seabright. W. T. West of Princeton, a semi-finalist in the 1904 national amateur championship, Fred Herreshoff of Yale, a runner-up in the national championship: Howard J. Gee of Princeton and others.

In the qualifying round A. Mitchell was second with 162. L. Mitchell '07 fifth with 166. L. Mitchell was beaten in the first round by D. C. Clark, Jr., of Princeton. 1 up. 21 holes. A. Mitchell played good golf in the preliminary rounds, winning his way to the finals by defeating C. L. Tappin of Garden City. In the final round Mitchell drove poorly, but outplayed White at the short game. With the match all square and four holes to play, Mitchell went off his game, and White won 3 up and 1 to go. The cards follow:

White:	Out—6 4 6 5 4 4 6 5 6—46	
	In—3 4 4 5 5 4 5 5 x—35	
Mitchell:	Out—4 4 6 5 4 5 5 6 6—45	
	In—5 4 5 4 4 5 6 6 x—39	

On account of the absence of one of the members of the freshman debating team, the date of the interclass debate has not yet been fixed. The sophomore debaters will speak in the following order: Johnson, Fowle, McIntyre. The latter has been elected captain.

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Program of Events for Graduation Week Announced

The program of events for Commencement week in June is now completed with the exception of the time of the dedication of the Gargoyle Gate. No exercises will be held in connection with Berkshire Hall.

The one hundred and twelfth Commencement of the college will take place on Wednesday, June 27. Examinations end June 20. The alumni meeting, held for forty years in the old chapel, will be held for the first time in Jesup Hall. The alumni baseball game, usually played on the Monday preceding Commencement, conflicts with a 'varsity game at Amherst on that day, and will be played on the afternoon of Commencement day. The dedication of the Gargoyle Gate was postponed from last year on account of rain. The principal events are as follows:—

SATURDAY, JUNE 23. Afternoon: Amherst-Williams baseball game, Weston Field. Evening: Graves Prize speaking contest. Congregational church.

SUNDAY, JUNE 24. Morning: Baccalaureate sermon by President Hopkins. Afternoon: Open air prayer-meeting, Mission Park.

MONDAY, JUNE 25. Annual June meeting of Board of Trustees. Afternoon: Williams-Amherst baseball game, Pratt Field, Amherst. Evening: "Moonlights" Rhetorical exhibition, Congregational church: Musical clubs concert, Library campus.

TUESDAY, JUNE 26. Class day. Morning: Annual meeting of the Williams College Alumni Association, in Jesup Hall, presided over by Charles T. Barney '70. Afternoon: Alumni class reunions: 1906 class day exercises: Williams-Wesleyan baseball game, Middletown. Evening: Reunion banquets of classes of 1856, 1866, 1871, 1876, 1881, 1886, 1891, 1896, 1901, and 1904, in Pittsfield, Williamstown and North Adams: Senior prom., in Lasell Gymnasium.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27. Commencement Day. Morning: Annual Phi Beta Kappa meeting: Commencement exercises, Congregational church Noon: Alumni banquet, Lasell Gymnasium. Afternoon: Alumni baseball game, Weston Field.

THURSDAY, JUNE 28. Evening: Banquet of class of 1906, Greylock Hotel.

Interclass Baseball Schedule

The baseball schedule for the class games has been drawn up, as follows. The games will be played on the old campus, which will be put in its usual shape for the first game.

Wed.,	April 25,	1906-1907
Sat.,	April 28,	1908-1909
Wed.,	May 2,	1907-1909
Wed.,	May 9,	1906-1908
Sat.,	May 12,	1906-1909
Wed.,	May 16,	1907-1908
Sat.,	May 19,	1906-1908
Wed.,	May 23,	1907-1909
Thurs.,	May 24,	1906-1907
Sat.,	June 2,	1907-1908
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The committee has sent out blanks to men of every grade of scholarship in every course in college. The results will be very carefully tabulated and will show the average amount of work put by an "A man" upon a course, by a "B man", and so on. An exhaustive report of the findings of the committee will be made to the president.

Smith '02 Asst. Editor Atlantic

During the absence of Bliss Perry '81, editor of the Atlantic Monthly, the present assistant editor will take up his work. Harry J. Smith '02, who has been on the Atlantic's staff for several months, will temporarily assume the duties of assistant editor. Mr. Perry has obtained leave of absence for six months, and will sail on July 4 for an extensive European tour.

Boston Alumni Smoker

The closing meeting of the year of the Boston alumni was held at the University club, 270 Beacon street, Boston, Saturday. The program was as announced in the last issue of The Record. The attendance was small. After the smoker a short business meeting was held at which plans for next year were discussed.

Theatre Attractions

Richmond Theatre—Vaudeville all the week, except Thursday.

Empire Theatre—Tuesday, "The Isle of Spice"; Thursday, "The Beauty Doctor"; Friday, Mildred Holland in "The Power Behind the Throne"; Saturday afternoon and evening, Neil Burgess in "The County Fair".

Eddie Foy has been booked for May 5 at the Richmond in "The Earl and the Girl".

Ex-'00—The engagement is announced of Miss Ethel Wight of Adams and Charles Newton Prouty, Jr., of Spencer, a former member of the class of 1900.

1902—Miss Harriet Zelda Dyson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dyson, of Westfield, Mass., will be married to Joseph Buell Ely, of Westfield, in the Second Congregational church of that town on Tuesday evening, May 1. Mr. Ely is a graduate of Harvard Law school, and is now practicing law with Lewis C. Parker 1902 at 307 Main street, Springfield.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Bassett has been elected captain of the senior baseball team.

The seniors wore caps and gowns yesterday for the first time.

Matthews '07 has been taken on the chapel choir.

Mr. Robert E. Speer will be unable to preach here on June 17.

Ex-president Carter will preach in the college chapel on Sunday, June 3.

A grand piano has been presened by Mrs. Thompson for use in the choir room of the chapel.

Tomorrow evening's meeting of the Classical society has been postponed till the evening of Tuesday, May 1.

The following alumni have been in town: Spring '94, Hopkins '03, Hun '04, Eldred, A. P. Newell, Osborne, Shedden 1905, Wells ex- '07. Newman ex- '08.

Harry T. Watson 1905 left town tonight for Clinton, N. Y., where he will coach the baseball and track teams of Hamilton college until the end of the season in June.

Cap and Bells will present "The Man from Mexico" in the Opera House on Wednesday, April 25, for the benefit of the Good Will Club of Williamstown.

William Bennett Munro, formerly instructor in political economy in this college, has been appointed assistant professor in government at Harvard for five years.

Asst.-Prof. Howard gave an illustrated lecture on tuberculosis in connection with the tubercular exhibit at the Columbia opera house in North Adams, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings.

The N. E. I. A. A. track meet will be held on Worcester Oval May 18 and 19. The place of the meet was not settled until the involved financial dispute resulting from poor local management at Worcester last year was adjusted.

O. R. Lovejoy, of New York, of the National Child Labor Commission, will be unable to address the Good Government Club. Only one more address will be given before the club this year, probably by Herbert B. Clark '03, of North Adams. A meeting of the club will be held soon for the purpose of electing officers for next year.

At the ordination on Thursday of G. M. Bryant as pastor of the Church of Christ, the famous church in White Oaks founded and so long maintained by Prof. Albert Hopkins '27, President Hopkins was moderator, and among those present were Dr. Bascom, Prof. Wild and Rev. W. R. Stocking ex-'69.

Taxation Trip Before Legislature

After a long struggle the Massachusetts legislature committee on taxation secured on Thursday by a vote of 9 to 7 its order to travel to the state college towns, including Williamstown, to investigate local conditions. This was considered the first sign of victory for the supporters of the Feiker bill, at present in the hands of that committee. On Saturday, however, house chairman Davenport brought it about that the order was laid on the table until today. There is much friction between the house leaders and the committee in charge of the bill.

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'57—General Merritt Andrews Barber, LL. D., a retired army officer, died at his home, 1464 Broadway, Watervliet, N. Y., Thursday, at the age of 69 years. He was born at Pownal, Vt., July 31, 1836, the son of Benjamin Barber. After graduation, he studied law at the Ohio State Law college, graduating in 1859, and practiced law at Pownal. Entering the Civil war as a private, he became lieutenant of the 10th Vermont regiment. In 1864 he was commissioned captain and assistant adjutant general, U. S. A. He participated in the Antietam, Gettysburg, and Wilderness campaigns, Sherman's Shenandoah campaign, was wounded at Fisher's Hill, and was at the storming of Petersburg, Lee's surrender and Johnston's surrender. At the close of the war he was mustered out of service, and later was brevetted captain U. S. V. for bravery at the Wilderness and Major of U. S. V. Entering the regular service, he became assistant adjutant general and lieutenant colonel. In the war with Spain, he was assistant adjutant general, and finally adjutant general under General Otis in the Philippines. In 1901 Williams conferred upon him the degree of LL. D. He is survived by a cousin, Hon. Daniel J. Barber '59 of North Adams.

The Moonlights

The Sophomore and Junior orations for the Moonlight contest will be due April 30. Ten speakers are appointed equally from the Junior and Sophomore classes who deliver original orations on the evening before Commencement in competition for five prizes. The prizes are appropriated from the income of a fund given by Elizur Smith, Esq., of Lee, Mass.

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Important Meeting Sat'day—Freshman Eligibility Unquestioned

An important meeting of the Athletic Council will be held Saturday evening at 7:30 in Jesup Hall. Besides the eight members of the council in Williamstown, Irvin M. Garfield '92, of Boston, will be present, as well as, from New York, President Henry W. Banks '85 and James A. Hatch 03, last year's assistant football coach, representing the Alumni Athletic Association. F. E. Draper, Jr., '95, of Troy, will probably be unable to attend.

The first important matter to be taken up at the meeting will be the question of joining the Intercollegiate Athletic Association of the United States, formed as a result of the National Intercollegiate Football Conference held in New York Dec. 28 of last year. The question of football coaching for next year will be considered and the basketball and track insignia voted on. The usual number of appropriations will be voted, ordinary and extraordinary, and in this connection decision will be made as to a new board track, if time remains. It is given out that probably the question of freshmen in athletics will not be considered, as nothing very definite on this matter has been heard from any colleges but Amherst and Brown.

ON NEW YORK STAGE

Cap and Bells at Carnegie Lyceum To-morrow

Cap and Bells will give its New York city performance of "The Man from Mexico" tomorrow evening, at the Carnegie Lyceum, 57th St. and Seventh Avenue, at 8:15 o'clock. Efforts have been made by the management to make this show the best staged and best attended of the year, and a large number of alumni have signified their intention of being present. The best reserved seats are $1.50.

S. R. Pevear 1907 will sing during the intermissions and the Lyceum orchestra, under the direction of James C. Bradford, will give the following program:

Overture—Hungarian Lustspiel Kelar Bela
Intermezzo—"Naila" Delibes
Selections—"Mlle. Modiste" Herbert
Characteristic—"Whispering Flowers" F. V. Blon
Ballet Music—"Faust" Gounod
"March Hongroise" Berlolz

Money for San Francisco

The student subscriptions for the aid of the California disaster victims have aggregated to date $344 in cash and $13 in pledges. The total amount contributed by the town and students has reached the sum of $711.13. The money was forwarded this morning to the Boston headquarters of the Massachusetts Association for the relief of California, by whom it will be sent to San Francisco.

FARCICAL CONTEST

Springfield Training School Gives Nine Poor Practice

In a seven-inning game that was only interesting in the number of tallies by the home team, Williams defeated the Springfield Training School on Weston Field yesterday afternoon by the score of 20 to 1. Williams solved the delivery of the Springfield pitchers to the amount of fifteen hits, the visitors being compelled to use three different men in the box. The large score was due in part to the nine errors charged to the visitors, and the sins of omission that turned many of Williams' slow grounders and short flies into hits.

In Williams' half of the first inning, a bunt, a short liner, a base line grounder, a gift, and a hard drive to center-field, intermingled with errors, gave four runs. Springfield made its first hit in the third but the batter was retired by Wadsworth after a sensational catch, while trying to steal second. The visitors secured their only run in the fourth inning when Purinton came in on Hawkes' single and an error.

Williams played fast ball in the field, and in the fourth a fine running catch of a hard drive by Osterhout saved runs. Pierce's delivery was effective, allowing but four hits and one walk to first. The visitors' pitchers were wild, and lacked speed; Gray at third did their best work.

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	5	2	3	3	0	0
Warren cf,	4	3	2	2	1	0
Young ss,	5	3	1	2	2	0
Neild 3b,	6	2	2	1	0	0
Hogan lf,	4	2	1	0	0	0
Osterhout rf,	3	3	2	1	0	0
Osborne rf,	1	0	0	0	0	0
Waters c,	4	1	2	6	1	1
Harman 1b,	2	2	1	4	0	1
Gardner 1b,	1	0	0	2	0	0
Pierce p,	3	2	1	0	2	1
Totals	38	20	15	21	6	3

SPRINGFIELD T. S.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Purinton c, lf,	3	1	0	1	0	0
Cobb rf, lf,	3	0	0	1	0	0
Hawkes 2b,	3	0	1	3	1	0
Gray 3b,	2	0	0	5	3	1
Wright cf,	3	0	0	1	0	0
Honhart ss,	3	0	0	1	2	3
Prettyman 1b,	3	0	1	5	1	3
Jones c, rf,	3	0	1	2	1	0
Lawson p,	2	0	1	1	3	1
Shean p,	1	0	0	0	0	1
Goodwin p,	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	25	1	4	20*	11	9

Williams 4 0 2 5 0 0 3—20
Springfield T. S. 0 0 0 1 0 0 0— 1

Two-base hits—Warren 2. Stolen bases—Neild 3, Wadsworth 2, Hogan 2, Osterhout 3, Waters, Harman, Pierce. Bases on balls—Off Pierce 1, off Goodwin 4, off Lawson 3, off Shean 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Pierce, Gray; by Lawson, Pierce; by Goodwin, Waters, Harman. Struck out—By Pierce 5, by Goodwin 1. Passed balls—Jones 2, Purinton. Time—1 hr. 50 min. Umpire—Keefe. *Osterhout out on Wadsworth's interference.

WORK OF TRACK TEAM

Over Fifty Candidates Out—Trial Meet on Saturday

The track squad has been at work daily since the Easter recess on Weston Field. The track is in good condition for so early in the season, except for the 220-yard straightaway, which is still soft at the upper end. Much work will be necessary to put this in condition for the Wesleyan meet. On Saturday a trial meet will be held to determine what men shall be entered in the dual meets with Wesleyan and M. I. T. on the two following Saturdays. It is probable that the first three men in each event will be entered in the Wesleyan meet. Of last year's Worcester point winners, Griswold and Marshall alone remain, while Ayers'06, A. Brown, M. Brown, Hurlbut '07, B. P. Allen, Clark and LaMent '08 of last year's team are out again. Of the men not on last year's team the best work being at present is being done by Cowperthwait in the 100, by Blaisdell in the discus, by Allen in the two-mile and by Horrax. The work of the high jumpers has been consistent.

Prospects can be better determined after the trial meet than before it. The list of candidates and the events in which they are competing, follows:

100 and 220-yd dashes: Cowperthwait, Holroyd 1906; Hill, McGown, 1907; Clark, Watters 1908; Green, Gutterson, Woodfin, 1909.

440-yd. dash: Osterhout 1906; Andrews, Hurlbut, Wells, 1907, Johnston, Keith, 1909.

880-yd. run: Egleston 1906; Chapman, Conover, Keith, Stocking, 1907; D. S. Johnson 1908; Holmes, Hopkins, Wilcox, 1909.

One-mile run: Ayers 1906; Lesser 1907; B. P. Allen, Deyo, Goodbody, Leeds 1908; Palmer 1909.

Two-mile run: Davis 1906; A. J. Allen, Hompe, Wilder 1907; Bullard 1908; Bonner, Fisher 1909.

120-yd. hurdles: Griswold 1906; A. Brown, Lapham 1907; Horrax 1909.

220-yd. hurdles: Griswold 1906; A. Brown, Lapham 1907; Mayer 1909.

High jump: A. Brown, M. Brown 1907; Atwater, Horrax, Matz, Swain 1909.

Broad jump: Griswold 1906; A. Brown 1907; Horrax, Jenkins 1909.

Pole vault, A. Brown 1907; L. Fowle 1908; Horrax 1909.

Weights: Blaisdell 1906; Bowker, LaMent, Marshall 1908; C. Brown, Swain 1909.

Training table will begin Saturday.

Roberts 1908 Gul. Manager

At a meeting of the 1908 Gul. board Tuesday noon V. G. Roberts was elected business manager of the Gul.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, APRIL 26

7.30 p. m.—1906 class meeting, J. H.

FRIDAY, APRIL 27

8.00 p. m.—Cap and Bells presents "The Man from Mexico," Carnegie Lyceum, 57th Street and Seventh Avenue, New York city.

SATURDAY, APRIL 28

1.30 p. m.—1908-1909 baseball game, old campus.

SUNDAY, APRIL 29

10.30 a. m.—College Chapel. Sermon by Dr. Philip S. Moxom, pastor of the South Congregational church, Springfield.

11.30 a. m.—Bible Classes.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Moxom will speak.

COMMITTEE COMING

Legislators in Williamstown by End of the Week

After a prolonged struggle the Massachusetts legislature committee on taxtation has finally secured permission from the legislature to make its tour of investigation of conditions in Massachusetts college towns, with reference to the college taxation bill. Last week Friday, the committee voted by 9-7 to take the trip, but on Saturday chairman Davenport procured delay of consideration until Monday. On that day the legislature took up the matter, and after hearing both sides of the question argued by members of the committee, finally voted to alow the committee to take its trip. The committee will visit Amherst, South Hadley, Northampton, Northfield and Gill, and will probably reach Williamstown at the end of this week. They had not left Boston by noon of today.

Track Candidates

The following men have signified their intention of becoming candidates for sophomore assistant track manager:

F. F. Anderson
F. E. Bowker, Jr.
P. S. Douglass
W. E. Slattery

Election of Debating Manager

At the college meeting to be held May 3, an assistant manager of the debating teams will be elected from the class of 1908, after the election of the assistant manager of the track association.

Howard A. Scholle manager.

Gift for Mr. Lewis

The debating management has presented Mr. Lewis with a mahogany humidor, with fittings in brass, as a token for his work in coaching the triangular league teams. On the brass plate on the cover is engraved, "an appreciation."

The baseball mangement have been unable to schedule a game with Manhattan for next Saturday.

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An Interclass Track Meet

In 1896 Mr. Willard E. Hoyt '92 presented the track association with the Hoyt cup, to be competed for yearly in an interclass meet, and in the same year the Gargoyle cup was given for the athlete scoring the greatest number of points in a similar meet. These two meets were combined in 1898. Each of the cups was to be permanently held by the class or individual winning it three times in succession, and accordingly in 1901 the Hoyt cup became the property of the class of 1901 and the Gargoyle cup of Paul Potter '01. In 1902 a similar meet was held, and 1904 won the class championship, and L. G. Blackmer '03 the individual championship. Since then no such meets have been held.

In the old days these contests occurred late in the season, after all the other track events, and as a result the better athletes had often broken training, the poorer had little incentive to compete, and a few star men monopolized entries and points. The general interest was so low in one of the meets that the only men entered in the hundred were two of the three who now hold the Williams record in that event.

The prime purpose of any track games between undergraduates of one college is, under present conditions, to secure material for track meets with other colleges. Thus all the track activities of the fall and spring center on the Worcester meet. The preliminary meet, then, which can get the most men out and get them working hardest, is the best one for the team. The trouble with the old contest was one of time, not kind. Even class rivalry could not be expected to keep the second-string athletes interested in a meet which closed a season instead of giving them a chance to qualify for events in the immediate future. To add another meet to the present list would be impractical. What could be done, however, and what The Record believes would be a benefit to track athletics, would be to retain this old interclass meet in the track schedule in place of the spring trial meet.

The main advantage of this plan is obvious. The incentive in the present meet to the place-winner is the opportunity of representing his college in the next dual and subsequent meets. By making the contest a class contest class rivalry is added, and class rivalry means much at Williams. The place-winner has this same opportunity as before, if the meet comes at the right time, and at the same time each man is struggling to do the best he can to help his class and himself win. Not only would the rivalry be keener and the men work harder, but a class track captain, too, could get out men that a 'varsity captain could not reach.

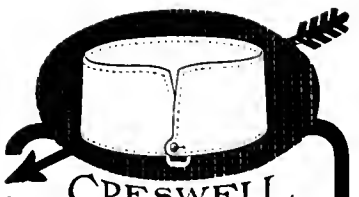
There are some obvious objections advanced to this form of meet. The star man, by competing in more events than he could in a dual or Worcester meet might keep good second-string men from securing places. To be sure but three men can be entered in the sprints and hurdles in dual meets. However, the present system is not cut and dried. If there are so many good men in one event that one of them is shut out in the trials (not a very common occurrence), that fact will not keep that man from being entered at Worcester. The struggle for an individual championship proves to have excellent results in the Lehman Cup contest, why should it not have equally good results in an interclass meet? It is too late for any such system to be adopted for Saturday's trials, and to have an interclass meet at the end of the season would be of little advantage, but The Record feels that in another season such an interclass meet like that last held in 1902 could well be restored to a place in the track schedule.

Room Drawings

Present occupants of college rooms may retain them for next year by signing with Dr. Parsons before next Tuesday, May 1. Berkshire Hall will add accomodations for thirty scholarship men and twelve others. The central and north sections of Berkshire Hall will be open to scholarship men.

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Dr. Philip S. Moxom, pastor of the South Congregational church in Springfield, will preach at the morning chapel service next Sunday, and address the evening meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Dr. Moxom occupies the college pulpit regularly at Amherst, Bowdoin, Cornell, Dartmouth and Yale and has been heard at Williams several times before. He graduated in 1879 from the University of Rochester, where he had also studied theology, and from which he took his A. M. degree in 1882. Ten years later the D. D. degree was conferred on him by Brown. Before his call to Springfield in 1894 he occupied Baptist pulpits in Cleveland and Boston. He preached before the World's Peace Congress, and has been identified with all the late Peace Congresses. Dr. Moxom is also a corporate member of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions.

He has published the following works: "The Aim of Life", "Jerusalem to Nicaea," "The Church in the First Three Centuries", "The Religion of Hope".

Y. M. C. A. Committees

The president of the college Y. M. C. A. has announced the following committee appointments:

Prayer Meeting—Russell '07, chairman: Barton, Birdsall '07: Bacmeister, Cole, Deyo' 08: Crawford, Johnston, Maclay '09.

Systematic Giving—Johnson '07, chairman: Conover, Wheeler '07; D. Brown, Groben, LaMent '08: Carlisle, R. C. Mitchell, Westbrook '09.

Charities—Lapham '07, chairman: Hanchett, Sternberger, Walter '07: H. Johnson, Loughridge, Payson '08: Dodd, Hanson, E. F. Rogers '09.

Handbook—Witherell '07, editor; Payson '08, manager; M. Brown '07; Murray, Westermann '08; Sayre '09.

Missionary—Linen '07, chairman; Case, Chapman, Wilder '07; T. Fowle, Hazen, McClellan '08; Loomis, Palmer, Winslow '09.

Membership — Domett '07, chairman; Stocking, Tower, Witherell '07; Byard, Thompson '08; Hopkins, Herrax, Sayre '09.

Bible Study—Klauser '07, chairman; Durfee, Emerson, Stanley '07; L. Fowle, Hite, McIntyre '08; Matz, Westen, Wood '09.

Outside Religious Work—Butlinton '07, chairman; Allen, Hart, Porter '07; Fullerton '08; Gutelius, Noehren, Sears '09.

Committee on Scholarship Honors

Asst.-Profs. M. N. Wetmore and D. T. Clark have been appointed by the faculty a committee to ascertain by correspondence the systems existent in other colleges of awarding honors and distinctions for high scholarship. The specific object is to learn whether any other modes of conferring scholarship honors are in operation, than the election of Phi Beta Kappa and the award of special prizes. The effect such awards have in other colleges in stimulating study and promoting scholarship will also be ascertained. The report of the findings of the committee will probably be submitted to the faculty at its next meeting, Monday evening, May 7.

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COLLEGE NOTES

D. M. Hills 1906 has returned to college.

Winslow 1907, Frank and Howe 1908, have resigned from college.

The 1906 cap and gown picture was taken on the chapel steps yesterday noon.

Gillett has been elected captain of the sophomore class baseball team.

Domett 1907 has been appointed official scorer for the home games of the baseball association.

There will be a meeting of all interested in the camera club in Jesup Hall Saturday at 1:15.

At the weekly roll-off held on the Olympian alleys last night Murphy '07 and Moffitt '07 tied for third at 267, candle pins.

Case, Loomis, Morgan, Nomer and Perry 1906 have entered their names for the VanVechten prize speaking contest, which will be held Monday evening, May 7.

Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, of Brooklyn, will be unable to occupy the college pulpit May 20, as planned. His place will be taken by Prof. Edward C. Moore of Harvard.

Word has been received from Bruce ex-'08, who is a student at the University of California, and whose family lived in San Francisco, that he was not injured in the earthquake or fire.

The attendance at the Cap and Bells performance of the "Man from Mexico" at the opera house last night, given for the benefit of the Good Will club, was large. S. R. Pevear 1907 sang between the acts.

Cowperthwait has been chosen chairman of the senior smoker committee in place of Hogan, resigned. A smoker will be held in the reading room in Jesup Hall some evening next week if possible.

H. Livingston 1905 has given the following books to the library: Pollard's "Life of Thomas Cranmer", Gladden's "Witnesses of Light," and Wheeler's "Daniel Webster, the Expounding of the Constitution."

At a recent meeting of the Scientific Association, Prof. Milham read a paper on "Extra-Tropical Cyclones." He traced the causes, attendant circumstances and general features of the storms and entered into a brief discussion of the work of the weather forecasting bureaus.

1907 Begins With Victory

In the first class baseball game of the season, played on Weston Field after the varsity game yesterday afternoon, 1907 defeated 1906 by the score of 12 to 5. Tower, who started to pitch for the juniors, proved ineffective and was replaced in the third inning by Hoyne. The features of the game were Schell' shome run to the football bleachers, the longest hit made on Weston Field this year, and the pitching of Hoyne, who struck out the entire side in the fourth.

The score by innings:

								R	H	E
1907	3	4	0	3	1	1	—	12	8	4
1906	0	1	4	0	0	0	—	5	5	6

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The long delay in the construction of the pool has been due partly to a change in plans which called for a four-foot widening of the tank and the shoring of the roof with large girders, as well as to the illness of Mr. Smedley.

Episcopal Students Conference

The conference of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew will be held in Trinity Church, Boston, tomorrow, Saturday and Sunday. Circulars were sent to all Episcopalian students in New England colleges, and at least one delegate from the Church students' Missionary Association of each one of these colleges as well as from Princeton will probably attend. Gardiner '09 will represent Williams at the conference.

Addresses will be made at the convention by Rev. Alexander Mann, pastor of Trinity church, by New England district bishops, headmasters of several New England Episcopal schools, and officers of the brotherhood. Among the topics of college interest to be discussed are. "The Needs of the College Student and How to Meet Them", "What Should be the Aim of a College Church Society", "How can the College Chapel be made more of a help to the Development of the Spiritual Life?" Devotional meetings will be held on Saturday and Sunday, and the conference will close at 4 p. m. Sunday with a sermon by the Right Reverend A. C. A. Hall, Bishop of Burlington, Vt.

Williams Shoots Straightest

The gun club held a match shoot with North Adams at the Zylonite range yesterday afternoon, winning by a score of 74 to 64. The weather conditions were most unfavorable, but on the whole the scores were good. The men shot as follows:

North Adams		Williams	
Graves	17	Dr. Kellogg	22
Pratt	18	Geer '07	16
Hodge	15	Fitch '06	18
Krum	14	L. Allen '08	18
	64		74

During the four years of the Williams gun club it has shot against North Adams six times, the score now being three matches all. This was the first match won from North Adams at their home traps. Today Dr. Kellogg broke 79 of a total of 84 pigeons, the last 31 consecutively.

—The regular class prayer meetings will be held Friday evening at 7:15. Subject and references: The Spiritual Kingdom; Matt 5, 19-34. Leaders: 1906, Wakefield; 1907, Russell; 1908, Hazen; 1909, W. S. Pettit '05.

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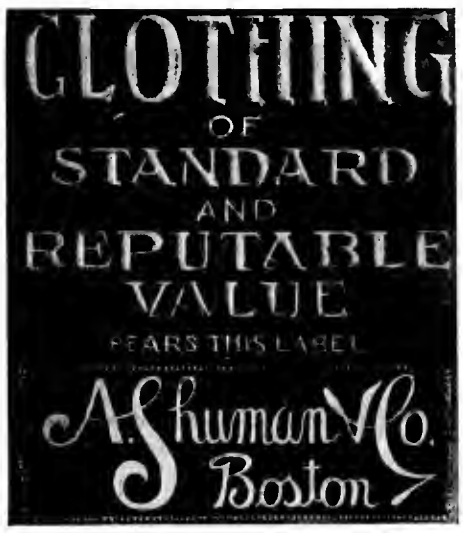
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Williams occupied the same desirable quarters in Marquand Hall for several years in succession until last year, when those rooms were allotted to Columbia on account of the latter's larger delegations This year the choice of rooms will be given to the colleges in accordance with the amount of registration fees which they have paid in by May 14. This means that if Williams has by May 14 a larger paid registration than Columbia or any other institution, Williams will secure previous choice of rooms, consequently it is important that within the next two weeks and a half as many men as possible shall definitely decide to go.

The conference opens Friday evening, June 22, and closes Sunday evening, July 1. If a delegate cannot stay the entire ten days, it is well worth his while to attend for as long as he can.

The conference expenses are as follows: Registration fee, $5 for the 10 days or 60 cents a day; board $9 for the 10 days or $1 per day; room $3 for the 10 days or proportionately less for a shorter period. For the many who room in excellent tents provided by the conference this last item is somewhat reduced. The railroad grants a one and one-third fare for the round trip and, counting possible incidentals and the fare from Williamstown and return, the necessary additional expenses would be between $3 and $3.50 for each man. There are available several waiterships by which men who desire to do so can earn their board.

The conference consists of Bible classes, mission classes, classes of immigration and social problems—meeting at 8:30 a. m. and 9:30 a. m. daily—and a platform meeting in the great auditorium in the morning; in the afternoons a tennis tournament open to all the delegates, a baseball tournament between teams of all the larger delegations, a golf tournament, a track meet, and various other forms of recreation; in the evenings a short meeting where various professions are considered, and then the chief platform meeting of the day. Each delegate goes to such meetings as he chooses, and only when he chooses. The leaders and speakers are all men of notable ability and prominence. Among them are Robert E. Speer, Rt. Rev. C. S. Anderson, Bishop of Chicago, Dr. Endicott Peabody of Groton School, Rev. Henry Sloane Coffin of New York and others. A definite program is not yet made out.

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ALUMNI NEWS

'67—President G. Stanley Hall of Clark university has been appointed president of the Congo Reform Association, recently organized for the purpose of remedying the oppressive social and political conditions prevailing in the Congo territory.

'68.—Rev. John H. Lockwood has resigned the pastorate of the First Congregational church of Westfield, Mass., after a long and successful service of over 25 years, and will soon remove to Springfield. He has been asked to accept the position of pastor emeritus of the First church of Westfield.

'99—The engagement is announced of Miss Carrie Nickerson Rogers, of Sumner Road, Brookline, youngest daughter of the late Rev. Thomas L. Rogers '63, to Alexander Henderson, of Boston.

1900—The wedding of Miss Frances Kimball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Kimball of New York city, to William Beaumont Putney, Jr., 1900, of New York city, will take place at the church of the Divine Paternity, Seventy-sixth Street and Central Park West, New York city on Tuesday evening, May 8.

1903—The marriage of Miss Edith Moore Trowbridge, of Naugatuck, Conn., to James Lowell Linsley, took place on Wednesday, April 18. The ceremony was held in St. Michael's Episcopal church, Naugatuck. Mr. and Mrs. Linsley will reside in that city, where Mr. Linsley holds a responsible position with the Naugatuck Malleable Iron Co. William S. Pettit 1905 was one of the ushers.

1903—At the recent class-day elections of the class of 1906 at Harvard Law school, Charles M. Turell was elected permanent class secretary.

Ex-'07—Claude T. Wilson has been elected manager of the Amherst debating association.

OBITUARY

'58—Rev. Joseph Perry Bixby, president of the Boston Evangelical institute, and a life-long preacher and teacher, died at his home, 2320 East 3rd Street, Los Angeles, Cal., on April 18, aged 73 years. Mr. Bixby was born in Thompson, Conn., Jan. 28, 1833, graduated from Williams in the class of 1858 and from Andover Theological seminary in 1861. In 1880 he took up his residence at Revere, Mass., where he was pastor of various churches for twenty-five years. He was pastor of the First Congregational church from 1880 to 1893; he established the Trinity Congregational church at Beachmont, and for many years was pastor of the two churches. He started the movements resulting in the Revere Public Library, and the first local paper of the town, and in 1889 established the lay college for training of evangelical students at Revere Beach, of which he was president, and professor of physiology, psychology, and moral science. When this was incorporated as the Boston Evangelical institute, he continued his duties as its president. For more than a year before his death he had resided in California on account of failing health.

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FOOTBALL COACH CHOSEN

Offer Made to Hatch 1903—Council Grants Relay "W"s

At their meeting in Jesup Hall Saturday evening the Athletic Council voted to have James A. Hatch 1903 as head football coach for next year. Mr. Hatch's name was recommended by both the captain and manager of next year's team. He will accept the position, if possible, but was unable to state definitely Saturday night whether his law practice in New York city would enable him to take it up or not. He will communicate his decision to the council within at least a month. No appropriations for salary of a coach will be made until the football schedule for next year is handed in, nor was any action taken with reference to an assistant coach or coaches.

It was decided that Williams join the Intercollegiate Athletic Association of the United States, the association formed by the colleges who met in connection with the revision of football rules in New York last December. By taking this stand the college particularly subscribes itself (in article VI. of the constitution) "to enact and enforce such measures as may be necessary to prevent violations of the principles of amateur sport such as" (a) proselyting, which is strictly defined, (b) playing of those not amateurs, (c) playing of those not bona-fide students in good and regular standing, (d) improper and unsportsmanlike conduct of contestants, coaches, assistants, or student body. The college still retains its eligibility rules, the association merely suggesting a minimum. None of the big four, which have largely directed collegiate athletics in past years, have yet joined the association, nor have Amherst, Dartmouth or Wesleyan.

The usual appropriations were made, including about $100, for necessary repairs made on Weston Field. The "W" was given to the four members of the 'varsity relay team, which defeated Wesleyan and Brown: Ayers, Griswold Osterhout 1906; Hurlbut 1907. The question of ratifying the recommendation of the basketball captain and manager for granting the "B W B" to members of the team was not brought before the council.

Cap and Bells at New York

Cap and Bells gave its New York city performance of "The Man from Mexico" Friday evening at the Carnegie Lyceum, 57th street and Seventh avenue. The show was given very smoothly, the work of Botsford 1906 receiving the usual hearty appreciation. The Spanish dance, by Combes 1906 was encored, as were the solos between the acts by Pevear 1907, with piano accompaniment by Yarnelle 1907. The house was well-filled, a large number of alumni being present.

TRIAL TRACK MEET

Held on Weston Field Saturday—Well-Contested Races

The trial meet to determine the entries for the Wesleyan meet next Saturday was held on Weston Field Saturday afternoon with more men competing than ever before. No times or distances were given out for publication. The closest races of the day were the two-mile and 220-yd. dash, while the work of the high jumpers was good. The quarter was particularly hard-fought, the two leaders falling when near the tape, and all the races but the low hurdles were well contested. The distances in the weight events were poorer than expected. Horrax '09 did the best individual work, winning first in the high hurdles and high jump and second in the broad jump. Counting points for the first three places, 1908 leads with 34 points, followed by 1909 with 30. 1906 had 27 and 1907, 17.

The summary follows:

100 yd. dash: 1st, Cowperthwait '06; 2nd, Watters, '08; 3rd, Green '09.

220-yd dash: 1st, Clark '08; 2nd, Watters '08; 3rd, Cowperthwait '06.

440-yd. dash: 1st, Johnston '09; 2nd, Hopkins '09; 3rd, Wells, '07.

880.-yd. run: 1st, Ayers '06; Eggleston '06; 3rd, Conover '07.

One-mile run: 1st, B. P. Allen '08; 2nd, Lesser '07; 3rd, Goodbody '08.

Two-mile run: 1st, Bonner '09; 2nd, Davis '07; 3rd, Allen '07.

120-yd. hurdles: 1st, Horrax '09; 2nd, Griswold '06; 3rd, A. Brown '07.

220-yd. hurdles: 1st, Griswold '06; 2nd, Lapham '07; 3rd, Dodd '09.

High jump: 1st, Horrax '09; 2nd, A. Brown '07; 3rd, Atwater '09.

Broad jump: 1st, A. Brown '07; 2nd, Horrax '09; 3rd, Jenkins '09.

Shot put: 1st, Marshall '08; 2nd, LaMent '08; 3rd, Swain '09.

Discus throw: 1st, Blaisdell '06; 2nd, LaMent '08; 3rd, Bowker '08.

Hammer throw: 1st, LaMent '08; 2nd, Swain '09; 3rd, Lapham '07.

Track Training Table

The following men were taken on the track training table at Mrs. Murphy's Saturday evening: Ayers, Cowperthwait, Egleston, Griswold (capt.), Osterhout 1906; A. M. Brown, Chapman, Davis, Hurlbut, Lesser 1907; B. P. Allen, LaMent, Marshall, Watters 1908; Horrax 1909.

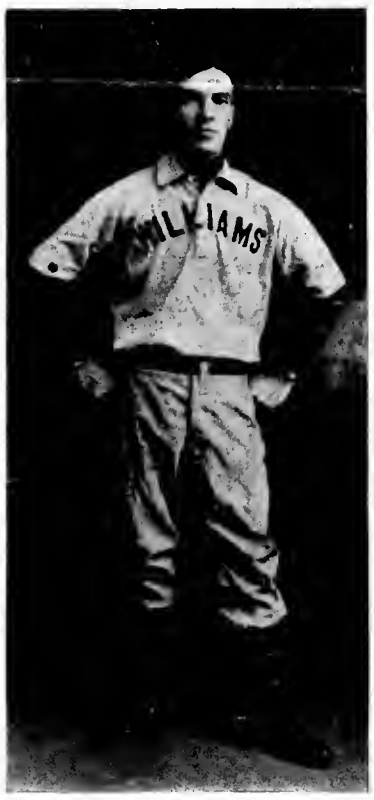
Baseball Election

The annual meeting for the election of an assistant-manager and vice-president of the baseball association will be held in Jesup Hall tomorrow evening, at 7:30. A meeting of the sophomore class will be held to-morrow at 1:30 for nomination of candidates.

'VARSITY IMPROVES

Second Team Defeated 8 to 3 in Fast Game

In a contest which showed a high quality of baseball the 'varsity team took a game from the second team Saturday afternoon on Weston Field, by a score of 8 to 3. The 'varsity lined out seven hits, but the runs scored were due rather to the poor support that Pierce received than to poor pitching. Pierce struck out eleven men while his team mates made four errors. The 'varsity, playing an errorless game, supported Ford's somewhat erratic pitching in snappy fashion



CAPTAIN NEILD

Warren, second man up for the 'varsity in the first inning, sent out a two-bagger, and Hogan opened the 'varsity's half of the third with the first three-base hit of the season. The heaviest hitting occurred in the sixth inning, when Osterhout went to second on a long drive, and three singles followed. The second team tied the score in the second inning, Redick and Gardner crossing the plate after Southworth's single to right field. Their only other run came in in the fifth when Stower scored on a wild pitch. Ford allowed four bases on balls, while Pierce gave six men passes. Redick used the bat well, securing three hits, and Warren excelled at the bat for the 'varsity. Waters threw well, but had three passed balls.

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'Varsity	0	2	2	0	0	4	0	0	x	8	7	0
2nd Team	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	6	4

Batteries—Ford and Waters; Pierce and Southworth. Umpires—Bates '06 and Mr. Lewis.

Linen 1907 has been appointed manager of the tennis association in place of Schell 1906, resigned.

CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MAY 1

1.30 p. m.—1908 class meeting, J. H. Nomination of candidates for assistant baseball manager.

7.30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H. Election of assistant baseball manager.

7.30 p. m.—Meeting of Classical Society, choir room, chapel. Greek music, played by Mr. Salter, assisted by Mrs. Howes, Mr. J. B. Lord '05 and Pevear '07. Paper on "Some Comparisons of Roumanian, Umbrian and Classical Latin," by Dr. Gerig, and on "Aristotle's Contributions to the Theory of the State," by Mr. P. Smith.

8.30 p. m.—Senior smoker, J. H.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2

1.15 p. m.—1909 class meeting. J. H. Election of supper committee.

1.30 p. m.—Junior room drawings, 4 H. H.

2.30 p. m.—Williams—Vermont baseball, Weston Field.

4.30 p. m.—1907—1909 baseball, old campus.

THURSDAY, MAY 3

1.30 p. m.—1908 class meeting, J. H. Nominations of candidates for assistant track manager.

2.00 p. m.—1907—1908 room drawings, faculty room.

7.30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H. Election of assistant track manager and assistant debating manager.

AN ALUMNI GROVE

1906 Inaugurates College Custom—Nomer Speaker at Alumni Banquet

At a senior class meeting Thursday evening the question of having an alumni grove, where each graduating class should plant a tree, was discussed. The grove will probably be situated at the south-east corner of Weston Field near the football bleachers. The following committee was appointed to confer with President Hopkins on the subject: Loomis, Lowe, Morgan (chairman). In addition to planting a tree the class will hold the usual ivy celebration this year.

Arrangements were made that five members of the faculty, including President Hopkins, give Sunday afternoon talks to the seniors during the spring. Nomer was chosen to speak for 1906 at the annual Commencement alumni banquet.

Freshman Baseball Schedule

The freshman baseball team has arranged the following schedule: May 9, Troy High, at Williamstown; May 16, Pittsfield High, at Williamstown; May 19, R. P. I. Freshmen, at Williamstown; June 2, Amherst Freshmen, at Amherst.

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Rewards For Scholarship

A committee of the faculty will report at the May meeting of that body concerning an improvement in the present system of rewards for scholarship. The committee has been working to find out what systems are in use in other colleges along two lines: systems by which all high-standing men can be grouped in some broad scholarship classification each year, and systems by which high scholarship in a single particular subject can receive recognition.

Each college has its own system of awards for high standing, outside of cash prizes. At Michigan, for example, no grades are given at all. At Amherst and Wesleyan prescribed work outside the curriculum in particular subjects becomes a basis for awards of honors in those subjects, and at Amherst honorable mention may be given without this outside work. Dartmouth and Princeton have the scholarship classification system. The former college prints in its catalogue a list of all in the three lower classes who have averaged 92, as "Rufus Choate Scholars". Princeton awards "high general honors" and "high honors" at the end of each year for the work done in that year.

No Williams man who does not hold a scholarship has any chance of knowing from the college how he averages with others until the end of his senior year. By figuring from his semester marks he can get only a rough idea, for not even the scholarship holder can estimate accurately the group in which his grades place him. Again, the only classification of high-standing men in the catalogue, that of the scholarship men, conveys a wrong impression to the casual reader. It is easy to get the idea that this list of one-sixth of the college is the honor list of the whole college. Some plan of publishing at the end of each year groups of those of the highest rank in all classes would give the man who does not hold a scholarship recognition for his curriculum efforts, and would lessen his temptation to ease up, more or less unconsciously, on scholastic ideals.

The second part of the committee's work effects everybody. Phi Beta Kappa awaits only those who keep high scholarship in everything. Williams offers no honors in individual departments of study except in connection with prizes. Here, too, some departments are over-prized, in others there are no prizes at all. There are fourteen rhetorical prizes available, and seventeen in the classics. In all the sciences but three prizes are offered, in history but two, in government one, in philosophy and economics none.

This, of course, is not the fault of the college, since gifts for such objects are made for prizes in specified subjects. What Williams can do, however, is to award honors and honorable mentions for special excellence. Without overlooking the fact that in a *college* broad culture ought to have the greater emphasis, special excellence requires in a more limited field the more concentrated use of the powers of the mind. The curriculum aims for a special education, combined with a general education. Phi Beta Kappa and Commencement appointments are given for the high rank of the many who excel generally, in all studies alike. Why not, then, give honors for the high rank of the many who excel specially, and give them in each one of the particular studies?

Neither of these lines along which the committee is working will cost the college pocket-book anything. There is some faculty sentiment in favor of the system. The faculty can surely secure more work from those who wish to lay greatest emphasis on curriculum work by adopting it, and more will wish to lay greatest emphasis there when they see more glory by so doing. From the student side, all A and B men will know accurately whether they gain or lose each year, the brilliant specialist whose standing in other subjects may be low will receive proper recognition, and the five-sixths that do not hold scholarships will have a chance to get representation in the "honor list".

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Classical Society Meeting

A meeting of the olassical society will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the choir room in the basement of the chapel. Mr. Salter will treat Greek music, and will explain the subject by piano accompaniment. Mrs. Howes and Mr. John Bright Lord 1905 and Pevear 1907 will assist him.

Papers will be read on "Some Comparisons BetweenRoumanian, Umbrian and Classical Latin", by Dr. Gerig, and on "Aristotle's Contributions to the Theory of the State", by Mr. P. Smith.

The musical program follows:

1—First Pythic Ode of Pindar (500 B.C.) Mr. J. B. Lord 1905

2.—Fragment of Chorus from the Orestes of Euripides (5th century B. C) Mr. J. B. Lord 1905

3.—Delphic Hymn to Apollo (278 B. C.) Pevear 1907

4—Two Homeric Hymns (200 B. C.) (a) To Demeter
(b) To Aphrodite
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5—Seikilos Ode (1st century A. D.)

Hymn to Nemesis by Mesomedes (2nd century A. D.)
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Rooms For Next Year

The allotment of dormitory rooms for the next college year will begin Wednesday, when members of 1907 will meet at 2 p. m., in 4 Hopkins Hall to draw lots for choice of rooms. Drawing for remaining rooms by members of 1908 (and '07-'09 couples) will occur Saturday, May 5th, same place and hour, and for 1909 the following Wednesday. In the faculty room at the same hour on May 3d and 7th respectively, pairs composed of men from '07 and '08, and '08 and '09 will be offered choice of rooms still open. On May 10th reservations may be made by men who intend to room with prospective freshmen.

The opening of Berkshire Hall, with accomodations for 42 men, and of South College extension, with accommodations for 14 men, will increase the total dormitory capacity to 267. No changes in rentals are announced, except that $72 will be the price of College Hall rooms formerly costing $80. Prices of rooms for Berkshire Hall and South College extension have already been announced. "The payment of one-half the yearly rental when the assignment is made is required of all who take rooms" (1905-1906 catalogue, p. 106). No applicants will be allowed to secure rooms until they present a receipt from the treasurer.

Amherst Freshmen Can Compete

The action of the Amherst faculty, debarring freshmen from intercollegiate athletics, has been laid on the table by them for one year. In its place a student committee will be appointed to look after the curriculum work for freshmen athletes, and stricter scholarship requirements will be demanded from any freshman who represents the college, not only on athletic teams, but on any club or publication.

The debate between the Philologian and Philotechnian societies, scheduled for Wednesday, has been postponed indefinitely owing to the sophomore-freshman contest the same evening.

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University of Vermont Wednesday

Williams will meet the University of Vermont in the third baseball game of the season at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, on Weston Field. Williams has met Vermont but once before in baseball, winning from them in 1894 by the score of 6-0, although in 1904 the score was 3-0 in Vermont's favor when rain stopped the game in the second inning.

The batting-orders of both teams follow:

U. OF V.: Gardner 3b, Collison 2b, Campbell p, Peek cf, Kibbe c, Whitney 1b, Williams ss, Collins lf, Berry rf.

WILLIAMS—Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Hogan lf, Osterhout rf, Waters c, Harman 1b, Ford p.

Vermont's Scores

Vermont 4,	Harvard 9
Vermont 10,	Univ. of Maine, 4
Vermont 12,	Univ. of Maine 16
Vermont 10,	Bowdoin 6
Vermont 4,	Bowdoin 5
Vermont 22,	Norwich 2

New Baseball Score-Books

The baseball score-book will probably be on sale for the Vermont game, Wednesday. It will contain eight pages, including the line-ups of the teams, the baseball schedule, scores of games and a cut of Capt. Neild. The cover will be in purple and gold with a conventional design by Reid '06.

Another Freshman Victory

The second game of the interclass baseball series was played between 1908 and 1909 on Weston Field Saturday afternoon after the 'varsity-second team game, the freshmen winning after a typical class-game struggle by the score of 10 to 9. Towards the end Sears pitched well, while Gillett was erratic. Moies played a strong game behind the bat, putting out four men by his accurate throws to second. Tifft's home run and the strong brace taken by 1908 in the last half of the sixth inning provoked much enthusiasm.

The score by innings:

		R	H	E
1908	2 0 2 0 2 3—	9	7	5
1909	5 0 0 2 3 0—10	8	2	

Batteries—1908, Gillett and Moies; 1909, Sears and Nelson. Umpire—Southworth 1907.

Y. M. C. A. Handbook

The Y. M. C. A. handbook, which is expected to appear in June, though much similar to those of former years, will have several new features. There will be a map of the college and if possible a cut of Berkshire Hall. Instead of a daily diary there will be a memorandum, thus cutting down the number of pages and permitting of a better quality of paper and workmanship. The cover will be in black leather, with "Williams" in gold lettering. The contract is not yet placed.

Golf Match Wednesday

The golf team will hold its first match of the season against the North Adams Country Club on the latter's links at 3:00 p. m. Wednesday. The team will be composed of Clapp 1906; A. Mitchell, L. Mitchell, Gregory 1907; Lynde 1908; Wilcox 1909. The entire schedule is not yet approved by the faculty committee.

A. D. BASTIEN

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Interclass Debate.

The second annual interclass debate will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30, in Jesup Hall, between 1908 and 1909. The question chosen, that of summer ball playing, in view of recent action by Brown and Cornell, is one of great interest to the college, and is distinctly two-sided.

The 1908 debaters will speak in the following order: L. Fowle, Johnson, Capt. McIntyre, 1909, opposing summer ball, will speak as follows: Robb, Pike, Capt. Ernst, Bachmeister is alternate for 1908, Maclay for 1909. The judges are not yet chosen.

History Teachers Meet

Prof. Goodrich represented Williams at the annual meeting of the New England Historical Teachers association, held in the Center Church, Hartford, Conn., on Friday and Saturday. At the opening meeting on Friday evening, Prof. J. H. Robinson of Columbia, the author of the "History of Western Europe" used in History I, made an address on "The Fall of Rome." The chief subject discussed was the history papers of the college entrance examination board, of which Williams has recently become a member.

Lit. Meeting

The Lit board will meet Friday evening, May 4th, to consider manuscript for the June Lit. All contributions must be in the hands of some member of the board or left at 6 East College before 6 p. m. of that day.

ALUMNI NEWS

'86—Prof. William R. Appleby is dean of the School of Mines at the University of Minnesota.

'93—George N. Sleight is teaching mathematics in the North Division High school, Chicago.

'97—William E. Greene is employed with the firm of Bingham & Co., wholesale hardware dealers, Cleveland, O.

'97—Philip L. James has returned from a trip around the world, and has resumed his position with Marshall Field & Co., Chicago.

'97—Clarence E. Rexford has removed from Concord, Mass., and is now teaching in the Irving School, at Tarrytown, N. Y.

Ex-'98—Lee Fargo is in the employ of the Griffin Wheel Co., at Chicago.

'98—George E. Denman, who formerly taught at Auburn, N. Y., is now assistant master of the Centenary Collegiate institute at Hackettstown, N. J.

1901—John W. Spooner, Jr., is in the employ of Darling and Russell, insurance agents, 55 Kilby street, Boston.

1902—William H. Stanley, assistant manager of the Spokane, Wash., office of the Kelley-Clarke Co., has been elected president and manager of the Spokane Canning Co., a concern recently incorporated in that city to pack fruits, vegetables and pickles.

1903—Cooper is on a six months traveling trip in Italy.

The following alumni have been in town: Knowlson '43, Hubbell '74, Perkins '80, Banks '85, Banks '90, Allen '95, Hatch, Peters 1903, Judson 1905, Eldridge ex-'08, Schenck 'ex-'09.

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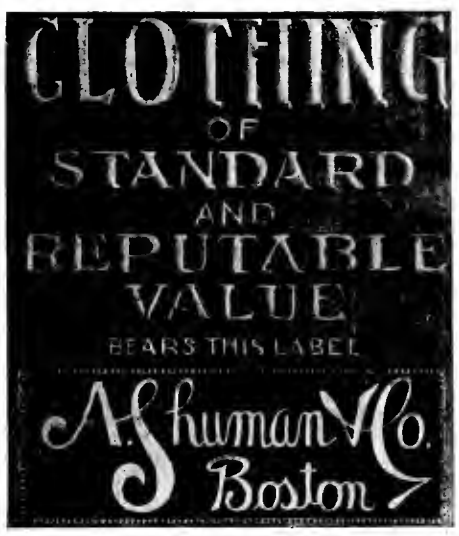
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COLLEGE NOTES

A. W. Campbell '09 has left college.

The gun club held a practice shoot on the Taconic range Saturday afternoon.

The classes in Geology took a trip to the North Adams natural bridge Saturday afternoon.

Bridgman 1909 drew the cover design for the senior class-book, a sketch of the chapel tower.

There will be a 1909 class meeting in Jesup Hall Wednesday at 1:15 for the election of the class supper committee.

A senior smoker will be held tomorrow evening in Jesup Hall at 8:30. The double quartet will sing. This will take the place of any May night celebration.

The Netherleigh has elected Waller 1907 baseball captain and Witherell 1907 manager. A schedule of local games will be arranged.

NOTICES

—The courts of the tennis association have been put in condition and are now being used. Under the present system, the tennis association is under the supervision of the Athletic Council, which appoints the manager. All students wishing to use the courts must obtain tickets from the manager. These tickets cost $2. and entitle the holder to use the courts for the rest of the year.

James A. Linen, Jr., mgr.

—All those who wish to hand in drawings for the 1908 Gul. will please see personally Mygatt or Rowell before May 15, so that work may be discussed and assignments arranged. Men are also urged to hand in all interesting photographs from about college, especially those suitable for grinds. Acknowledgment will be given for accepted work.

—The election of an assistant-manager of the musical association will be held Wednesday, May 9. All candidates are requested to hand their names to W. S. Wooster 1907, manager, on or before May 5.

Y. M. C. A. Meeting

Dr. Philip S. Moxom of Springfield addressed the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall yesterday evening on what might be called the parable of the vacuum. He spoke briefly of the demons of old times who were held responsible for all evil, and gave Jesus' parable of the demon which, after having been driven from a man, returned again with seven others and re-occupied him. Dr. Moxom drew from this the lesson that action is necessary to growth. A man must use his body, mind and soul methodically to have them grow. Growth in faith is gained by exercise of heart toward God. On the other hand, if unexercised, the moral power will retrograde.

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The contracts have been placed as follows: Decorations, Murray of Springfield; lighting, Costine of North Adams; stationery, Charles Elliott and Co. of Philadelphia; catering, Lucas of Troy (to be served by T. H. Halla); music, Gioscia of Albany.

College Not Visited

The legislative committee on taxation has completed its tour of investigation with reference to the college dormitory taxation bill, and Williamstown was omitted from the itinerary. The committee arrived in Northampton Thursday evening and visited Smith, Amherst and Mount Holyoke Friday. On Saturday it visited Northfield and Mount Hermon. The committee's final order to travel did not allow them to visit Williamstown.

Theatre Attractions

The Richmond—Vaudeville all the week, except Saturday. Saturday afternoon and evening, Eddie Foy in "The Earl and the Girl".

The Empire—Thursday afternoon, Sousa's band; Friday evening, Howard Kyle in "Her American Prince"; Saturday afternoon and evening, "A Foxy Tramp".

Frank Daniels will appear May 10th at the Empire in "Sergeant Brue; at the Richmond a probable booking early in June is Mrs. Leslie Carter in "Zaza."

Lit. Contents

The contents for the May Lit will be as follows:

Frontispiece, Old Goodrich Hall, 1864: The Passing of a Williams Landmark—essay, John Adams Lowe; On the Chant d'Amour by Burne-Jones—verse, Roger Sherman Loomis; For Monsieur—story, Henry Edward Bedford, Jr.; Beyond the Barrier—verse, Bernard Westermann; A Friend of the Family—story, Stanton Budington Leeds: Suggestions—Roses, S. B. L.; The Dinosoor, J. B. M.: Sanctum: Chat, W. R. W.: Sign of the Shears: Book Notice.

1903—Charles J. Buck, who is in the employ of the United States Forestry Commission, spent last winter in the Rocky Mountains in Colorado, and is now engaged in work in Southern California.

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SPRING GOLF SCHEDULE

Team Plays Yale, Harvard and Princeton—Eleven Matches

The spring schedule, approved by the faculty committee this afternoon, follows. Asst.-Mgr. Jaeckel has arranged ten contests, five away from home. The date for the alumni match is not definitely decided. The team will meet three of the members of the intercollegiate league on a trip to be taken in May; Princeton, Pennsylvania and Yale, the intercollegiate champions. A match with Columbia is being arranged.

The five members of the team which won the New England intercollegiate championship at Wollaston last fall from Dartmouth, Brown, Amherst, Bowdoin and M. I. T., are all in college. Captain Clapp 1906 put out A. Mitchell 1907 in the finals for the individual championship at that tournament. A. Mitchell 1907 played in the national championship tournament, and was only beaten in a hard match in the final round of the Lakewood tournament this spring. in which many of the leading golfers of the intercollegiate league took part. Wilcox 1909 was metropolitan champion in 1904. The other members of the team. who have played for three years, are L. Mitchell 1907 and Gregory 1907.

The schedule:

Sat., May 5, Harvard at Williamstown.

Wed., May 9, Open.

Sat., May 12, Island Golf Club at Troy.

Thurs., May 17, Princeton at Princeton.

Fri., May 18, Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

Sat., May 19, Yale at Garden City.

Sat., May 26, Mt. Anthony Golf Club at Williamstown.

Sat., June 2, Springfield Country Club at Williamstown.

Wed., June 6, Mt. Anthony Golf Club at Bennington.

Sat., June 9, Tekoa Golf Club at Williamstown.

Tues., June 23, Williams alumni at Williamstown.

Williams-Harvard Golf Match

The Williams golf team will meet Harvard on the Taconic club course Saturday. Harvard defeated Williams at Wollaston last spring 11½ to 1½. Among the prominent players on their team are Fay Ingalls, who has played for three years, Pierre A. Proal, Jr., and A. L. White, intercollegiate champion in 1904 and the winner of the recent Lakewood tournament.

Amherst Scores

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FIRST AMHERST GAME

Purple and White to be Played at Amherst—The Batting Order

Williams meets Amherst on the Pratt Field diamond, Saturday, in the first game of the series of four between the two colleges. Amherst possesses practically a veteran nine, the positions of catcher and left field being the only ones at which new men are playing this year. McRae, in his last year's form, is a strong factor in the box; Yale managed to get but two hits from him in the game which Amherst won 1-0 at the opening of the season.

In last year's series Amherst won four out of the five games played; in 1904 Williams won the two scheduled by a wide margin. Since 1883 Williams and Amherst have met each other at baseball 74 times, 39 of which were Williams victories, but since 1894 Williams has won 22 games to Amherst's 13.

The batting orders of both teams follow:

WILLIAMS: Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Hogan lf, Osterhout rf, Waters c, Harman 1b, Ford and Pierce p

AMHERST: Wheeler cf, Palmer 1b, Storke 3b, Beach ss, Shattuck rf, Spring c, McRae p, Jones lf, Allaire 2b.

LEAVITT WINS HURDLES

Former Williams Track Captain Secures Olympic Honors

At the finals of the 110 meter hurdles (120 yds. 10¾ in.) in the Olympic games in the stadium at Athens, Tuesday, Robert G. Leavitt ex '07, elected track captain at the end of last year's season, won first place in 16 1-5 seconds. A. H. Healey of England was second, and Duncker of Germany third. One other American was in the finals, Hugo Friend of the University of Chicago. The hurdles were stationary.

At the college meeting held Tuesday evening a committee was appointed to express to Leavitt the appreciation of the college, and the following cablegram was sent yesterday morning:

"Robert G. Leavitt.

"Care United States Athletic Team.

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Sunday's Preacher

Rev. Howard Chandler Robbins, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church of Englewood, N. J., will preach at the morning chapel service next Sunday. Rev. Mr. Robbins graduated from Yale in the class of '99 and from Cambridge (Episcopal) Theological Seminary in 1903. Before going to Englewood he was assistant rector of St. Peter's in Morristown, N. J. No word has yet been received as to whether he will be able to address the Y. M. C. A. meeting or not.

MUSIC OF THE GREEKS

Topic at Classical Society Meeting —Weirdness a Characteristic

At the classical society meeting held in the choir rooom in the basement of the chapel yesterday evening Mr. Sumner Salter spoke on the development and phases of Greek music. In the piano illustrations of the music he was assisted by Prof. T. C. Smith on the bassoon, LaMent 1908 on the violin, and by solos by Mrs. G. E. Howes, Mr. J. B. Lord 1905, and Pevear 1907.

Greek music is generally considered to be alone in ugliness, but to understand it we must divest ourselves of our modern ideas of music and think in terms of lyre, cithra, and flute. The only real fragment of Greek music extant is a part of the chorus of the Orestes of Euripides, which has signs for instrumental accompaniment of the voice. Ancient music was never for instruments alone; they merely accompanied singing. The character of the music was weird, the weirdness largely taking the place of harmony, and the whole cast in a minor strain. The Gregorian chants perhaps follow the old Greek model more than does any other mediaeval or modern style.

Greek music was the handmaid of poetry. It was considered false taste to use the flute or lyre otherwise than as accompaniment to song. The Greeks evolved an exact system, using even quarter tones and five time, which we cannot get. Perhaps the reason moderns cannot appreciate this accurate but intricate music is that it is too refined for our ears. At first only three notes were in use, then notes were added singly and in groups until there were thirty or more. At last an octave series came in. Mr. Salter spoke at length on the growth of the scale and of the tetrachord, the basis of Greek music.

As regards the notation, in reading music the singer had the words and the inflections to guide him, but for instruments the old Dorian letters were used, their different positions indicating the tones required. The various keys were used to express different moods and feelings.

The other illustrations were characterized by the same weirdness shown in the Orestes, all being peculiar in that they ended on the dominant note, rather than on the tonic note as modern music does. The selections by Mrs. Howes were enthusiastically encored. The music sung by Lord and Pevear was of a character demanding vocal gymnastics rather than musical interpretation.

In closing Mr. Salter played the present Grecian national hymn, showing the great change between their ancient and modern music. The readings by Mr. P. Smith and Dr. Gerig were postponed on account of the lateness of the hour until the next meeting of the society.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, MAY 3

7.30 p. m.—College meeting. J. H. Election of assistant track manager and assistant debating manager.

SATURDAY, MAY 5

2.00 p. m.—Williams-Harvard golf match. Taconic club course.

2.00 p. m.—Williams-Wesleyan dual track meet. Weston Field.

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Amherst baseball. Pratt Field. Amherst.

SUNDAY, MAY 6

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Sermon by Rev. H. C. Robbins, rector of St. Paul's church, of Englewood. N. J.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes, J. H.

4.30 p. m.—Talk to seniors by Prof. Russell, 10 H. H.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H.

MONDAY, MAY 7

8.00 p. m.—Van Vechten prize speaking contest, J. H.

BASEBALL ELECTION

W. S. McClellan 1908 Chosen Sophomore Assistant Manager

At a college meeting Tuesday night, William Smith McClellan, of York, Pa., was elected sophomore assistant manager of the 'varsity baseball team. He will become assistant manager next



WILLIAM SMITH MCCLELLAN

year and will manage the team in 1908. McClellan prepared for college at Worcester Academy, graduating in 1904. Last year he managed his class baseball team and was elected to The Record board.

1908 Supper Committee

At a meeting of the sophomore class held in Jesup Hall this noon the following were elected the class supper committee: Bowker, Byard, Elder, Payson, Waters.

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The Golf Schedule

The golf schedule ratified by the athletic committee yesterday is the hardest any Williams golf team has ever undertaken. The four strongest members of the intercollegiate league are played, two of them on their home grounds and one on a neutral course, and the strongest club team in Massachusetts west of Worcester is on the list.

So difficult a schedule could only be justified by unusual excellence of material. The position in which Williams golf has been placed by the men on the present team in the last two years is exceptional. That a publication like the Illustrated Outdoor News should suggest editorially that Williams, New England intercollegiate league champion, meet Yale, the intercollegiate league champion, to find out which is the best college golf team in the East, is testimony from an unprejudiced witness.

The feature of the schedule is the May trip, on which matches will be played with Princeton, U. of P., and Yale. The team cannot expect to win the majority of these matches. The men on the large college teams have had more tournament experience, and better opportunities for practice this year. To play three of the of the best teams in any line of sport in successive days, and two of them under local conditions with which they are absolutely familiar, is a hard proposition for any team. While victories over both Yale and Princeton, which met in the finals of the last intercollegiate championship, would give the team a claim to first rank in college golf, such a double victory is not to be hoped for. The significant fact is that these matches are possible.

If the season of the team is to be successful, practically all the other matches are to be won. That more contests with local clubs and colleges in the New England league could not be arranged to make the schedule less difficult is to be regretted, but all efforts to secure such matches have failed. The team has been forced into these matches with colleges which are out of our class in major sports.

The Northfield Conference

The Northfield conference, held this year immediately after college closes, is a source of deep inspiration to many from its religious side alone. Those connected with religious interests of colleges find there the best speakers of the day, and in the conference room become filled with ideas which help them make their colleges better.

However, the majority of men at the conference are there on a vacation, what might be called a week's play under religious auspices, and even those who attend for more strictly religious reasons get most good from association with their fellow-collegians. Over half a hundred men from all the eastern colleges go to Northfield. There is no other intercollegiate gathering so large. The opportunity to meet these men, the best types of the student-bodies, to get hold of new ideas and new view-points of old ideas, is something that is given nowhere else. This personal association counts for far more than the more formal religious influence.

The religion a man cannot help from getting there is not driven into him, but is rather absorbed with the atmosphere of the place. Nobody has to attend a meeting unless he wants to, but you cannot help wanting to. It is a healthy kind of religion, bred out of association with right-thinking fellows. If you consider religion to mean a dogma and a creed, it is not religion at all, but simply goodness. Every Williams undergraduate would gain by attending the conference. He would come back a broader, better man, more able to do the college good.

Graves Prize Essays Announced

The Graves prizes for essays written by members of the senior class on assigned subjects have been awarded to the following four men: Albert Francis Buchanan of Indianapolis, Ind., subject, Paolo Sarpi; Charles Henry Brady of Rye, N. Y., subject, St. Francis of Assissi; John Adams Lowe of Fitchburg, St. Francis of Assisai; Wilbur Jewell Page of Concord, N. H., subject, The Ethics of Modern Business.

A prize of $80 is awarded with the other prizes at Commencement "to the student who shall deliver his essay in the most effective manner before a public audience." The prize-speaking contest comes the evening of Saturday, June 23.

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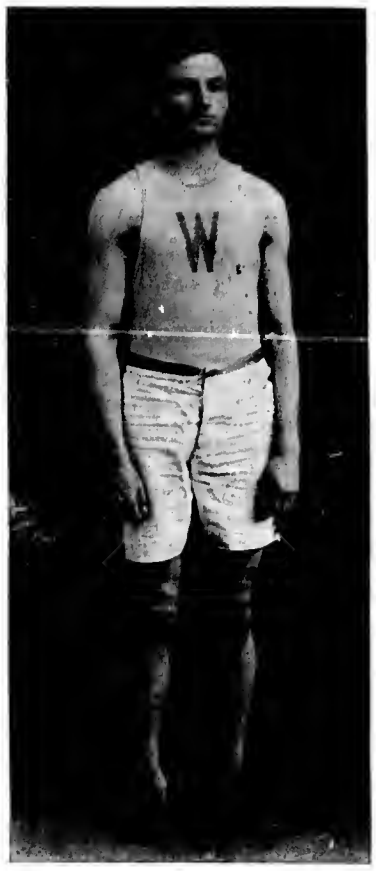
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Wesleyan vs. Williams on Weston Field Saturday

Williams will meet Wesleyan in a dual track meet on Weston Field Saturday afternoon. For Wesleyan Kent in the sprints, Capt. Benson in the two-mile, and Dearborn in the weights have done the best work. Benson is good for around 10.20 in the two-mile, and Dearborn was but fifteen inches



CAPTAIN GRISWOLD

behind a New England intercollegiate record in the discus at Worcester last year. Williams will be especially strong in the hurdles, pole vault and high jump. The runs should be closely contested. The following estimate, somewhat conservative, gives the meet to Williams by a safe margin.

	Wesleyan	Williams
100-yd. dash	6	3
220-yd. dash	6	3
440-yd. dash	3	6
880-yd. run	4	5
One-mile run	4	5
Two-mile run	5	4
120-yd. hurdles	1	8
220-yd. hurdles	4	5
Broad jump	4	5
High jump	0	9
Pole vault	1	8
Shot Put	4	5
Discus Throw	6	3
Hammer Throw	4	5
	52	74

Fire Stops Smoker

The first senior smoker was held on the steps of Jesup Hall immediately after the college meeting Tuesday evening. Cheers were given for Leavitt ex-'07, and plans for a second outdoor smoker were discussed. As the class was marching about the campus in single file singing, an alarm was rung in for a fire off Belden Avenue, near Hemlock Brook, and the smoker broke up. The effective work of a student bucket-brigade got the fire under control.

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RAIN STOPS GAME

Sharp Contest with Vermont Ends with Score a Tie

With the score standing 2-2, the game between Williams and the University of Vermont yesterday afternoon on Weston Field was called on account of rain after four and one-half innings of play. The game was fast, and the teams evenly matched. The visitors hit the ball hard, but sharp, brilliant fielding in tight places prevented more runs. Williams obtained but one hit, but it came at the right time.

University of Vermont, first at bat, opened the game with three hits and a run. Gardner reached third on an error by Warren, and crossed the plate on Campbell's line fly to center, which was misjudged. A sharp throw by Wadsworth after a hard stop cut off Campbell at the plate. Williams' two runs were brought in after two were out, when Young was hit, the visitors' short stop fumbled Neild's grounder, and Hogan's single got by the center fielder, Young and Neild scoring. Rain interrupted the game for a few minutes at the end of the third inning, but play was resumed and Vermont tied the score on a wild throw to first after a bunt. The game was declared "off" by Umpire Jeffrey after Vermont had been retired in the fifth inning.

The score by innings follows:

						R	H	E
Vermont	1	0	0	1	0	2	7	2
Williams	2	0	0	0	x	2	1	3

Williams Defeats North Adams

The college golf team played the first match of the season yesterday afternoon against the North Adams Country Club team at North Adams. Williams won easily 13 to 2. Nassau system. H. P. Drysdale '97 headed the North Adams team. Rain interfered with the play to some extent, yet all the matches but one were finished. Wilcox 1909 won the first round and the match from Potter and was one hole ahead on the second round when the match was called on account of rain. The two best scores of the afternoon were made by members of the college team, 77 and 79 for eighteen holes. The score follows:

Williams		North Adams	
A. Mitchell '07	3	Drysdale	0
E. A. Clapp '06	3	Noble	0
L. Mitchell '07	2	Brown	0
H. Wilcox '09	2	Potter	0
A. Gregory '07	0	Hunter	0
G. Lynde '08	3	Watson	2
	13		2

Address by H. B. Clark '03

Mr. Herbert B. Clark 1903, of the North Adams common council, will address the Good Government Club at Jesup Hall next Thursday evening, May 10. He will take for his subject: "Municipal ownership of public utilities in the United States". As a councilman in the city of North Adams, Mr. Clark waged a successful campaign against municipal ownership at the election last year, and is a representative of his party especially opposed to any form of municipal control.

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1909 WINS FROM 1908

In Second Annual Interclass Debate Last Evening

The freshmen, supporting the negative of the question, were victorious in the second annual interclass debate held in Jesup Hall last night. The subject, "Resolved, that 'varsity ball players should be allowed to play on summer baseball teams," was presented in such a manner as to leave little choice between the relative merits of the teams. The general arguments were emphasized by considerable repetition, and neither of the teams was very strong in rebuttal. A notable omission was the failure of either team to define the subject.

The affirmative in general showed that present evils of summer baseball are not done away with, that abolition of summer ball is not the solution of the problem, and that there are manifold benefits of summer ball to players.

The negative argued that other sports would be contaminated by professionalism in baseball, and that this profesionalism would thwart the main objects of intercollegiate athletics. For the affirmative McIntyre did well in the general argument and Johnson excelled in the rebuttal. Robb did the best work for the negative.

The judges, Mr. Lewis, Prof. T. C. Smith and Prof. McElfresh, were out about five minutes.

Freshman Oratorical Preliminaries

The following freshmen have been chosen to take part in the preliminaries to the annual oratorical contest: Botteford, Carlisle, Dodd, Ernst, Eurich, Hanson, Hazelton, Hill, K. J. Howe, Johnston, Klauser, Menard, Noehren, Robb, Russell, Sayre, Sterne, Toll, von Witzleben, Westen, Westbrook, Wood. The preliminaries will take place about May 14, and the final about May 21.

Mission Anniversary Oct. 9-12

The American Board of Foreign Missions has accepted the invitation of the churches of North Adams to hold its annual meeting in that city next October. The meetings will be held from October 9 to 12. On Wednesday, Oct. 10, there will be special services in Williamstown, in celebration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of Foreign Missions in August 1806. Meetings will held in the chapel in the morning and at the haystack monument in Mission Park in the afternoon.

A meeting of the general committee for the celebration in Williamstown, consisting of Prof. Mears, Rev. Mr. Clayton and Mrs. Wild, was held last evening and the various matters of business pertaining to that event were assigned to six sub-committees, which have not yet definitely organized.

NOTICES

—All candidates for the position of assistant business manager and assistant stage manager of Cap and Bells are requested to hand their names to Botsford 1906 before Friday.

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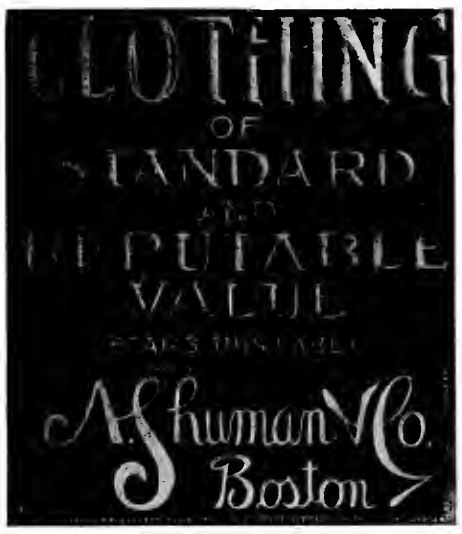
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TENNIS

Schedule of Four Tournaments—The Prospects

In spite of the loss of a strong player in Northrop 1905, the tennis team gives promise of another successful season this spring. Smith 1906, New England intercollegiate singles champion in 1904, and with Northrop winner of the doubles championship last year, will captain a team strengthened by new material. Besides Westcott 1908, who played last year, Linen 1907, who was not in college last spring, and T. K. Thompson 1908, who entered this year from the University of Minnesota, are candidates with much tournament experience.

With relation to the other colleges in the triangular league Dartmouth shows a strong team, while Wesleyan seems to be somewhat weaker. The Amherst team will probably not be up to last year's standard. Fanning of M. I. T., last year's New England intercollegiate singles champion, will play in the tournament again this year. The schedule, approved yesterday by the faculty committee, follows. All the matches, except one with the faculty on a date as yet undecided, will be out of town.

May 16, Springfield Country Club, at Springfield.

May 25 and 26, Triangular Tournament at Middletown. (Dartmouth, Wesleyan and Williams).

May 28, 29, and 30, New England Intercollegiate tournament, at the Longwood Cricket Club, Boston.

June 9, Amherst at Amherst.

COLLEGE NOTES

Dr. Pratt will speak before the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall Sunday evening, May 20.

President Hopkins left for New York today on college business, and will speak before the students of Mt. Holyoke college Sunday.

The spring handicap golf tournament will begin Monday. Handicaps will be posted in the clubhouse, and the chart of holes at which strokes may be taken.

The annual meeting of the Intercollegiate Basketball association was held this week at Columbia University. The University of Pennsylvania was formally awarded the championship for the season of 1905-06. The membership will be unchanged for next year.

Mr. W. S. Pettit 1905 read a paper on "The Religious Condition in the College" before the monthly meeting of the ministers' club of Williamstown Monday.

Cap and Bells will give "The Man from Mexico" at the Pi Eta club-house, Cambridge, Wednesday evening, May 9. The Pi Eta Society is largely a dramatic club and has a private theatre connected with its club-house.

An article by Dr. Pratt, entitled "Types of Religious Belief," which appeared in the March number of the American Journal of Religious Psychology and Education, has recently been reprinted in pamphlet form. This embodies the results of much investigtion by means of printed circulars widely sent out, inquiring about religious ideas and experiences. It is to form a chapter in a book Dr.

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Pratt is now preparing on the psychological bases of religious belief.

Conover 1907 has been taken on the track training table.

1908 beat a team styled the "Never Was", captained by Slattery '08, 4 to 3 on the old campus yesterday. Longbridge and Bowker were the 1908 battery; Brady, Westcott and Elder for the other team.

By adopting, at a meeting held in Jesup Hall this noon, the constitution framed by members of various individual college good government clubs shortly after the student conference with President Roosevelt at Washington in March, the Williams College City Government Club has become a member of the Intercollegiate League of Civic Clubs.

At a 1909 class meeting yesterday noon the following supper committee was elected: John Franklin Crawford, of Flushing, N. Y.; George Engelhard, of Evanston, Ill.; Charles Bonnifield Hormel, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Stillman Foote Westbrook, of Ogdensburg, N. Y.; and Eleazer Deming Williams, of Pittsfield, Mass.

Schedule of Semi-Annual Examinations, June 11-20, 1906.

MONDAY, JUNE 11:—8:30 A. M., German 2, 16 H.; German 3, 16 H.; 2:30 P. M., Latin 3, 5 G.; Physics 2. T. P. L.

TUESDAY, JUNE 12:—8:30 A.M., Economics 1, 1 G.; Economics 3, 4 G.; English 7, 4 Gh.; Mathematics 1, 16 H.; Spanish, 8 H.; 2:30 P. M., Biology 3, T. B. L.; Chemistry 2, T. C. L.; History 7, 7 G.; Mathematics 3, 4 H.; Mathematics 4b, 4 H.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13:—8:30 A. M., Botany. T. B. L.; English 13, 4 Gh.; Mathematics 2, 4 H.; Mathematics 5. 4 H.; 2:30 P.M., History 4, 7 G.; Philosophy 7, 6 and 10 H.; Physics 3, T. P. L.

THURSDAY, JUNE 14:—8:30 A. M., Geology 1, Cl.; Oratory 2, 6 H.; Latin 1, 16 H.; 2:30 P. M., Chemistry 4, T. C. L.; English 11, 6 and 7 H.; Government 3, 4 G.; History 3, 6 G.

FRIDAY, JUNE 15:—8:30 A. M., Astronomy 2, T. P. L.; Economics 4, 4 G.; French 1, 16 H.; Philosophy 4, 10 H.; 2:30 P. M., French 2, 16 H.; French 4, 16 H.; Government 7, 4 G.

SATURDAY, JUNE 16:—8:30 A. M., Biology 4, T. B. L.; French 6, 12 H.; German 1, 16 H.; Government 2, 4 G.; Philosophy 6, 10 H.; 2:30 P. M., English 8, 6 and 7 H.; German 6, 2 Gh.; Philosophy 5, 6 and 10 H.

MONDAY, JUNE 18:— 8:30 A. M., Anatomy, T. B. L.; Astronomy 1., T. P. L.; History 1b, 16 H.; 2:30 P. M., Greek 1, 16 H.; Greek 2, 16 H.; Philosophy 9, 10 H.

TUESDAY, JUNE 19:—8:30 A. M., Biology 1, 16 H.; Biology 2, T. B. L.; Chemistry 5, T. C. L.; Greek 3, 11 H.; It. Renais., 8 H.; 2:30 P. M., Government 8, 4 G.; History 6, 7 G.; Latin 2, 16 H.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20:—8:30 A. M., English 1, 16 H.; English 3, 4 Gh.; Geology 2b, Cl.; Government 5, 4 G.

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AMHERST

Purple and White Shut Out on Pratt Field—Ford Fans Twelve

Williams shut out Amherst Saturday, 2 to 0, on Pratt Field in a brilliant game of baseball. The Purple won by Ford's baffling pitching, which retired 12 men and allowed one scratch hit, and by two hits and base-running in the second. The fielding of both teams was sharp. Waters' accurate throwing allowed no stolen bases, Warren covered half the field in center, and Young, in the last play of the game, made a lightning stop and throw to first for a double play. The Amherst pitchers were located frequently, but only five safe hits were scored, all clean drives. Newell made two lucky stops and Hogan was robbed of three hits by sensational catches. The outcome of the game was never in doubt.

The two runs were made in the second. Osterhout walked and took second on Waters' sacrifice. Harman's single gave him third, and he came home after McRae had caught Ford's long fly to left. Wadsworth then scored Harman on a two-bagger. McRae replaced Newell as pitcher in the third, and allowed but one hit. Jones made Amherst's hit on a slow roller toward third in the eighth and reached second on a sacrifice; only one other Amherst man got as far.

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	P O	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	4	0	1	1	0	1
Warren cf,	3	0	1	4	0	0
Young ss,	3	0	1	2	1	0
Neild 3b,	3	0	1	0	2	0
Hogan lf,	4	0	0	1	0	0
Osterhout rf,	2	1	0	0	0	0
Waters c,	2	0	0	13	2	0
Harman 1b,	3	1	1	7	0	0
Ford p,	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	27	2	5	27	6	1

AMHERST

	AB	R	H	P O	A	E
Wheeler cf,	4	0	0	1	0	0
Palmer 1b,	3	0	0	10	1	2
Storke 3b,	4	0	0	1	3	0
Beach ss,	3	0	0	4	0	1
Shattuck rf,	3	0	0	1	1	1
Spring c,	2	0	0	4	4	0
Newell p,	0	0	0	1	2	0
McRae lf, p,	3	0	0	3	2	0
Jones lf,	3	0	1	1	0	0
Allaire 2b,	2	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	26	0	1	27	15	4

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Two-base hit—Wadsworth. Sacrifice hits—Warren, Neild, Waters, Allaire. Stolen bases — Warren 2, Young. Bases on balls—Off Ford 3, off Newell 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Ford, Spring; by McRae, Young, Osterhout. Struck out—By Ford 12, by Newell 1, by McRae 4. Double plays—Young and Harman. McRae and Allaire, Storke and Beach. Time—1 hr. 37 min. Umpire—Rorty.

WESLEYAN

Track Meet Won from Red and Black, 79 Points to 47

Williams defeated Wesleyan Saturday afternoon in a dual track meet on Weston Field, 79 points to 47, exactly the same score as the Dartmouth meet of last year. Williams won nine firsts, eight seconds and ten thirds, scoring in each event. In the 880-yd. run, high hurdles and high jump, Williams secured all three places. The rain of the morning made the track slow but the times made were, on the whole,



CAPTAIN BENSON OF WESLEYAN

good. Horrax got 14 points, and Griswold 10 for Williams. Kent, McCormick and Dearborn made 34 of Wesleyan's 47 points.

The surprise of the day was the defeat of Capt. Benson of Wesleyan in the two-mile. Tired out by the hard race in the mile, which B. P. Allen won by a good spirt at the finish, he started off fast, running the first half in 5.10. He was not able to stand the pace, and was passed by Bonner and Davis on the last lap, Bonner winning out by a yard in fast time. The time in the half was the best of the day, Ayers and Eggleston, a yard apart at the finish, winning ensily. The finals of the dashes were close and Kent chased Griswold out well in the low hurdles.

The field events were not so closely contested. Dearborn threw the discus eighteen feet beyond the Williams record, and also won the hammer and was second in the shot. Bowker, in the discus, made second on his last throw, and Kent of Wesleyan won the broad jump in the same way.

The officials were: referee, P. H. Hurley of Worcester; starter, H. L. Dadmun of Worcester;

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HARVARD

Williams Defeats Crimson Golfers 23 1-2 to 0—Best Ball of 73

The golf match with the Harvard team, played on the links of the Taconic club, Saturday afternoon, resulted in a victory for Williams by the unexpectedly large score of 23½ to 0. Tuxedo system of scoring, a point for the match and half a point for every hole up. On the morning rounds of eighteen holes, individual match play, Williams scored 15 points, Harvard 0; in the afternoon rounds of eighteen holes, four ball foursomes, the score was Williams 8½, Harvard 0.

Although the course was not in the best of condition, the greens were smooth and true. The Cambridge team was handicapped by the absence of Pierre A. Proal, who usually plays No. 3. Throughout the match the Williams players were in exceptionally good form, while most of the Harvard golfers, especially in the individual matches, were off their game. Three holes were made in the unusual score of 2, one of them, the seventh, having a bogey of 4, by Wilder of Harvard, squaring his match with L. Mitchell. The White-A. Mitchell match carried the gallery in the morning. The Harvard captain led by a single hole going out, but saved himself from defeat by accurate putting on the seventeenth and eighteenth. Wilcox 1909 made the best rounds in the individual match, scoring 40-41, 81; Gregory 1907 had no difficulty with Hickox.

In the afternoon White and Ingalls were paired against Clapp and Wilcox, who took the lead at the first hole, were three ahead at the end of the first nine holes, and finished eight up, having a best ball of 73. Wilcox scored a 39 and Clapp a 38. White had a 39 on the first round, while Ingalls was not in form. The best ball of the two Williams players follows:

4 5 4 3 3 5 3 3 5—35
4 5 5 3 4 5 3 4 5—38—73

A. Mitchell played the most consistent game in the afternoon, with an 81.

The score follows:

MORNING ROUNDS.

Williams		Harvard	
A. Mitchell	0	A. L. White	0
E. A. Clapp	3½	F. Ingalls	0
L. Mitchell	0	H. H. Wilder	0
H. Wilcox	6	W. Minot	0
G. Lynde	2½	I. S. Broun	0
A. Gregory	3	W. Hickox	0
	15		0

AFTERNOON ROUNDS.

Williams		Harvard	
Clapp-Wilcox	5	White-Ingalls	0
Mitchell-Mitchell	3½	Wilder, Brown	0
Gregory-Lynde	0	Minot-Hickox	0
	8½		0

Total, Williams 23½; Harvard 0.

CALENDAR

MONDAY, MAY 7

8.00 p. m.—Van Vechten prize speaking contest, J. H.

TUESDAY, MAY 8

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Andover baseball, Brother's Field, Andover.

7.30 p. m.—Classical society, west wing of the Library. Papers by Dr. Gerig on "A Few Comparisons of Roumanian, Umbrian and Classical Latin;" by Mr. P. Smith on "Aristotle's Contributions to the Theory of the State;" by Durfee '07 on "The Development of Roman Tactics and Roman Contributions to the Art of War;" and by Buffinton '07 on "The History of the Gladiatorial Shows."

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Harvard baseball, Soldiers' Field, Cambridge.

2.30 p. m.—1909-Troy High school baseball, Weston Field.

4.00 p. m.—1906-1908 baseball, Weston Field.

8.15 p. m.—Cap and Bells presents "The Man from Mexico" at Pi Eta clubhouse, Cambridge.

THURSDAY, MAY 10

9.00 a. m.—Regular spring meeting of the Board of Trustees, president's residence.

8.00 p. m.—Address by Herbert C. Clark '03, of North Adams, under auspices of the Good Government Club, on "The Municipal Ownership of Public Utilities," J. H.

8.30 p. m.—Senior smoker, J. H.

TO MANAGE TRACK TEAM

W. E. Slattery '08 Chosen Sophomore Assistant

At a college meeting held Thursday evening in Jesup Hall, William Ernest Slattery of North Troy, N. Y., was elected sophomore assistant manager of the track association. He will become assistant manager next fall and will be 'varsity manager in 1908. Slattery prepared for college at the Troy Academy, from which he graduated in 1903. He is a member of the sophomore prom. committee.

During the track election a ballot was taken on the nominations for assistant manager of the debating association, and James Atkins Bullard of East Orange, N. J., was elected. Bullard resigned Friday.

Sunday Speakers

The following members of the faculty will give Sunday afternoon talks to the seniors: Dr. Bascom, May 13; Dr. F. H. Howard, May 20; President Hopkins, May 27; Dr. Franklin Carter, June 3.

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A Williams Day

Amherst had a veteran team in Saturday's line-up, Williams but three players of two years 'varsity experience. Amherst started the year with one of the best amateur pitchers in New England still in college as well as an experienced second-string man, Williams' two candidates had pitched in but five full games of college baseball. That in spite of these handicaps the nine was able to defeat Amherst on Pratt Field in the first game of the series shows hard work in practice, and is particularly gratifying. Though Ford's pitching was the prime cause of Amherst's defeat, for Captain Neild's men thus early in the season to play with but one error in the enemy's country shows that the team was playing ball all the time. The nine has the confidence of the college. It is early to get too enthusiastic, but if the present ability in the field and the box can be supplemented by equal ability at the bat, an old-time season is to be hoped for.

Meanwhile it was all purple in Williamstown. The track men surprised the college not so much by the size of their victory as by the quality of their performances and the evenness of the ability shown. The trouble with Williams in track in the past has been a lack of second-string men. That nineteen men won points is an encouraging sign for next Saturday's meet with a team that always wins on seconds and thirds. The golf team's victory was the most decisive and least expected of any. Harvard ranks just as high in golf as in the major sports and is defeated just as seldom.

Not in three years has the Purple won so many important victories in one day as on Saturday. Baseball, track, and golf have all started the season right. It certainly was a Williams day.

Williams Songs

During the past year our nearest colleges have been singularly fortunate in the advent of the song-writing spirit. A Wesleyan sub-freshman wrote in "While We Shout Victory" what to our mind is the most successful of the many songs of the Red and Black, in combining tuneful melody with a yell-rythm that makes it a musical cheer. Amherst undergraduates have written "Lord Geoffrey Amherst" and, still more recently, "Here's to Amherst". Not since the writing of the "Alma Mater Song" by D. W. Marvin '01, has a catchy new song been written by an undergraduate. Perhaps the fault is not with the musical geniuses. Certainly no attention was paid to the song written by T. M. Banks '90 last fall to the dignified, inspiring tune of the Russian national air—a song better than any number of parodies of popular tunes written to be used on a single occasion.

College songs are of two kinds, the hymns and the slogans. Williams has many of the first kind, the "Alma Mater Song" and "The Royal Purple" are on the border line, while even "Come Fill Your Glasses Up," the only real Williams rallying song we can claim, is written to borrowed music. Even "The Grand Old Duke" might have been a Dartmouth song as well as a Williams one, had not fate perhaps thought it more fitting for those so much more used to marching up hills and down.

Williams needs more slogans, songs truly localized, with a swing and a dash to them that can make them as effective as cheers. There is a good field for any undergraduate that can compose—and there must be some—to do something for the college right here. The Record claims no musical genius, but it does feel competent, if it cannot write a rallying song, to try to revive an old one we do not use. We refer particularly to the third verse of "The Royal Purple". For the benefit of freshmen and others to whom it is not familiar or readily accessible, we have been asked to quote the verse in these columns:

"They may lead us ov'ry inning,
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SPRING TRUSTEE MEETING

Will be Held in Williamstown Next Thursday

The regular spring meeting of the board of trustees will be held during the morning and afternoon of next Thursday, May 10, at President Hopkins' residence. The reports of all the different members of the faculty have been printed and copies sent to each of the trustees. These will be considered at the meeting, and the routine appropriations made. The honorary degrees given at Commencement will be decided upon, although these are never announced until the day before Commencement. Promotions will be made, arrangements for new instructors announced, and leaves of absence granted by the trustees at this meeting.

There will be no special business of an important nature like the consideration of the new dormitory last year, to come up. During the year the two oldest in point of service of the permanent trustees have died, Hon. James Madison Barker, L. L. D., '60, of Pittsfield, a member of the committee on grounds, buildings and improvements, on Oct. 2, 1905; and Rev. Robert Russell Booth, D. D., L. L. D., '49, of New York city, a member of the executive committee, on Nov. 23, 1905. Rev. Dr. Booth had been a trustee thirty-nine years. It is probable that any action with reference to new trustees will be confined to the discussion of candidates, and the election put over until the Commencement week meeting on June 25.

Basketball Election

All candidates for the position of vice-president and assistant manager of the basketball association are requested to hand their names to Manager Moies on or before Sunday, May 13.

A meeting of the class of 1908 for nomination of candidates for the above offices will be held on Monday, May 21, at 1:30 p. m., and a college meeting for election of assistant manager on that date at 7:30 p. m.

C. P. Moies, football manager.

Cap and Bells Officers

At a meeting of Cap and Bells held Friday evening in Jesup Hall the following officers were elected for next year: President, Jaeckel 1907; executive committee, Combes 1907, Jaeckel 1907, Pierce 1907; assistant business manager, Webster 1908; assistant stage manager, MacLaren 1908. It was voted to give a loving cup to Donald McDonald as an appreciation of his services as coach of the cast this season.

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Wesleyan

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Summary of Events

100-yards dash—Won by McCormick of Wesleyan; Kent of Wesleyan, 2d; Cowperthwait of Williams, 3d; time 10 4-5s.

220-yards dash—Won by McCormick of Wesleyan; Clark of Williams, 2d; Cowperthwait of Williams 3d; time, 23 3-5s.

440-yards dash—Won by Hurlbut of Williams; Wells of Williams, 2d; Moore of Wesleyan, 3d; time, 54 4-5s.

880-yards run—Won by Ayers of Williams; Eggleston of Williams 2d; Conover of Williams 3d; time 2m, 4 3-5s.

Mile run—Won by B. P. Allen of Williams; Benson of Wesleyan, 2d; Lesser of Williams, 3d; time, 4m. 45 1-5s.

Two mile run—Won by Benner of Williams; Davis of Williams 2d; Benson of Wesleyan, 3d; time, 10m. 27 1-5s.

120-yards hurdles—Won by Griswold of Williams; Horrax of Williams, 2d; A. Brown of Williams, 3d; time, 16 4-5s.

220-yards hurdles—Won by Griswold of Williams; Kent of Wesleyan, 2d; A. Brown of Williams, 3d; time, 26 4-5s.

Running high jump—Tie between Horrax of Williams, A. Brown of Williams, M. Brown of Williams, 5 ft. 5 in.

Running broad jump—Won by Kent of Wesleyan, 21ft. 4 in; Horrax of Williams, 2d, 20ft 10¾ in; Brown of Williams, 3d; 19ft 9½in.

Pole vault—Won by Horrax of Williams, 9ft 9 in; Edsall of Wesleyan, 2d, 9ft 6 in; Martin of Wesleyan 3d, 9ft 3in.

Shot-put—Won by Marshall of Williams, 39ft 9½in; Dearborn of Wesleyan, 2d; 38ft 11½in; Swain of Williams, 3d, 33ft 6in.

Throwing hammer—Won by Dearborn of Wesleyan, 113ft 11 in; North of Wesleyan, 2d, 113ft 10 in; LaMent of Williams, 3d, 111 ft 11in.

Throwing discus—Won by Dearborn of Wesleyan, 118 ft. 2in; Bowker of Williams, 2d, 94 ft 1½in; Cole of Wesleyan, 3d, 93 ft. 9 in.

Score of Events

	Wesleyan	Williams
One-mile run	3	6
440-yd. run	1	8
100 yd. dash	8	1
120-yd. hurdles	0	9
880-yd run	0	9
Two mile run	1	8
220-yd. dash	5	4
220-yd. hurdles	3	6
High jump	0	9
Shot put	3	6
Broad jump	5	4
Hammer throw	8	1
Pole vault	4	5
Discus throw	6	3
	47	79

Lit. Notice

Contrary to the usual custom the Lit. board will hold a meeting Friday evening, June 8, in addition to the regular fall meeting, to consider manuscript for the October number. All contributions must be in the hands of a member of the board or left at 6 East College before 6 p. m. of that date.

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On Thursday morning the Massachusetts Legislature committee on taxation held an executive session to decide on the report to be made to the legislature on the Feiker bill for taxing revenue-yielding college property. At the morning meeting the committee voted 9-6 to recommend reference to the next session of the legislature. Those close to the leaders in the legislature had considered that such an adverse report would kill the bill. Shortly afterwards, through the efforts of Senator Feiker, two members of the committee changed their votes, and by a vote of 8-7, the committee decided to report the bill favorably to the legislature, with this amendment, however, that dormitories be exempted from taxation. This would tax presidents' and professors' houses, athletic fields, farms, infirmaries, etc., including every property yielding revenue to the colleges except dormitories. Thursday afternoon, however, the committee decided upon another reconsideration and by a vote of 9-6 determined to report adversely again.

Extemporaneous Speaking Contest

At 8 o'clock tonight in Jesup Hall, the annual contest for the A. V. W. Van Vechten extemporaneous speaking prize will be held. This prize, amounting to seventy dollars, which was established by Mr. A. V. W. Van Vechten of the class of 1847, is open only to seniors. The candidates will come to Jesup Hall one hour before they are scheduled to speak, and receive from Mr. Lewis a list of ten subjects of general or peculiar college interest, from which to choose one. The decision of the three judges is not made public until Commencement. Mr. Van Vechten has recently published a list of the winners of the prize.

Y. M. C. A. Meeting

Rev. Howard Chandler Robbins, rector of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal church of Englewood, N. J., spoke before the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall last night. He took as his text the words of the Assyrian sorcerer, "How shall I curse whom the Lord hath not cursed? How shall I defy whom the Lord hath not defied?" in reproving the present day tendency to give ear "to the man with the muck-rake."

Meeting of Worcester Alumni

The fourth annual meeting of the Williams alumni association of Worcester county will be held at the Worcester club, Worcester, on Friday evening at 7:00 o'clock. It is expected that President Hopkins will represent the college. The question as to the future of the organization will be brought before this meeting. The president of the association, G. Stanley Hall, Ph. D., L. L. D., '67, president of Clark University, will preside.

'97—Lyman H. Toombs has recently accepted a position with the law department of the Title Guarantee and Trust Co., New York city.

'95.—William B. Frear has been elected president of the Troy High school alumni association, one of the first associations of High school alumni ever formed.

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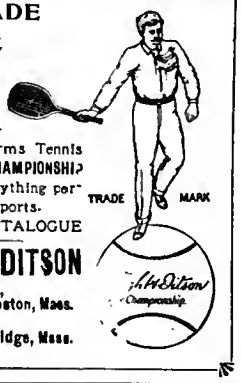
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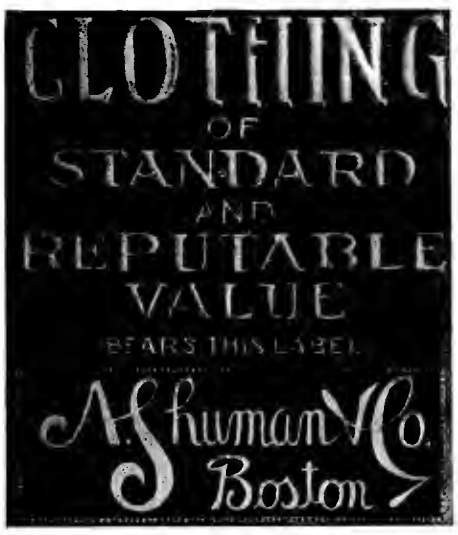
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THE EASTERN TRIP

Purple Plays Andover Tomorrow and Harvard Wednesday

The Williams team left on the 3:50 train this afternoon for an eastern trip in which Andover will be played on Brother's Field tomorrow, and Harvard on Soldiers' Field, Wednesday. Williams has won but one victory out of the five games played with Andover in recent years. The Purple won in 1898 by the score of 2-1; in the last three years, Andover has won consecutively. Lanigan, who pitched against Williams the last two years, will probably be in the box tomorrow.

Since 1893 Harvard has won 16 games to Williams' 4, usually by a wide margin. Harvard was defeated in 1894, 13-11; in 1896, 2-1; in 1899, 6-4; and in 1901, 5-4, the last two in Cambridge. The Crimson was defeated on April 28 by Dartmouth in a game lost because of Skillin's pitching and Harvard errors.

The batting orders of the teams follow:

WILLIAMS: Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Hogan lf, Osterhout rf, Waters c, Harman 1b, Pierce (at Andover), Ford (at Harvard) p.

ANDOVER: Murphy lf, H. Merritt 3b, Fels ss, B. Reilly 2b, Gunning 1b, Daly rf, Lanigan cf or p, Jones or Hennessey c, J. Reilly p. or cf.

HARVARD: Dexter lf, Leonard 3b, Stephenson c, McCall 2b, Burr 1b, McCarty rf, Hellman cf, Hartford or Castle p. Harvey ss.

Andover Scores

Andover	5	Bates	2
Andover	0	Dartmouth	6
Andover	2	Villa Nova	3
Andover	4	Harvard '09	1
Andover	2	Colby	5
Andover	4	Yale	3

Harvard Scores

Harvard	9	Vermont	4
Harvard	13	Trinity(Conn.)	0
Harvard	5	Trinity (N.C.)	6
Harvard	7	Randolph	3
Harvard	4	Navy	2
Harvard	4	Bates	0
Harvard	0	Dartmouth	3
Harvard	2	Amherst	1
Harvard	2	Holy Cross	4

Classical Society Meeting

The program for the Classical Society meeting, to be held tomorrow evening at 7:30 in the west wing of the library, will include the papers by Dr. Gerig on "A Few Comparisons of Roumanian, Umbrian, and Classical Latin" and by Mr. Preserved Smith on "Aristotle's Contributions to the Theory of the State", which were omitted at the last meeting. In addition papers will be read by Durfee '07 on "The Development of Roman Tactics and Roman Contributions to the Art of War", and by Buffinton '07 on "The History of the Gladiatorial Shows". In case it is decided to hold no other meeting later in the month, the annual election of officers will follow.

Rooms Taken

The following rooms had been reserved for next year, this noon: 7, 8, 10, 11, 13, 14, 16 B. H.; 9, 25 C. H.; 3, 4, 6, 12, 15, 17, 23, 24 E.C.; 1, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 12, 16, 17, 18, 28, 29, 32, 37, 38, M. H.; 3, 10, 11, 12, 8, C; 6, 14, 15 W. C.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Domett 1907 accompanied the team to Amherst as official scorer.

The subsequent class games will be held on Weston Field.

On Thursday afternoon 1909 defeated the East College baseball team 5 to 3.

The list of Easter double cuts has been posted in case 3, Hopkins Hall.

A senior smoker will probably be held next Thursday evening on the Jesup Hall steps.

The crushed stone and concrete work on the swimming pool is being pushed rapidly. Twenty men were at work Saturday.

The election of officers of the city government club will take place at a meeting after H. B. Clark's address Thursday evening.

Mr. Lewis will deliver the Memorial day address at the exercises held in North Adams by the Grand Army Post and the Sons of Veterans.

Clark 1907 has received an appointment as temporary assistant at the Government Biological Laboratory at Woods Holl from July 1 to September 1.

All ball-playing has been forbidden on the small campus north of Hopkins Hall, in accordance with clause 33 of the college laws.

The old flag-pole in front of the Greylock, upon which the championship banners of the past years has been raised, has been taken down.

The prom.-week performance of "The Man from Mexico" will be given by Cap and Bells in the Opera house Wednesday morning May 30, at 10:30 o'clock.

The following alumni have been in town: Ludlow '92. Merrett 1900, Rooney, Suffern 1901. S. H. Cox, Doughty 1903. Erskine 1904, Eldred 1905.

The last copy for the 1910 "freshman bible" has been sent to the printer and it is expected that the book will be out by June. The contract has been awarded to the Excelsior Printing Co., North Adams.

The Williamstown High School beat the 1907 class team on the High School grounds Thursday afternoon by the score of 17 to 6. Tower, pitching for 1907, was knocked out of the box and was replaced by Hoyne, after which no runs were made.

The tiling for the swimming pool is in charge of the Bradley, Currier Co., of New York. The Mitchell Co., of Boston, have the contract for the plumbing, and Franklin, also of Boston, will install the heating apparatus. The concrete work will be in charge of the Eastern Expanded Metal Co., of Boston.

A large number of students went to the station Saturday night to meet the team on its return from Amherst. After marching up from the station in front of the drag containing the nine, a stop was made at the old campus, where a bonfire had been built. Speeches were made by each of the team and Mgr. McAllister. Another celebration was held later in the evening.

Ex-'08—Bellamy has accepted a position with a law publishing firm at Rochester.

1900—Hobart C. Dickinson has entered the employment of the Bureau of Standards, at Washington.

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HARVARD BEATEN 5-2

1906 Team Wins Greatest Baseball Victory in Five Years Wednesday

Williams Plays Errorless Ball—Ford Again Strikes Out Twelve—Long Hit by Warren, Fast Base-Running and Harvard Misplays in Third Inning—Attempted Steal Home Fails in Ninth.

For the first time in five years, Williams defeated Harvard in baseball yesterday 5-2 on Soldiers' Field. The team played an errorless game, and made their hits count. Ford, after a bit of wildness in the second, pitched strongly, struck out twelve men, and kept Harvard's nine hits scattered.

The third inning won the game. Waters walked, and Harman followed him to first on an error. Hartford struck out Ford and Wadsworth, but Warren came to time with a hit good for three bases that produced two tallies; but as he overran first he had only time to get back to the base again before the ball was fielded in. Young got a base on balls, Warren and Young made a pretty double steal, and Stephenson's passed ball let Warren in. Harvard began to throw the ball around, Hartford went into the air, and a gift to Nield, an error by Harvey, and a hit by Hogan sent two more men into the run column. Castle went into the box in the fourth and held Williams safe, striking out six of the last eight men that faced him.

A double and a single in the third scored Leonard for Harvard, and two more hits in the fifth gave him another run. Castle, first up in the ninth, sent out a two-base hit and took third on an out, but was caught by Ford and Waters in an attempt to steal home. Warren's hitting and base running featured for Williams; Ford gave the fielders few hard chances. Both pitchers, when not striking batsmen out, made them hit into the air. Harvard's stolen base was due to interference by Stephenson with Waters' throw. Leonard did the best work for the Crimson, while Capt. Stephenson dropped two third strikes and had one passed ball.

The baseball association's summary follows:

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	4	0	0	2	1	0
Warren cf,	4	1	3	1	0	0
Young ss,	3	1	0	1	1	0
Neild 3b,	3	1	0	1	0	0
Hogan lf,	4	0	1	0	0	0
Osterhout rf,	4	0	0	0	0	0
Waters c,	3	1	1	14	1	0
Harman 1b,	2	1	0	8	0	0
Ford p,	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	30	5	5	27	6	0

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MEETING OF TRUSTEES

Routine Business Considered—Mr. Lewis and Dr. Hardy Promoted

The regular spring meeting of the Board of Trustees was held in the seminar room, Griffin Hall, this forenoon. The session commenced at 9 and adjourned at 1:40 o'clock. The following members of the board were present, besides Pres. Hopkins, who presided: Rev. William Wisner Adams, D. D., '55, of Fall River; Rev. Daniel Merriman, D. D., '63, of Worcester; Francis Lynde Stetson, M. A., '67, of New York city; William Henry Hollister, Jr., B. A., '70, of Troy, N. Y.; Pres. Henry Lefavour, Ph. D., LL. D., '83, of Boston; Rev. Harry Pinneo Dewey, D. D., '84, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Hon. Bently Wirt Warren, B. A., '85 of Boston; and Hon. James Robert Dunbar, B. A., '71, of Brookline.

Only routine business was considered, and no gifts were announced, or special appropriations made. The question of the election of new trustees was not discussed. Samuel E. Allen 1903 was appointed instructor in English. Mr. Allen comes from the Case School of Applied Sciences, Cleveland, O., where he has been at the head of the English department. An instructor in German was appointed, whose name is as yet not given out for publication.

The appointment was announced as instructor of French of M. Albert L. Guérard, of Paris, France. M. Guérard was secured by Prof. Morton while in Europe last summer from Emile Legouis, the professor of English literature at the Sorbonne. As teachers in France are pensioned after a long unbroken term of service under the government, arrangement was made by which M. Guérard's year at Williams will count the same as if he was working in France. He will assist Asst.-Prof. Weston in the course in Old French Literature, French 5, and will also teach part of French 2 and French 3. He speaks both English and French.

Dr. James Graham Hardy was promoted to the newly-created office of associate professor, of Mathematics. An associate professor will rank as a full professor, but will differ from a full professor in not being the head of the department. Mr. Edward Morgan Lewis was made assistant professor of Public Speaking and Oratory. Mr. Elmer Irwin Shepard was granted leave of absence for next year.

Ass't. Prof. Perry was granted fifteen months' leave of absence for next year. He will travel in France and Switzerland during the summer and fall, and will remain in France next winter attending lectures on literature at the Sorbonne. In the spring he intends to go to England and then to one of the colleges at Oxford in order to make a further study of English literature. He will remain in England until his return.

M. I. T. MEET SATURDAY

On Brookline Oval—Technology Records and Probable Points

Williams will meet the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in a dual track meet at 2:00 p. m., on the Brookline Oval, Brookline, Saturday. The Williams track team of twenty-three men will leave at 12:58 tomorrow. The team will stop at the Copley Square Hotel while in Boston, and will return to Williamstown Saturday night on the 10:53 train. The following men will be taken on the trip: Ayers, Cowperthwait, Egleston, Griswold 1906; A. J. Allen, A. Brown, M. Brown, Chapman, Conover, Davis, Hurlbut, Lesser, Wells, Wilder 1907; B. P. Allen, Bowker, Clark, LaMent, Marshall, Watters 1908; Bonner, Horrax, Swain 1909.

The Technology team contains four star athletes in Buckingham, Callaway, Knapp and Farrington, but has lost from last year's Worcester point-winners Capt. Lightner, the old Harvard sprinter. The team is not evenly balanced. It is weak in the sprints, with 10 4-5s. this year's best effort in the 100. Buckingham ran third to 4.36 3-5 at Worcester last year, and has done 4.44 this year. Callaway did the two-mile in 10.25 in 1904 and 1905, was fourth to 10.12 4-5 last year, and has done 10.25 3-5 this year. Clapp, their other two-miler, is about to leave to take up technical work in Chicago. Noyes, their best hurdler, has been unable to compete in any events this year, leaving M. I. T. weak here. As their best low hurdle time is 29 2-5, second can be given to Williams if A. Brown and Griswold both start. Wilson, fourth to 2.01 1-5 at Worcester in the half, is entered, though he has not taken part in any meets this year.

In the weights mention should be made of Capt. Knapp's hammer throw of 126ft., 7 in., at Worcester last year. Nisbet has a mark of 98 ft., 8 in., in the discus. The figuring for the jumps needs a word of explanation. Farrington, with a record of 5ft., 9 in., in the high jump, and 10 ft., 3 in. done at Worcester in the pole vault, is a consistent performer. He should at least tie for first in the high jump, on which basis points have been estimated. Orr, with a vault of 10 ft. in competition on April 21, is given third in the pole vault. Other records of Technology men are 55 s. in the quarter, 2.07 4-5 in the 880, 17 3-5s. in the high hurdles, 19 ft., 8 in., in the broad jump and 35 ft., 3½ in., in the shot.

The following estimate, conservative except in the sprints, gives Willisms the meet by a very close margin:

	Williams	M.I.T.
100-yd. dash	3	6
220-yd. dash	3	6
440-yd. dash	5	4
880-yd. run	6	3
One-mile run	3	6
Two-mile run	4	5
120-yd. hurdles	8	1
220-yd. hurdles	5	4
High jump	5	4
Broad jump	8	1
Pole vault	3	6
Shot put	5	4
Hammer throw	3	6
Discus throw	3	6
	64	62

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, MAY 10

8.00 p. m.—Address by Mr. H. B. Clark 1903, of North Adams, at the invitation of the Good Government Club, on "The Municipal Ownership of Public Utilities," J. H.

FRIDAY, MAY 11

7.00 p. m.—Meeting of Worcester alumni association, Worcester club, Worcester.

SATURDAY, MAY 12

2.00 p. m.—Williams-M. I. T. dual track meet, Brookline Oval, Brookline.

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Syracuse baseball, Weston Field.

3.15 p. m.—Williams-Island G. C. golf match, Troy.

4.00 p. m.—1906-1907 baseball, Weston Field.

7.30 p. m.—Service preparatory to Lord's supper, meeting room, basement of chapel.

SUNDAY, MAY 13

10.30 a. m.—College Chapel. Rev. Dr. A. J. Lyman, pastor of the South Congregational church, of Brooklyn, N. Y., will preach. Communion service.

4.30 p. m.—Talk to seniors, Dr. Bascom, J. H.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Rev. Dr. Lyman will speak.

N. E. I. A. A. Meet at Brookline

A meeting of the N. E. I. A. A. was held at Boston Saturday, at which the place for this year's championship track meet, to be held May 18 and 19, was discussed. Williams was unable to be represented. As no satisfactory final settlement of last year's involved accounts had been made by the Worcester management, it was decided to hold the games this year at Brookline Oval, Brookline, under the auspices of the M. I. T. This is the same track on which the Williams-Technology dual meet will be held Saturday. The track is a quarter of a mile long, with 220-yd. straightaway. The grandstand and bleachers sent about 1800 people, and the track house is equipped with shower-baths and lockers.

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The Harvard Game

For the second time within five days the baseball team has won a remarkable victory. Yesterday was the first time the Purple has flouted above the Crimson on Soldiers' Field since 1901. Timely hitting and zeros in the error column show why baseball stock has gone above par. Three successive out-of-town games have wrecked neither fielding nor batting averages.

Syracuse, Yale, Dartmouth, Vermont, Wesleyan, Princeton and Amherst, the games of the hardest part of the schedule are to follow. The nine is confident of itself. Add to this that the college continue to make clear—and loud—its confidence in the nine, and the victory over Harvard, in itself enough to redeem some seasons, should be only a prelude to further success on the diamond.

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Vandalism

It has been brought to our attention that cases of vandalism in the Library are becoming altogether too frequent. On preparing periodicals for binding recently it was found that an entire story had been cut out from the March 1905 Scribner's, and several pages of pictures from the April Cosmopolitan. Two numbers of the Lit. had to be secured from outside sources. It has been found necessary to keep a duplicate file of The Record to guard against this mutilation, and so examples might be multiplied.

The library affords a free reading-room for periodicals. Its files are only valuable in proportion to their completeness. Their mutilation is not a penal offense because it is too petty, so petty that any but petty men ought to be above it. That every year there are one or two in college who do it is all the more remarkable. It would seem that a *man's* sense of common decency would keep him from such acts of vandalism.

BOOK NOTICES

Biography of Samuel J. Mills 1809

The Pilgrim Press, of Boston, has recently published "Samuel J. Mills, Missionary Pathfinder, Pioneer and Promoter", by Rev. T. C. Richards '87. Mills graduated from Williams in the class of 1809, and was the moving spirit of the five who met under the haystack in 1806 and there started what became the foreign missionary movement. Mills later went to Andover, and, with Adoniram Judson, drew up a petition which led to a favorable report for the institution of a "Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions". He went on two missionary journeys in the United States, and died at sea, while returning from a trip to Africa, June 15, 1818.

This first extended biographical account of the real founder of American foreign missions is the result of much patient research work in a large amount of hitherto uncollected material. In the part dealing with Mills' life up to 1809 particular emphasis is laid on the formative influence of Litchfield County, in Connecticut, where Mills was born, and the two strangely mingled dominant traits of Mills' character, a remarkable power of earnest leadership, and great modesty. Mills' college life is treated in much detail, and the haystack meeting fully described. His aim and spirit are best described by his own words:—"Let us go over and help them!"—"We can do it, if we will." Though his more active religious life lasted but twelve years, his influence by both character and career was profound. The book is attractively gotten up, with purple cloth binding, and a Williams seal on the cover.

New Book by Prof. Russell

Prof. Russell has just issued his new text-book "An Elementary Logic", a 250-page 12mo, published by the Macmillan Company, New York. It aims to give a briefer and simpler treatment of the subject of logic than any book heretofore issued, and will be used as a text-book in Philosophy 5 at Williams next year.

Especial effort has been made to omit all technical and extraneous matter, and to present the pertinent facts clearly and definitely. As deductive logic is the logic of consistency, and inductive logic the logic of science, the main division of the book is into two parts along these respective lines. The first part, the logic of consistency, discusses concept, division, definition and classification, judgment, the logic of propositions, reasoning, the syllogism, and deductive inference. The second part, the logic of science, treats of the ascertainment of causal connection by observation and

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Although Prof. Russell states in his preface his indebtedness to John Stuart Mill's "Logic", he has made departures from prevailing methods in four branches of the study: inductive logic, judgment, syllogism and fallacies. The book affords in clear, concise and tangible form, without masses of topics too perplexing for a beginner, an elementary study of the principles of logic.

AFTER THIRTY YEARS

Reunion of the Class of 1876 This Commencement

The class of 1876 will celebrate the thirtieth anniversary of its graduation at Commencement at Williamstown this June. The class will have its reunion banquet at the Greylock hotel on Tuesday evening, June 26. Not enough members of the class will be present to warrant securing a house for headquarters, but the class will have some insignia in the way of hats and badges. It is expected that about fifteen members will be present.

The class of 1876 was small, graduating but thirty-seven, and of these, five have died. George K. Thompson in 1890, Dr. Roswell P. Collin in 1891, Prof. Hosmer C. Hill in 1896 and Stanley R. Kitchell in 1900. The present members of the class reside in fourteen states of the Union, and in Turkey. The occupations are divided as follows, nine lawyers, six teachers, four manufacturers, four ministers, three doctors, three editors, and three in miscellaneous lines of work. Among the better-known of its members are Rev. Lyndon S. Crawford, a missionary at Trebizond, Turkey; Francis H. Dewey of Worcester; Rev. James F. Eaton, a former president of Whitman college; Prof. John H. Haynes, formerly principal of Williamstown High school, United States Consul at Bagdad, and general manager of the Wolf expedition to Babylonia; Dr. Frank W. Olds of Williamstown; Clarence B. Roote, principal of Northampton High school; and corporation counsel George B. Wellington of New York city. Rev. Charles W. Huntington, D. D., of Toledo, is class secretary.

Trip to Helderberg Mountains

Weather permitting, on Friday and Saturday, Dr. Cleland and about fifteen members of Geology 1. will make the fourth annual trip to the Helderberg mountains in Albany County, N. Y., southwest of Albany, in the northern end of the Catskills. Those on the trip will leave Friday afternoon and spend the night in Albany. The party will drive fifteen miles from Voorheesville to New Salem, where the "Bear Trail" begins. The region offers wide opportunities for the study of limestone fossils, glacial boulders, and sink-holes, and the "Indian Ladder" is one of the most picturesque bits of scenery in the state. The party will return late Saturday night.

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Stephenson c,	4	0	1	13	4	0
Dexter lf,	4	0	2	2	0	0
Hellman cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
McCall 2b,	4	0	1	3	1	0
McCarty 1b,	4	0	1	8	0	0
Currier rf,	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hartford p,	0	0	0	0	0	1
Castle p,	3	0	1	0	1	0
Harvey ss,	4	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	34	2	9	27	6	3

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Harvard 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0—2

Two-base hits—Leonard, Castle. Stolen bases—Warren 2, Young; Leonard. Struck out—By Ford 12, by Hartford 6, by Castle 9. Bases on balls—Off Ford 2, off Hartford 3. Hit by pitched ball—By Ford, Hellman. Passed ball—Stephenson. Time—1 hr. 53 min. Umpire—Clarkson.

LONE RUN WINS GAME

Usual Result at Andover—Error Decides Pitcher's Battle

Andover added another to her successive list of victories over Williams by inflicting the first defeat of the season on Brothers' Field Tuesday. But a single run was needed, as Andover fielded faultlessly, and Lanigan allowed but two hits. Pierce was effective in the box, striking out eight, allowing Andover but five safe drives and steady in critical moments.

The game was lost, in general, because of weakness at the bat, in particular, because of the lone error of the game, in inning five. Fels, first man up stretched a single into a two-bagger, the ball hitting third base and bounding out to left field. Pierce then struck out the next two men. Daly sent a hard fly to left field which was dropped by Otsterhout after he had got the ball squarely in his hands after a long run, and Fels scored from second base before the ball got home. Only two Williams men reached second during the game. Nield in the fifth and Waters in the eighth. Nield got part way to third, but was tagged out.

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth 2b.	4	0	0	0	6	0
Warren cf,	1	0	0	1	0	0
Young ss.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Neild 3b,	2	0	0	0	0	0
Gardner rf,	2	0	1	1	0	0
Osterhout lf,	3	0	0	2	0	1
Waters c,	3	0	1	8	0	0
Harman 1b,	3	0	0	9	0	0
Pierce p,	3	0	0	1	0	0
Total	27	0	2	24	6	1

ANDOVER

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gunning 1b,	4	0	0	12	1	0
Murphy cf,	4	0	3	2	0	0
B. Reilly 2b,	4	0	1	1	1	0
Jones c,	4	0	0	7	1	0
Fels ss,	3	1	1	1	6	0
J. Reilly lf,	3	0	0	1	0	0
H. Merritt 3b,	3	0	0	2	1	0
Daly rf,	3	0	0	0	0	0
Lanigan p,	3	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	31	1	5	27	13	0

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Two-base hits—Fels, Murphy. Sacrifice hit—Gardner. Stolen base—Waters. Base on balls—Off Lanigan 1. Struck out—By Pierce 8, by Lanigan 6. Double play—Lanigan, Gunning and Murphy. Time—1 hr. 31 min. Umpire—Clarkson.

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For the four times that Syracuse and Williams have met on the diamond the honors are even. The last game, in 1903, was won by Syracuse 7-2.

The batting orders of both teams follow:

WILLIAMS: Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Hogan lf, Osterhout rf, Southworth or Waters c, Harman 1b, Pierce p.

SYRACUSE: Rutherford ss, Ryan cf, Scully 3b, Madden lf, Wilbur 1b, DuBrois rf, Wheeler 2b, McBirney or Watkey p, Davis or Dollard c.

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Syracuse	2	Fordham	8
Syracuse	0	Syracuse (league)	5
Syracuse	3	Amherst	0
Syracuse	6	Columbia	2
Syracuse	0	Brown	3
Syracuse	4	Tufts	5
Syracuse	0	Yale	5

Cap and Bells at Cambridge

Cap and Bells presented "The Man From Mexico" with great success before the Pi Eta club at Cambridge last evening. The performance was given only to members of the club and their invited guests. A dance was held at the clubhouse after the play.

COLLEGE NOTES

Merrill '92, Allen '95 and Stoddard 1900 have been in town.

The handicaps of the Metropolitan Golf association have been announced. Wilcox 1909 is handicapped at 4, the same number of strokes as Robert Abbot of Yale, the intercollegiate champion.

A meeting of the executive committee of the New England Classical association will be held in Springfield on Saturday. Prof. Howes, secretary-treasurer of the association, is a member of the committee, and will attend.

About half the college marched to the station early this morning to meet the team on the 5:35 train. Captain Nield responded to the cheering with a short speech.

The following is the complete list of rooms reserved for next year up to this noon: 7, 8, 10, 11, 13, 14, 16 B. H.; 9 C. H.; 3, 4, 6, 7, 12, 15, 17, 23, 24 E. C.; 1, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 28, 29, 32, 37, 38 M. H.; 2, 3, 8, 10, 11, 12, S. C.; 15 W. C.

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CLOSING MEETING

Four Papers Read Before Classical Society—Blagbrough '07 President

The last meeting of the Classical Society for the year, held Tuesday evening, proved of unusual interest. At the conclusion of the program, the officers for next year were elected, as follows: President, Blagbrough' 07; secretary, Coleman'08; faculty adviser, Asst.-Prof. D. T. Clark; members of the executive committee, Buffinton '07 and Bullard '08.

Dr. Gerig opened with a short account of the differences between Classical Latin and the kindred Umbrian and Roumanian. The latter is the farthest removed of the Romance languages from the parent, largely through the influence of Slavic tongues. Our knowledge of Umbrian and Oscan is derived from a few inscriptions and tablets, from which sources complex grammars have been written. The most noteworthy deviations from the Latin are the change of "l" to "rsh", the substitution of "p" and "b" for the "qu" and "g" sounds, and of "ht" for "ct". There was no word for "yes."

Mr. Preserved Smith, discussing "Aristotle's Contributions to the Theory of the State", called attention to the government of Greeek city-states in Aristotle's time, as well as the political theories of his contemporaries—the most important influences affecting Aristotle's views. Aristotle made politics a science, an end rather than a means, applied historical and comparative methods to his study of it, and estnblished theories of the origin of the state and of sovereignty as dependent on local economic conditions, which are still held.

Durfee '07 read an interesting account of Rome's chief war machine, the legion, in the successive stages of its development, including the significant facts known about Roman cavalry and artillery. The Romans were preeminent in tactics and, at times, in unexampled discipline. Buffinton '07 read a history of the growth of the gladiatorial shows from 264 B. C., the year of the first contests in Rome, down through the huge public games which engrossed and debased the city in Augustus' time. The degrading influence of the shows was an important cause of Rome's fall. The papers were the best contributions of the year from members of the student-body.

Communion Service Next Sunday

The sermon in the Thompson Memorial chapel next Sunday morning will be given by Rev. Dr. Albert J. Lyman, pastor of the South Congregational church of Brooklyn, N. Y., following which the Lord'e supper will be observed. Dr. Lyman will conduct a service in the basement of the chapel at 7:30 Saturday evening, preparatory to the Communion service. Rev. Dr. Lyman is one of the best-known ministers in Brooklyn, having been pastor of his church, which now has over twelve hundred members, since 1874. Dr. Lyman is one of the college preachers whose ability and popularity results in his preaching here each year. Dr. Lyman will also address the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Jesup Hall Sunday evening.

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VAN VECHTEN CONTEST

Held in Jesup Hall Monday—Orations Generally Good

The VanVechten Prize speaking contest was held in Jesup Hall Monday evening before a small audience, six men participating. Judge S. G. Tenney '86 presided, and the judges were Rev. Dr. Busfield of North Adams, Rev. William E. Foley and Judge Tenney of Williamstown. The winner will be announced on the Commencement stage.

The first speaker, H. A. Scholle, took for his subject "Should freshmen be debarred from college athletics?" He maintained that such a system would do harm. The modern idea of playing to win would keep men through freshmen year, and "proselyting" would be greater, as athletes would demand more inducements. The system would injure the small college more than the large. Scholle spoke well, but did not seem to treat his subject appreciatively.

W. H. Curtiss spoke on "The religious life at Williams". The main trouble with our religious life is reluctance to show religious feeling. There is also a lack of faculty co-operation as well as a need of a definite basis for the Y. M. C. A. The needs must be met by a good, earnest corps of workers. Curtiss was in sympathy with his subject, but his delivery was characterized by some repetition.

J. E. Perry spoke on the subject "Why not teach?" The questions before a college man are his life's aim and his life's work. Teaching wields a greater influence than any other profession; it affects the growing mind. Perry's style was quite oratorical, and his speech well thought out.

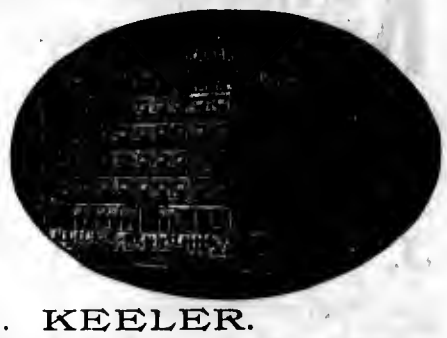
H. A. Nomer gave "A criticism of the United States Senate". We like to think of the Seuate as a model body, but can we fairly do this? Those who compose it put business first and national interests second. The attitude of the Senate is selfish, in that it has blocked every important reform movement this year. It has been encroaching on the functions of the House. Something must be done. Put into the Senate good men, elected by popular vote. Nomer spoke fluently and clearly, and seemed to have complete knowledge of his subject.

"Why not teach?" was again treated by S. A. Morgan. The benefits of teaching are many—study, time for travel, a country life, and congenial companions. These are nothing compared to the benefits the teacher can render others. He moulds men in their formative age and may add to the world's knowledge. He has time to be kind. Morgan spoke slowly, choosing his words with care, but was not forceful.

W. S. Case concluded by arguing that freshmen be debarred from college athletics. Such a course would do away with two evils—"proselyting" and the bad effect of too much athletics in college. The adoption of this system would bring back the old tradition—the man picking the college, not the college picking the man. Case spoke directly and simply, but perhaps a trifle too informally.

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CLOSE TRACK MEET

Williams Defeats M. I. T. 66 2-3 to 59 1-3—Discus Record Broken

Williams defeated M. I. T. Saturday afternoon on Tech Field, Brookline, in a meet which was not decided until the last event had been finished. The final score was 66 2-3 points to 59 1-3. A Williams record was broken by LaMent, who threw the discus 103 ft. 1½ in., 2 ft. 1½ in., better than the former record, made by Anderson 1900 in a triangular meet on June 1, 1900.

M. I. T. won first place in all the runs except the two-mile, while Williams won the hurdles and all the field events but the hammer throw. Each event was closely contested, the 440-yd. dash and two-



CAPTAIN KNAPP OF M. I. T.

mile run furnishing the best races of the day. The 440-yd. dash was even racing between Howe, Blackburn, and Gould of M. I. T. and Hurlbut of Williams to within fifteen yards of the finish, when Hurlbut, who has been in poor condition, fell and did not finish. Callaway of M.I.T. was picked to win the two-mile. He led in the last lap until near the finish when Bonner passed him, and won by about 10 yards in fast time.

In the last event, the low hurdles, Williams won all three places and the meet. Horrax did the best individual work, scoring 17 points by one first and four seconds.

Summary of Events

100-yd. dash—Richards T, 1st; Williams T, 2nd; Cowperthwait W, 3d. Time, 10 2-5.

220-yd. dash—Williams T, 1st; Clark W, 2nd; Todd T, 3d. Time, 23 4-5.

440-yd. dash—Howe T, 1st; Blackburn T, 2nd; Gould T, 3d. Time, 54 4-5.

880 yd. run—Wilson T, 1st; Ayers W, 2nd; Gimson T, 3d. Time, 2.06 3-5.

One-mile run—Buckingham T, 1st; B. P. Allen W, 2nd; Wild-

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THE THIRD SHUT-OUT

Syracuse Beaten 7-0—Errorless Game with Timely Hits

Syracuse was shut out on Weston Field Saturday by a score of 7-0, making four runs scored against the team in six full games. The game was the third shut-out of the season, and the second in succession in which no errors were made. Pierce pitched a steady game, allowing four hits and no passes and sending seven men to the bench. But one Syracuse man passed first.

The work of the Williams infield was almost professional; Wadsworth accepted nine chances, Young made a lightning throw of a pop fly over Pierce's head, and Neild made a quick throw of a slow hit. Seven of the Williams hits and five of the Syracuse errors came in the three innings when Williams scored. The scoring began in the first inning when Warren scored on Rutherford's fumble of Neild's grounder. A shower interrupted the game in the second, but play was resumed after ten minutes. Osterhout opened the Williams half of the second by a single, but was later thrown out at the plate. Clever hunting, followed by Wadsworth's timely single, brought in two runs, Warren's two-bagger to centerfield gave Wadsworth another tally, and Davis left the box. The Syracuse fielders went to pieces in the seventh, whereupon Williams found Watkey, and two singles and a double, by Hogan, scored Wadsworth, Young and Neild.

The summary:

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	5	2	1	4	5	0
Warren cf,	4	1	2	2	0	0
Young ss,	2	1	1	1	2	0
Neild 3b,	4	1	1	0	2	0
Hogan lf,	4	0	1	1	0	0
Osterhout rf,	4	0	1	1	0	0
Waters c,	3	1	1	9	1	0
Harman 1b,	2	0	0	9	0	0
Pierce p,	4	1	0	0	2	0
Total	32	7	8	27	12	0

SYRACUSE

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Rutherford ss,	4	0	0	1	4	3
Wilbur 1b,	4	0	0	9	0	0
Scully 3b,	4	0	1	2	0	1
Ryan cf,	3	0	2	0	0	0
Morrissey rf,	3	0	0	1	0	0
Wheeler 2b,	3	0	0	1	2	1
Madden lf,	3	0	0	2	0	0
Dollard c,	3	0	0	8	1	0
Davis p,	1	0	0	0	1	1
Watkey p,	2	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	30	0	4	24	10	6

Williams 1 3 0 0 0 0 3 0 x—7

Two-base hits—Warren, Hogan. Stolen bases—Neild 2, Wadsworth 2, Warren, Waters, Pierce. Sacrifice hits—Harman 2, Waters, Young. Bases on balls—Off Davis, Young. Struck out—By Pierce 7, by Watkey 5. Passed ball — Waters. Wild pitch — Watkey. Umpire — Jeffrey. Time—1 hr. 46 min.

THE MAY LIT.

Prof. Russell Reviews Current Number of the Monthly

The May number of the Literary Monthly brings quite a wealth and variety of matter, and food enough, no doubt, for the critic who is more willing to censure than to praise. The present reviewer, however, will shrink the unpleasant task of adverse criticism, and exercise the more agreeable function of saying good things, but doing so with the clear intent of saying only what he thinks is true. In the historical sketch, "The Passing of an Old Landmark," Mr. Lowe has done well to revive the memory of Old Goodrich Hall in the minds of the present generation of Williams men, ere that building dies out of their remembrance, as the splendors of so many sunsets have died upon its walls.

The fiction in this number of the Literary Monthly is good; less ambitious in undertaking, more natural in its descriptions and its representations and truer to nature and life than is the usual product of early essays in this department of literature.

"For Monsieur" is a well told story. The style suits well the matter; the narrative is easy, direct and spirited; the movement of the story carries the reader straight to the close, with a growth of interest all the way. The contrast between the rude alarms of war outside the sanctuary and the solemn peace that reigns within is effectively presented. Jean Mortier is well drawn; his pride in his family and in his inheritance, his devotion to Monsieur, his valor, his heroism to the last, make him a person you regard as real, and really deserving respect and admiration; and the last struggle to defend the church in which he falls, is described in a way which gives one the sense of an actual scene.

In "A Friend of the Family" we have a social situation,—alas, too common in these times—effectively handled. The struggle between the nobler natures and the lower selves in the man and in the woman, the salvation of both by the cry of a child, and the triumph of the better part in both souls, are described with a true feeling of moral values. Would it not, however, have been truer to life, had the unworthy husband not so easily taken away the barrier to their union by his sudden taking-off?

"The Dinosoor" is a breezy, vigorous and natural story, in which incident, action and speech go so fittingly together that we have a genuine bit—that life in our far west that is still untouched by the refinements of civilization.

The poetry offered in this number of the Lit. is, in general, marked by a good feeling for truth, sobriety of taste and pure tone of sentiment. The verses on the "Chant d'Amour" reflect quite well the fitting mood evoked by

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CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MAY 15

1.30 p. m.—1907 class meeting, J. H.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16

1.30 p. m.—Sercomb Cup gun shoot, Taconic club traps.

2.30 p. m.—Yale - Williams baseball, New Haven.

2.30 p. m.—1909-Pittsfield High school baseball, Weston Field.

3.00 p. m.—Williams - Springfield Country club tennis match, Springfield.

4.00 p. m.—1907-1908 baseball, Weston Field.

8.00 p. m.—Philotechnian - Philologian debate, Philotechnian Hall.

THURSDAY, MAY 17

9.30 p. m.—Williams - Princeton golf match, Princeton.

BASEBALL WITH YALE

Williams Meets Blue at New Haven Wednesday—Scores Since 1893

Williams meets Yale Wednesday in New Haven for the twelfth time since 1893. The Blue has won nine of the twelve games played, Williams winning in succesion in 1895 and 1896. The games scheduled for 1904 and 1905 were each cancelled on account of rain. Yale's season thus far has been only fairly successful.

The Yale-Williams scores since 1893 follow: '93, Yale 10, Williams 0; '94, Yale 9, Williams 6; '95, Yale 14, Williams 8, Williams 9, Yale 2; '96, Williams 5, Yale 4, Williams 11, Yale 1; '97, Yale 10, Williams 1; '98, Yale 12, Williams 3; '99, Yale 13, Williams 1; 1901, Yale 8, Willams 2, 1902, Yale 9, Williams 2.

The batting-order of the Williams team follows:

Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Nield 3b, Osterhout lf, Gardner or Pierce rf, Waters c, Harman 1b, Ford p.

Jackson or Parsons will pitch for Yale.

Yale Scores

Yale	4	Tufts	0
Yale	0	Amherst	1
Yale	3	N.Y. Nat'l league	10
Yale	2	Virginia	3
Yale	8	Georgetown	5
Yale	2	Fordham	3
Yale	1	Georgetown	2
Yale	4	Pennsylvania	5
Yale	11	Fordham	5
Yale	17	Manhattan	0
Yale	15	Columbia	5
Yale	4	Exeter	3
Yale	3	Andover	4
Yale	5	Syracuse	0
Yale	0	Brown	1
Yale	10	Holy Cross	9

Basketball Candidates

The following have announced themselves as candidates for the position of assistant manager of the basketball association:

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The Chapel Prayers

The influence of the new chapel on the student-body seems to have been good. Attention has been dignified, literature less popular, the sedentary and the sleepy fewer. Conditions never will be ideal, but as long as improvement is shown, it does not matter much if the few entirely irresponsible continue their cherished foibles. By junior year the readers and sleepers have either lost their battle with the curriculum, or else acquired a sense of fitness.

The dignified beauty of the building seems to have reacted differently on the faculty leaders. Some future historian of the college may discover when the custom of reading prayers in chapel sprang up. A great many students start studying languages with high ideals, slip once or twice, and in the end become habitués of the handy help. Those who have been here longest tell us that many of the faculty leaders began with prayers of their own making, read once or twice, only to become habitués of the ready prayer-book. It may have been thought that in this way more dignified prayers would be obtained to suit a more dignified chapel service. Whatever the cause, but one of those who have led in chapel during the present term, excluding the president, has used his own prayers, and the simple beauty of these has been in marked contrast to the formality of the others.

The inference to be drawn may be a little hard on the other leaders, who can scarcely hope to be Professor Hewitts. More fairly put, the question is whether prayers not spontaneous, necessarily delivered with less true expression, are better than prayers, perhaps in some cases cruder and less polished, but spoken with more forcefulness. The dignity gained by reading does not balance what is lost. It is hard enough for a student to get any uplift in a ten minute service. Appeals to him, to be of any effect, must be made as forcible and as clear as they can. No one can make the prayers of another as convincing as his own, especially when those others are written in ecclesiastical language and with many set phrases. To make an impression a man must talk from his own heart and not from some one else's. Better grope for words than to have the form of what is said impress more than its content.

A final consideration should be mentioned. Formality brings dignity, but it can go too far. Not a few outsiders have commented unfavorably on the fact that the present chapel service is too Episcopalian, and this not with any stricture on the beautiful Episcopal service, but because a college church should avoid anything that can even be made to look like denominationalism. The reading of prayers, by suggesting a ritual, strengthens this unfortunate appearance.

COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

Englewood, N. J., May 9, 1906.
Editor Williams Record:
Sir:—

Noting your appeal for more Williams field songs, I send a few verses to the air of the "Eton Boating Song"—a good tune, with a first-class swing, easily caught up by a crowd. It isn't as good as a tune of our own, but may help until that undergraduate musical genius arrives.

The arrangement of the "Boating Song" found in the "Williams Song Book" suits these words, with the exception of the last two lines, which should be run together somewhat, as required by the number and quantity of the syllables. After all, I can't see that the 1906 baseball team needs much more help, except to keep 'em at it. In this last week's games, the folks down Amherst and Cambridge way seemed, like the Bowery girl, to have "troubles enough widout singin'."

Very truly,
Talcott M. Banks, ('90.)

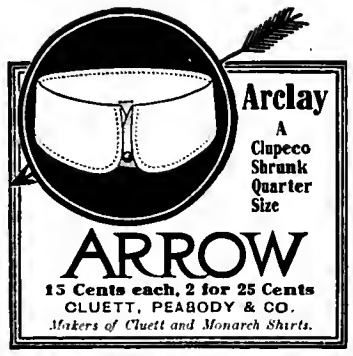
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Up with our royal banner
Plucked from the mountain side!
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Here's to the true and tried!
Cheer, boys, and fight for the game
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Good luck or bad befall!
Cheer, boys, and follow the play
Till old Williams wins! *

Hotly the game is closing—
Now they have tied the score!
Strength to their strength opposing
Hammer out one run more!
Cheer, boys, we're finding their curves
And old Williams wins! *

What though our rivals rally,
Close to the level field!
Now for the winning tally—
Williams shall never yield!
Cheer, boys, a hit and we're safe
And old Williams wins! *

* Repeat last two lines of each stanza.

COLLEGE SIDE WINS

First Senate Vote on Feiker Bill—Further Discussion Today

The bill for taxation of college property came up for discussion in the Massachusetts Senate Thursday and Friday, and after much further debate, was lost. Later, however, an agreement was reached between Senator Feiker and the opponents of the measure by which a reconsideration will be moved Monday, the bill taken out of the hands of the committee that have it in charge at present, and referred to the committee which is to consider taxation matters during the recess.

The discussion commenced Thursday, when Senator W. H. Feiker of Northampton, who framed the bill, made a long argument in favor of substituting it for the adverse report of the committee, citing cases in Northampton and Amherst which he claimed were especially aggravating. He called particular attention to Smith College, and quoted statements by President Seelye. Some amusement was caused when he showed several photographs of thirteen acres of exempted land, surrounded by a high picket fence with a padlocked gate, which, according to President Seelye, was open to the public as a park. Senator Seiberlich, chairman of the taxation committee, outlined the reasons of the committee for reporting "Next General Court" on the matter. He stated that the business men of Northampton had declared that they would lose half their business should Smith College leave the city, as it might be compelled to do if the bill became a law.

At Friday's session, Senator McLeod of Cambridge spoke in favor of the bill, and the vote then ordered resulted in favor of the substitution of the bill by a vote of 15 to 11. A reconsideration was moved, and the bill was finally lost by a tie vote of 15-15. The matter was again discussed this morning.

Election of Debating Manager

Owing to the resignation of the assistant manager-elect of the debating teams, another election will be held at the college meeting of May 21.

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Two-mile run—Bonner W, 1st; Callawny T, 2nd; Davis W, 3d. Time, 10.22 4-5.

120-yd. hurdles—Griswold W, 1st; Horrax W, 2nd; Eaton T, 3d. Time, 16 3-5.

220-yd. hurdles—Griswold W, 1st; Horrax W, 2nd; A. Brown W, 3d. Time, 27 1-5.

Shot put—Marshall W, 1st, 39 ft., 8 in.; Polhemus T, 2nd, 37 ft., 11 in.; Harvey T, 3d, 35 ft., 2 in.

Hammer throw—Knapp T, 1st, 123 ft., 7in.; LaMent W, 2nd, 109 ft., 9 in.; Flagg T, 3d, 101 ft., 5 in.

Discus throw—LaMent W, 1st, 103 ft., 1½ in.; Bowker W, 2nd, 95 ft., 3 in.; Harvey T, 3d, 94 ft., 5 in.

High jump—Farrington T, 1st, 5 ft., 8½in.; Horrax W, 2nd, 5 ft., 7½ in.; A. Brown W, M. Brown W, Rapelye T, tied for third at 5 ft. 7 in.

Broad jump—A. Brown W, 1st, 20 ft., 11¾ in.; Horrax W, 2nd, 20 ft., 5¾ in.; Eaton T, 3d, 20 ft., 4 in.

Pole vault—Horrax W, 1st, 10 ft., 6 in.; Farrington T, and Orr T, tied for second at 10 ft., 3 in.

Summary of Points

	T	W
100-yard dash	8	1
220-yard dash	6	3
440-yard dash	9	0
880-yard run	6	3
One-mile run	5	4
Two-mile run	3	6
High jump	5 1-3	3 2-3
Pole vault	4	5
Broad jump	1	8
Shot put	4	5
Hammer throw	6	3
Discus throw	1	8
120-yard hurdles	1	8
220-yard hurdles	0	9
Total	59 1-3	66 2-3

NOTICE

—All those intending to sign for the Wesleyan debate must have their names in by Wednesday.

Power and Freedom

Rev. Dr. A. J. Lyman, pastor of the South Congregational Church, of Brooklyn, addressed the Y. M. C. A. meeting last evening. Men under twenty-five consider freedom above power, men over twenty-five power above freedom. The secret of life is the proper adjusting of these two elements, and for this Christianity is the best guide. The rights of the individual must be upheld by the broad, college-educated man. A man who has graduated from a college which can hold the haystack monument in one hand, and the winning of a hurdle race at Athens in the other, has a breadth of mind which will give him power, not only to affirm, but also to say "no" to any proposition.

'99—John Barker, son of the late Judge James M. Barker '60, has closed his law offices at 77 Ames Building, Boston, and on May 1 commenced law practice at Pittsfield.

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COLLEGE NOTES

Dean Ferry went to Boston Friday to attend a meeting of the New England entrance examination board.

The postponed baseball game between 1907 and 1909 will be played on Weston Field next Thursday.

The following alumni have been in town: Rogers '77, Putney 1900, Patterson ex-'00, Cole, Eldred, Murray 1905, Eldridge ex-'08.

The freshman declamation contest will be held Wednesday, May 16. Rehearsals will be held the evenings of May 14 and 15. All contestants are requested to see Mr. Lewis tomorrow morning to arrange for rehearsal.

The exhaust fans for ventilation of the gymnasium locker room have been put in place in the north and west windows. The fans, controlled by small individual electric motors, are placed in short suction tunnels.

Prof. Hewitt was elected a member of the executive committee of the Association of Classical Study at Athens, at a meeting of the managing committee of that organization last Friday. Prof. Howes attended the meeting.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the New England Classical association held in Springfield, Saturday, it was decided to hold the next general meeting of the organization at Phillips Andover academy next spring. The association will probably be sub-divided into several branches; a Connecticut division has already been formed.

A senior class meeting was held Saturday noon to make definite arrangements for the alumni grove, to be inaugurated by 1906. The grove, which will be of oaks, will be started near the football bleachers on Weston Field. It is planned for the reunion classes to plant trees each spring as well as the graduating class. The arrangements for the ceremonies at the 1906 tree dedication were left in the hands of the committee.

Williams 32, Island G. C. 0

The golf match with the Island Club at Troy Saturday was won easily by the college team, 32 to 0, straight hole scoring. The average for the Williams team was 80 for eighteen holes. Wilcox scored 40, 36-76, his second round equalling the amateur record of the course. The score:

Williams		Island club	
A. Mitchell	9	F. Draper '95	0
E. A Clapp	8	Cluett	0
L. Mitchell	7	Harrington	0
H. Wilcox	3	Hartwell	0
A. Gregory	1	Aird	0
G. Lynde	4	Prest	0
	32		0

Two-One, Freshmen Ahead

The freshmen defeated the seniors on Weston Field after the 'varsity game on Saturday afternoon by 2 runs to 1. The game was featureless. Captain Bassett made the only hit and run for the seniors. Both pitchers were in good form. Sears struck out nine men in the six innings.

The score by innings:

							R	H	E
1906	0	0	0	0	0	1—1	1	3	
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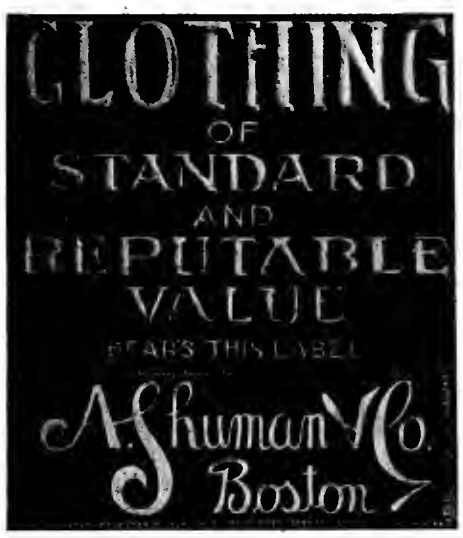
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that chant. "Roses" is almost a "swallow flight of song". There is a truly lyric mood reflected in these lines, in which the scent of the roses lingers still.

Mr. Westermann, in "Beyond the Barrier," has made large demands upon his readers, by a poem of such length, vibrant as it is with a high note of passion, sustained all the way through these eleven cantos, which tell the story of a love undying, but never crowned with success. If there is much in this poem that should be pruned away, and much that should be refined and subdued; it is the vigorous imagination, the exuberant fancy of a truly poetic mind that has thrown out these rather wayward shoots. If the critic's ear is pained by some jarring notes in these verses, he must be ungenerous not to recognize much refined and truthful sentiment and many fine harmonies of verse in this poem. The poem rings true and at times rings finely true. A man's noblest passion is strongly portrayed and, on the whole, effectively handled by the author. The chivalrous love of the man is finely voiced in the lines

. . . . . "For the tenderest power
Is the love that can leave without plucking the flower
Of its love in her bower;"

And the cry of the lover's hungry heart is heard in the words:

"I am waiting your answer here under the vine,
Heaven and Hell, you have both in your hands for me,
Both on your lips, dearest goddess divine!"

There is a fine recognition of the sympathy of nature in these lines:

"I know not why the night should be
So sweet a counsellor to me.
Or why the moon should seem to lend
The countenance of a loving friend
To my distress."

John E. Russell.

Philologian vs. Philotechnian

The intersociety debate, which was postponed from May 2 on account of the freshman-sophomore contest, will be held next Wednesday at 8:00 p. m. in Philotechnian Hall. The question will not be announced until tomorrow. The teams are:—Philologian, Nomer '06, Case '07, Matthews '07; Byard '08, alternate: Philotechnian, Case '06, Hulst '06, Sayre '09; Bullard '08, alternate. Two of the judges will be Mr. Preserved Smith and Dr. Fowler.

For Sercomb Cup

The annual shoot of the gun club for the Sercomb cup, donated by Albert A. Sercomb 1903, will be held on Wednesday afternoon at the traps at the Taconic golf club. Only those who have qualified by taking part in five local shoots during the college year may compete.

The club tried to arrange a triangular match shoot with the North Adams and Pittsfield clubs, to have been held either May 12 or 19, but was not successful.

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System Opposed by H. B. Clark 1903 in Practical Address

Mr. Herbert Brayton Clark 1903, of North Adams, a member of the common council of that city, spoke before the city government club in Jesup Hall Thursday evening on "Municipal ownership of public utilities in the United States." He treated the subject from a practical point of view, and talked informally and forcefully. Taking the stand that municipal ownership is an evil, he showed that a costly and radical change is necessary for its adoption, that the present profits of private corporations are not excessive, that even under ideal conditions in England municipal ownership is almost a failure, while in the United States under present political conditions it has utterly failed.

Municipal ownership of an absolute human necessity, such as a water-supply system, has proved a success, but for gas or electric lighting or car lines, where expert skill, efficiency and economy are demanded of managers and workers, it has shown itself to be an absolute failure. In proof of this he cited a number of cases in which costs had risen over one hundred per cent after certain public utilities had been taken over by city government. The question is of great present importance on account of the enormous increase in the Socialist Labor vote, and the great opportunities it would give for boss and machine favoritism. The profit of private corporations in these lines is not an exaction. Such concerns have done much toward the development of this country.

Mr. Clark gave many figures to show the failure of municipal ownership in America and even in England, the most startling of which was that over half of the total British debt is the debt of municipalities. He concluded by showing that in municipally owned utilities lack of competition results in lack of public interest in securing the most efficient service.

On account of the small number present the business meeting of the City Government club was postponed until after the college meeting a week from to-night.

Affiliation of College Alumni

On Thursday, May 17, a meeting of delegates from a number of eastern colleges and universities is planned to be held in the Cooley House, Springfield, to consider plans for the affiliation of the alumni associations of different colleges and universities into a useful national organization, for the particular purpose of combining college men in large centers into a movement for clean, good government. At the "Williams Night" given by the Graduates' Club of New York city during the winter, President Hopkins made a speech advocating this very affiliation. This was even before this movement for affiliation, originated at Brown, was started. Nothing has been done about sending a Williams delegate, as President Hopkins has not yet received any notice from Brown of final plans of the meeting.

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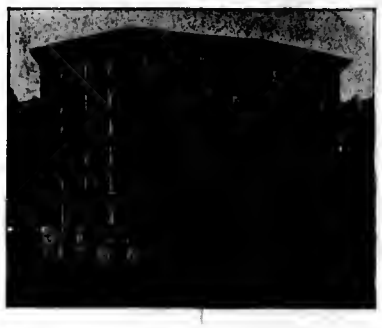
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Yale Makes But Two Hits—Exciting Seventh and Eighth Innings—Hit by Osterhout with Two Out and Bases Full Wins the Game—Sensational Stop by Harman.

For the fourth time in the history of the college Yale was beaten at baseball by Williams, 2 to 1, at New Haven yesterday. The game was a pitcher's battle, and a fine one to watch, the excitement increasing as the game progressed. Ford pitched a shade the better game, and was far steadier in critical moments. Neither pitcher was found at all until the seventh, and Yale's only run came as the result of a sun fly.

Not a Williams man saw first in six innings. Huiskamp got to second on Ford's error and a sacrifice in the first, and Yale had a chance to score when, with one out in the third, Church walked and stole. Jones hit to Neild, who threw wild to first, but Harman made a wonderful one-hand stop in the first base base-line, retired the runner, and held Jones on third.

The seventh inning started the scoring. Wadsworth, first up, drew a pass and went to third when Erwin threw Warren's perfect bunt poorly, whereupon Warren promptly stole second. Young hit to O'Brien, who threw Wadsworth out at the plate, and Young stole second. Neild walked and the bases were full. Hogan knocked a hard drive between second and short that hit Young, and the bases were still full, with no runs and two men out. Osterhout came to time with another drive in the same place, scoring Warren, and Neild tallied on O'Brien's poor throw. Waters hit to Camp.

Yale got a man to second at the start of the eighth, when Hogan lost Madden's fly in the sun. An out put him a base nearer home. Erwin hit a grounder to Young, who kept Madden from scoring but threw wide to first. Erwin stole, Wylie's hit scored Madden, but Huiskamp grounded to Wadsworth and O'Brien was easy. Warren got a hit in the ninth, but was caught off first.

The baseball association's summary follows:

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	3	0	0	1	2	0
Warren cf,	3	1	1	2	0	0
Young ss,	4	0	0	2	2	1
Neild 3b,	3	1	0	1	3	0
Hogan lf,	3	0	1	4	0	0
Osterhout rf,	3	0	1	0	0	0
Waters c,	3	0	0	8	0	0
Harman 1b,	3	0	0	9	0	0
Ford p,	3	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	28	2	3	27	6	2

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SENIOR CLASS BOOK

To Appear Saturday—Results of the Elections

The 1906 class book, edited by John Adams Lowe, of Fitchburg, Mass., will be out for distribution to the class on Saturday, the first class book in recent years to appear on time. The book is bound in red full cloth covers, with a sketch of the chapel in gold, drawn by Bridgman 1909, on the front. The covers are lined with an imitation of watered silk. The interior of the book shows great improvement on past class publications, comparing favorably even with the 1902 book. The book is printed in two colors, red and black. The individual biographies have the names printed in red and the title-page is a fine bit of tasty printing. The cuts, which are printed on the best half-tone tissue, are pasted on the lower corners of the pages containing the biographies. The price of the book will be $1.25.

The book is dedicated to President Hopkins, and contains a short introductory article on ideals written by him. Contrary to precedent the history of the college years of the class of 1906 is at the very beginning instead of at the end of the book. The histories are by Hulst, Botsford, Buchanan and Hoyt. There are about 150 pages in the book, one page being devoted to each of the individual biographies. There are numerous other half-tones besides the cuts of members of the class.

The class statistics, given in a table showing the exact number of votes received by each member of the class for the different honors, are as follows: Most popular man, Griswold; man that has done most for the college, Neild; brightest man, Cowell; class grind, Bowen; class sport, Fleischmann; worst bluffer, Case; laziest man, Willcox; class cup, Cowperthwait. Neild and Osterhout tied; most likely to succeed, Clapp. The favorite professor was Prof. McElfresh, with Prof. Russell second; the best lecturer and teacher was Prof. Mears. Favorite courses, Biology 3, and English 13; best conducted department, chemistry; hardest courses, French 3, 2 and 1; most valuable and enjoyable year, senior.

The printing and binding of the book were done by the Tuttle, Morehouse and Taylor Co., New Haven, Conn., and the half-tones made by the Stoddard-Brown Co., of New York city.

New Debating League

Word was received this noon from Amherst that that college was favorable to the inauguration of a triangular debating league with Williams and Wesleyan. As Wesleyan is known to favor the league, the final arrangements are now certain to be made for a series of debates next fall, like those in the Williams-Brown-Dartmouth debating league.

YALE AND PRINCETON

Golf Matches Today and Saturday—Pennsylvania Cancels

The college golf team left yesterday noon for the spring trip, playing Princeton today, and Yale Saturday. Pennsylvania cancelled the match scheduled Tuesday night, without assigning any reason. The following men went on the trip:—E. A. Clapp '06, A. Jaeckel '07 (mgr.), A. Mitchell '07, L. Mitchell '07, A. Gregory '07, G. Lynde '08 and H. Wilcox '09. The team will return from New York Sunday.

The match with Princeton today was scheduled for eighteen holes in the morning, four ball foursomes, and eighteen holes individual match play in the afternoon. As with Pennsylvania and Yale, scoring will probably be by the Tuxedo system. None of the Williams players have been over the Princeton course, where the match will take place. The Princeton team is made up entirely of players of wide tournament experience. Laird, Clark, Peters and West have been low score men in the Metropolitan competition for the last three years. The match with Pennsylvania was to have been played tomorrow on the links of the Merion Cricket Club, at Haverford, Pa.

Saturday afternoon the team will line up against the intercollegiate champions at Montclair, N. J., on the links of the Montclair Golf Club. Eighteen holes will be played, with five men on a side. Wilcox 1909 will head the Williams team, Montclair being his home course. Yale has an exceptionally brilliant lot of golfers, and is conceded to have the strongest college team in the country. Abbott, the individual champion, Knowles, the runner-up, and Dwight Partridge, who heads the team, are in the front rank among eastern golf players. Captain Abbott is known as a "slashing" player, strongest on his long game. Knowles holds many records and is best known for his incredibly low scores.

Prof. Moore of Harvard to Preach

The college pulpit will be occupied next Sunday by Prof. Edward C. Moore, Parkman professor of theology at Harvard. Prof. Moore graduated from Marietta college in 1877, and from Union Theological seminary seven years later. He was given the degree of Ph.D. by Brown (1891) and D. D. by Marietta College (1893). He held pastorates at Yonkers, N. Y., and Providence, R. I., before being called to his present position in 1902.

Lecture on Munich

Prof. Wahl will give a lecture on Munich in German before the Deutscher Verein in the Biological Laboratory at 8:00 this evening. The lecture will be illustrated with lantern slides, and is open to the college.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, MAY 17

8.00 p. m.—Lecture on "Munich" by Prof. Wahl, T. B. L.

FRIDAY, MAY 18

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Dartmouth baseball, Hanover, N. H.

3.00 p. m.—New England Intercollegiate track meet trials, Tech Field, Brookline.

7.30 p. m.—Meeting of musical clubs, J. H., election of officers.

7.30 p. m.—Spring meeting of N. E. intercollegiate golf association, Adams House, Boston.

8.30 p. m.—Senior smoker, J. H.

SATURDAY, MAY 19

10.30 a. m.—Meeting of the Triangular Debating League delegates, Copley Square Hotel, Boston.

2.00 p. m.—New England Intercollegiate track meet, Tech Field, Brookline.

2.00 p. m.—Yale-Williams golf match, Montclair golf club links, Montclair, N. J.

2.30 p. m.—Williams-U. of V. baseball, Burlington, Vt.

2.30 p. m.—1909-R. P. I. '09 baseball, Weston Field.

4.00 p. m.—1906-1908 baseball, Weston Field.

SUNDAY, MAY 19

10.30 a. m.—College Chapel. Prof. Edward C. Moore of Harvard will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

4.30 p. m.—Talk to seniors, J. H., Dr. Bascom.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. J. B. Pratt will speak on "The Religious Consciousness."

MONDAY, MAY 20

7.30 p. m.—College meeting. Election of assistant basketball manager and assistant debating manager, J. H.

8.30 p. m.—Meeting of Good Government club, J. H. Election of officers.

N. E. I. A. A. TRACK MEET

Held Saturday at Brookline—Williams' Chances

The annual meet of the N. E. I. A. A. will be held on Tech Field, Brookline, tomorrow and Saturday. The trials for the runs up to the mile and for the hurdles, and the qualifying jumps and throws for the field events will be held tomorrow at 3:00, and the finals will start Saturday at 2:00. Nine of the Williams team of thirteen men left Williamstown at 12:58 this noon, and the four entries in the distance runs will leave tomorrow. While in Boston, the team's headquarters will be at the Lenox Hotel. The following men were taken on the trip: Ayers, Egleston, Griswold 1906; A. Brown, M. Brown, Davis, Wilder 1907; B. P. Allen, Clark, LaMent, Marshall 1908; Bonner, Horrax 1909. Hurlbut 1907, who caught cold in his lungs recently, has been prohibited from running until next fall, by doctor's orders.

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Another Baseball Victory

A second Williams victory from the big four should have been surprising enough, but was by no means not looked for by the college. The crowd around Watson's all the afternoon showed that the students had expected good news from New Haven. That such a victory came away from home was unfortunate. The only trouble was that the team could not see and hear the outbursts of enthusiasm that followed, when the news was received, and in the celebration afterwards.

It is a poor kind of congratulation that The Record can give the team in black and white in comparison to what the college was giving it last evening. The nine has now made a record equalled only by that of 1896, the high water mark of Williams baseball. The chapel bell has had one of the most overworked springs in its history. The college expects to continue to ring that bell, decimate the local stock of boxes and barrels and keep cheering the team to victory all the time from now till the season ends.

The N. E. Intercollegiates

Williams has a better chance at Boston Saturday than in 1905. The most careful estimate of points possible makes it clear that in this year's intercollegiate track meet second place is anybody's. Brown, Williams, Amherst and M. I. T. will be fighting it out on Tech Field next Saturday and the least thing will make the scales tip in Williams' favor or against her.

The trip is an expensive one, but is the only call that will be made upon the student body to go out of town to cheer athletic teams this spring. The entire trip can be taken on Saturday and the Boston alumni have engaged a block of 100 seats to make sure of a nucleus for a Williams section. The meet will be close and exciting and, as always, one of the most interesting athletic events of the year to watch. There will be pleasure enough for everyone, and every man's voice will be needed. Every man who has the cuts and can afford it has here a chance to do his best for the track team, at the meet to which all their past effort has been only a prelude.

COMMUNICATION

All communications must be signed. The board assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated or the opinions expressed in this department.

The program for "The Thirtieth", including dances, dramatics, the Williams-Amherst ball game, and Gargoyle elections, has long been one of our so-called time-honored customs and as such it is not to be too boldly criticized by an undergraduate. Nevertheless, custom or no custom, the fact remains that we have long been desecrating the day set apart for the commemoration of our country's honored dead, giving no place in our busy round of social affairs to the one function for which the day was set apart. It is out of the question to ask that we change entirely our program for Memorial Day but it is certainly not unreasonable to ask that we add to it a service which, if nothing more, would serve to remind us that the the day was originally intended to be something more than a Williams-Amherst day. Even at the risk of crowding out one of the events, an opportunity should be provided for a proper observance of the day, a simple and brief observance, if necessary, but one which shall be sincere.

We are, some of us, sons and grandsons of those who fought in the Civil War; we are all sons of an Alma Mater who sent forth many a loyal son to fight and die in that great conflict. The founder of Williams was a Revolutionary officer; President Hopkins is a veteran of the Civil War. Surely if national holidays are to be observed at all, they should be observed by Williams men, by men educated in an atmosphere of patriotism and enjoying the rich opportunity afforded by a free and united government. Let us show our guests that the sparks of patriotism still live at Williams, that we still respect our nation's holiday, and honor our country's dead.

A Junior.

NOTICES

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DARTMOUTH TOMORROW

Baseball Team Meets Green at Hanover and Vermont at Burlington

The first of the two Dartmouth-Williams baseball games will be played tomorrow afternoon at Hanover. Dartmouth began the season poorly, but has won the last six consecutive college games played. On April 28 Skillen's pitching won a victory over Harvard by a score of 3 to 1. The Green has also shut out Brown and Holy Cross. Brown was tied 4-4 yesterday, and Amherst plays at Hanover Saturday.

Since 1893 Williams and Dartmouth have met on the diamond 43 times, and the games stand 22-21 in Dartmouth's favor. The Green won all four games played in 1904 but was shut out 3-0 at Hanover last season, Skillen pitching against Westervelt.

The batting orders of both teams follow:

WILLIAMS: Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Osterhout lf, Gardner rf, Waters c, Harman 1b, Pierce p.

DARTMOUTH: O'Brien lf, McDevitt cf, Gardiner 1b, Skillen p, Richardson ss, McLane rf, Main c, Driscoll 2b, Page 3b.

Dartmouth Scores

Dartmouth	0	Cornell	10
Dartmouth	2	Cornell	3
Dartmouth	0	Holy Cross	8
Dartmouth	1	Villanova	4
Dartmouth	13	Norwich	0
Dartmouth	1	Brown	0
Dartmouth	6	Andover	0
Dartmouth	2	Tufts	13
Dartmouth	3	Harvard	1
Dartmouth	3	Holy Cross	0
Dartmouth	7	Vermont	3
Dartmouth	1	Dartmouth Ineligibles	6
Dartmouth	10	Rochester	2
Dartmouth	9	Rochester	5
Dartmouth	4	Brown	4

Vermont Saturday

Williams meets Vermont the second time this season Saturday at Burlington. The first game, on May 2, was called after four and a half innings on account of rain, the score standing 2-2. Since then Vermont has beaten Rochester, but has lost to Dartmouth.

The batting orders of both teams follow:

WILLIAMS: Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Osterhout lf, Pierce rf, Waters c, Harman 1b, Ford p.

VERMONT: Gardner 3b, Collison 2b, Campbell p, Woodward lf, Peck 1b, Kibbe c, Williams ss, Grow rf, Whitney cf.

Vermont Scores

Vermont	4	Harvard	9
Vermont	10	Maine	4
Vermont	13	Maine	16
Vermont	10	Bowdoin	6
Vermont	4	Bowdoin	5
Vermont	22	Norwich	2
Vermont	9	Holy Cross	3
Vermont	3	Dartmouth	7
Vermont	13	Rochester	2
Vermont	4	Cornell	6

Prof. Wahl will lecture on "Faust" before a meeting of the Amherst German club on May 25.

The south college baseball team defeated the Netherleigh team in an extra inning game yesterday afternoon on the old campus by the score of 8 to 7.

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YALE

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O'Brien ss,	3	0	0	2	3	1
Church cf,	3	0	0	0	0	0
Jones 1b,	4	0	0	9	0	0
Camp 2b,	4	0	0	1	2	0
Madden lf,	3	1	1	0	0	0
Williams 3b,	3	0	0	2	2	0
Erwin c,	3	0	0	9	1	1
Wylie c,	1	0	1	1	0	0
Parsons p,	2	0	0	1	1	0
Pratt p,	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	30	1	2	26*	10	2

Williams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0—2
Yale	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1

Two-base hit—Madden. Struck out—By Ford 8, by Parsons 8. Bases on balls—Off Ford 1, off Parsons 2. Stolen bases—Church, Erwin, Warren, Young, Osterhout. Sacrifice hit—O'Brien. Time—1 hr., 40 min. Umpire—Beecher. *Young out—Hit by batted ball.

Victory Celebrated

The victory over Yale yesterday was celebrated last evening. A college sing was held on the steps of Jesup Hall, after which the student-body, led by a drum corps, marched to the houses of President Hopkins and Professors Cleland and Wahl, each of whom responded with a congratulatory speech. A speech was made by Professor Russell from the porch of the Greylock hotel. The march then returned to the old campus where a bonfire had been built. Cheers were given for each member of the team, and the celebration closed by singing "The Mountains". The baseball team did not return until 10:09 this morning.

Eighteen Errors in Class Game

1908 was defeated on Weston Field yesterday afternoon by 1907 12 to 5, in the poorest game of the interclass series, a total of eighteen errors being made in the six innings. Gillett started the game as pitcher for the sophomores but was replaced after the first inning by Kelley.

The score by innings:

							R	H	E
1907	4	0	2	1	5	x	12	6	11
1908	0	1	0	1	0	3	5	5	7

Batteries—1907, Redick and Bates; 1908, Gillett, Kelley and Bedford. Umpire, Bassett 1906.

Triangular League Meeting

A meeting of the triangular debating league delegates will be held Saturday morning at the Copley Square Hotel, Boston. The delegates will discuss some of the technicalities of the debates—the attitude of the speaker to the audience, length of speeches, etc., and the selection of judges will be brought up. R. H. Case '07 will represent Williams at the meeting.

'99.—Miss Edith Frances Hotchkiss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eugene Hotchkiss, was married to Orland White Mason, a graduate of Williams in the class of 1899, at Edinburgh, Scotland, on April 18. Mr. Mason is in the employ of the Midland Steel Co., Pittsburg, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Mason are residing at 227 South Negley Avenue, Pittsburg.

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TENNIS TEAM TIES

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The tennis team tied the Springfield Country Club on the Springfield courts yesterday afternoon, each team winning three matches. A hard wind was blowing across the courts, interfering with the play. Smith 1906 and Thompson 1908 won their single matches, and Schell 1906 and Thompson 1908 their doubles match. The longest match of the day was between Westcott 1908 and Newton, the latter having a lead of 5 to 1 in the last set, when, Westcott braced and tied the game at 5 all, finally to lose 9-7. A return match was scheduled for June 16 at Williamstown.

The summary follows:

Singles—Smith 1906 beat Miller of Springfield, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2; Newton of Springfield beat Westcott 1908, 5-7, 6-2, 9-7; Thompson 1908 beat Groesbeck of Springfield, 6-3, 6-4; Pike of Springfield beat Schell 1906, 6-2, 6-2.

Doubles—Newton and Miller beat Smith and Westcott, 6-1, 6-2; Schell and Thompson beat Groesbeck and Pike, 6-3, 1-6, 6-3.

Tennis Matches

In the preliminary round of the spring tennis tournament, C. Brown '09 beat Buttrick '09—6-3, 6-3, and in the first round Ford '08 beat Dodd '09—6-0, 6-4.

In the round robin tennis tournament two matches have been played. Schell '07 beat Brady '06—6-2, 6-2, and Westcott '08 beat Schell 6-4—6-1.

Freshman Oratorical Trials

The trials for the freshman oratorical contest were held last evening at eight o'clock in the vestry room of the Congregational church. The judges, Prof. Spring, Ass't.-Prof. Perry, and Mr. E. A. Green, chose nine speakers instead of the usual eight. The following were chosen: Dodd, Ernst, Jones, R. C. Mitchell, Robb, Sayre, Toll, Westbrook, Wood. The final contest will be held next Wednesday.

Gun Club Notice

At a meeting of the gun club held before the Sercomb Cup shoot yesterday, it was voted that the contest be divided and an opportunity be given to all members of the club, whether they have qualified or not, to enter next Saturday. Each man will be awarded a distance handicap based on his former scores. Contestants will meet at the Biological Laboratory at 1:30 Saturday.

Majority for Taxation Monday

The college taxation question was again considered in the State Senate Monday. Mr. Feiker moved reconsideration of the adverse report made by the taxation committee. This was passed 17 to 9. He proposed a compromise, moving the passage of the taxation bill, but exempting dormitories from taxation. It was finally decided by reconsideration to substitute his bill for the adverse report of the committee 18 to 12. The bill as amended passed the Senate yesterday.

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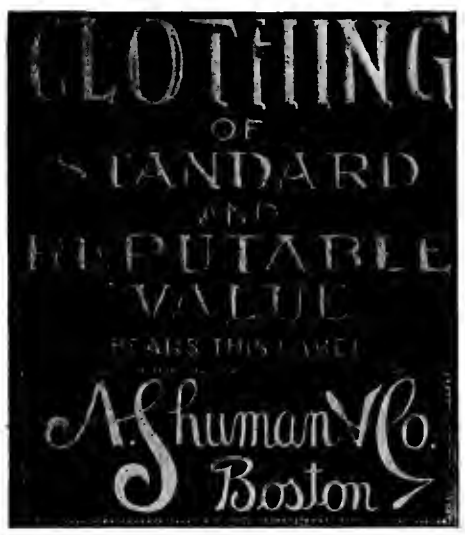
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N.E. I. A. A. Track Meet

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Entries have been received from Amherst, Bowdoin, Brown, Dartmouth, M. I. T., Trinity, Tufts, U. of Maine and Wesleyan. Dartmouth, with every man in college of the track team which won 36 points last year, is practically sure of winning, although the loss of Swasey, who won both sprints in 1904 and 1905, but wrenched his knee at the Harvard meet and was unplaced in the 100 in 10 1-5, will take points away. Second place will be closely fought out between Amherst, Brown, M. I. T. and Williams, with Brown having a little the best chance. The Maine colleges are not so prominent this year. Amherst, by the graduation of Rollins and Orrell, the illness of Captain W. P. Hubbard, and the disqualification of Stearns, White, and their new weight man, Kooyumjian, is much weakened. The Purple and White team has taken part in no meet, and its strength, outside of J. H. Hubbard, Read, Crook and Bishop, is unknown.

The best races of the meet will undoubtedly be the high hurdles and the two-mile. In the hurdles Shaw of Dartmouth did 15 4-5 two weeks ago, and J. H. Hubbard of Amherst was only inches behind Ex-Capt. Leavitt in 15 4-5 at Worcester last year. Mayhew of Brown has done 16 2-5, Capt. Tobey of Bowdoin and Capt. Griswold 16 3-5. Wright of Brown, winner of the mile and two-mile at Worcester last year, and holder of the New England Intercollegiate mile record, will try for the two-mile record of 10.03 4-5 this year, and should have no difficulty winning the event. For the other places are left Capt. Benson of Wesleyan, Robinson of Bowdoin, and Callaway of M.I.T., who won places last year, Capt. Tucker of Brown, who won the event two years ago but was unable to compete last year, Shorey of Bowdoin, who was third two years ago, and Bonner 1909, who has beaten Benson and Callaway. Wright should certainly get all the pace he wants in his attempt to beat the record.

Thrall of Dartmouth in the half, and Capt. Hazen of Dartmouth in the pole vault, should win their events. The outcome of the three dashes will depend on the condition of Swasey, and the eligibility of Rose, a Dartmouth freshman, and Prout, a new man at Brown, both good for 51s. in the quarter. In the field events, the high jump, where in competition Farrington of M. I. T. has done 5ft. 9½ in., Horrax 1909 and Zeller of Tufts 5 ft., 7½in., and no less than six other men over 5 ft. 6 in., should be the closest. Dearborn's (Wesleyan) easy victory in the discus will be balanced by a very close hammer throw. Marshall 1908 has the best record of the shot putters.

While each year develops a number of dark horses, and the points to be made in any N. E. I. A. A. meet are absolutely unpredictable, a rough survey of the events gives Dartmouth first with about 40 points, Amherst 21, Brown and Williams 22, M. I. T. 18, Wesleyan 13, and University of Maine around 10. The two-mile, high jump and hammer are the doubtful events which will decide Williams' position.

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COLLEGE NOTES

The regular Sunday afternoon talk to seniors will be given by Dr. Bascom.

The color scheme of the decorations for the Sophomore Prom. has been changed from yellow and white to light green and white.

The annual spring concert of the musical clubs will be held in Jesup Hall, Monday evening, May 28, at 8 o'clock. Tickets will be on sale some time the last of the week for $1.00, balcony 50c.

Assistant-manager Hoyne accompanied the baseball team to New Haven. But ten men were taken on the trip.

A meeting of the musical association will be held in Jesup Hall at 7:30 tomorrow evening for the election of an assistant manager from 1908. The clubs will also elect leaders for next year.

P. R. Peters will represent the golf association at the meeting of the New England Intercollegiate Golf association at Boston tomorrow evening.

A petition is being circulated asking for the appointment of William C. Hart, assistant to the college treasurer, as special justice, in place of M. Monahan, resigned.

At a 1907 class meeting Tuesday noon M. Brown, Hinman and Yarnelle were elected to the class supper committee.

The lecture given by Prof. Russell at the Y. M. C. A. convention here last month, on "The College the Battlefield of Great Forces", appears as the initial article in the May "Intercollegian".

At a meeting of those scheduled to take part in the Philologian-Philotechnian debate held Tuesday noon it was decided to postpone the debate indefinitely.

NOTICES

—All those who wish to secure engraved invitations for the Sophomore Prom. can secure them at ten cents apiece from members of the committee.

—All who qualified for the final oratorical contest are requested to arrange rehearsals with Mr. Lewis at once.

—Mandolin club rehearsal tonight, J. H., 7:15.

—A senior smoker will be held on the Jesup Hall steps tomorrow evening at 8:30.

—The class prayer meetings will be held as usual Friday evening at 7:15. The topic is "The secret of cheerfulness"; John 14:25-31, Is. 26:1-7. The leaders are as follows: 1907, Thompson, 1908, Hancox, 1909, Horrax.

Handicap Golf Matches

The results of the golf matches in the spring handicap to date follow: McGuckin 1908 defeated Wheeler 1907 6 up and 5 to play; Woodfin 1909 defeated R. C. Mitchell 1909 2 up and 1 to play.

Official Golf Handicaps

L. Allen	12	McGuckin	9
Buttrick	9	Matless	10
Clapp	0	McPherson	9
S. G. Curtis	14	A. Mitchell	0
Fitch	6	L. Mitchell	0
Gregory	2	R.C. Mitchell	14
Knox	12	Westen	10
Liehtenhein	8	Wheeler	6
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STRICTER RULES PASSED

Covering Men in Outside Interests —To Take Effect in Fall

At a meeting of the committee on administration held last week new disqualification rules were adopted for all students representing the college in athletic, dramatic, or musical organizations. The rules, in practically their present form, were laid before the faculty at their May meeting by the athletic council, which passed a favorable vote on them and referred them to the rule-making body, the committee on administration. The rules, which will not go into effect until next fall, follow:

Added to the second paragraph of rule 22, "Earlier trials may be allowed by permission of the Dean."

Added to rule 27, "Additional warnings will be reported not later than October 25th in the case of members of athletic, dramatic and musical organizations."

Rule 39, amended to read, "No student will be allowed to represent the college in any athletic, dramatic, or musical organization as member, substitute, or officer, if he is under discipline for irregularity of attendance or conduct, or if he has failed to complete at least twelve hours of college work during the previous semester. He will be debarred from such representation for the remainder of any semester in which, at the time of the formal warnings, he has not a mark of at least sixty in nine hours of current college work.

"No freshman will be allowed to represent the college in any athletic, dramatic, or musical organization as member, substitute, or officer who has entrance conditions amounting to three points."

The distribution of points among the entrance subjects will be as follows:

English	a 1		History	a $1\frac{1}{2}$	
	b 1				
		2			$1\frac{1}{2}$
French	a $1\frac{1}{2}$		Latin	a $\frac{1}{2}$	
	b $1\frac{1}{2}$			b 1	
		3		c 1	
				d $1\frac{1}{4}$	
German	a $1\frac{1}{2}$			m $\frac{1}{4}$	
	b $1\frac{1}{2}$				
		3			4
Greek			Math.	a $1\frac{1}{2}$	
Xenophon	1			b 1	
Homer	1			c $1\frac{1}{2}$	
Sight	$\frac{1}{2}$			d 1	
Comp.	$\frac{1}{2}$			f 1	
		3			6

Musical Clubs Elections

At a meeting of the musical clubs Friday evening the following officers were elected: James Michael Stower 1908 of Plattsburgh, N. Y., assistant manager; Selwyn Reed Pevear 1907 of New York city, leader of the glee club, and Telford King Thompson 1908 of Minneapolis, Minn., leader of the mandolin club.

A DOUBLE LOSS

Dartmouth Wins 7-2 at Hanover, Vermont 1-0 at Burlington

Dartmouth defeated Williams in baseball Friday at Hanover 7 to 2. Timely hits following poor decisions gave the victory to the Green in the first three innings. Williams had a bad inning in the second, when Dartmouth tallied five times on a single, double and triple. Main walked after a questionable decision, and it seemed to be generally conceded that O'Brien, who doubled with the bases full, was struck out fairly. A single, an error and a well executed double steal enabled the Green to score twice in the third. Neild scored for the Purple in the eighth on Waters' single, and Gardner led off in the eighth with a long three-base hit, later scoring Williams second tally.

The baseball association's summary:

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	4	0	0	0	1	0
Warren cf,	4	0	1	3	0	0
Young ss,	4	0	0	0	0	0
Neild 3b,	3	1	1	1	3	1
Pierce lf, p,	4	0	0	0	4	0
Osterhout rf, lf,	3	0	1	0	0	0
Waters c,	4	0	1	7	1	0
Harman 1b,	3	0	1	13	0	1
Ford p,	0	0	0	0	1	1
Gardner rf,	3	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	6	24	10	3

DARTMOUTH

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
O'Brien lf,	5	1	2	0	0	0
McDevitt cf,	3	0	0	2	0	1
Gardiner 1b,	4	0	1	14	0	0
Page ss,	4	0	0	0	2	0
Richardson 3b,	4	2	3	2	2	0
McLane rf,	4	2	2	0	0	0
Glaze p,	3	1	0	0	7	0
Main c,	3	1	0	8	1	0
Driscoll 2b,	4	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	33	7	8	27	14	1

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STRICTER RULES PASSED

Covering Men in Outside Interests —To Take Effect in Fall

At a meeting of the committee on administration held last week new disqualification rules were adopted for all students representing the college in athletic, dramatic, or musical organizations. The rules, in practically their present form, were laid before the faculty at their May meeting by the athletic council, which passed a favorable vote on them and referred them to the rule-making body, the committee on administration. The rules, which will not go into effect until next fall, follow:

Added to the second paragraph of rule 22, "Earlier trials may be allowed by permission of the Dean."

Added to rule 27, "Additional warnings will be reported not later than October 25th in the case of members of athletic, dramatic and musical organizations."

Rule 39, amended to read, "No student will be allowed to represent the college in any athletic, dramatic, or musical organization as member, substitute, or officer, if he is under discipline for irregularity of attendance or conduct, or if he has failed to complete at least twelve hours of college work during the previous semester. He will be debarred from such representation for the remainder of any semester in which, at the time of the formal warnings, he has not a mark of at least sixty in nine hours of current college work.

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The distribution of points among the entrance subjects will be as follows:

English	a 1	History	a 1½
	b 1		—
	—		1½
	2		
French	a 1½	Latin	a ½
	b 1½		b 1
	—		c 1
	3		d 1½
German	a 1½		m ½
	b 1½		—
	—		4
	3		
Greek		Math.	a 1½
Xenophon	1		b 1
Homer	1		c 1½
Sight	½		d 1
Comp.	½		f 1
	—		—
	3		6

Musical Clubs Elections

At a meeting of the musical clubs Friday evening the following officers were elected: James Michael Stower 1908 of Plattsburgh, N. Y., assistant manager; Selwyn Reed Pevear 1907 of New York city, leader of the glee club, and Telford King Thompson 1908 of Minneapolis, Minn., leader of the mandolin club.

A DOUBLE LOSS

Dartmouth Wins 7-2 at Hanover, Vermont 1-0 at Burlington

Dartmouth defeated Williams in baseball Friday at Hanover 7 to 2. Timely hits following poor decisions gave the victory to the Green in the first three innings. Williams had a bad inning in the second, when Dartmouth tallied five times on a single, double and triple. Main walked after a questionable decision, and it seemed to be generally conceded that O'Brien, who doubled with the bases full, was struck out fairly. A single, an error and a well executed double steal enabled the Green to score twice in the third. Neild scored for the Purple in the eighth on Waters' single, and Gardner led off in the eighth with a long three-base hit, later scoring Williams second tally.

The baseball association's summary:

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	4	0	0	0	1	0	
Warren cf,	4	0	1	3	0	0	
Young ss,	4	0	0	0	0	0	
Neild 3b,	3	1	1	1	3	1	
Pierce 1f, p,	4	0	0	0	4	0	
Osterhout rf, 1f,	3	0	1	0	0	0	
Waters c,	4	0	1	7	1	0	
Harman 1b,	3	0	1	13	0	1	
Ford p,	0	0	0	0	1	1	
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Page ss,	4	0	0	0	2	0	
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The administrative rules passed last week regarding athletic qualifications deserve careful consideration. The rules are sweeping, and affect upperclassmen as well as freshmen. A few points should be made clear. In the first place, the impulse for the rules came from those who represent the athletic interests of the college—the athletic council-and not from those who represent the scholastic interests, and were only passed in their final form by the faculty committee on administration because that committee is the only body that can make administrative rules. Secondly, they are the outcome of the wide-spread discussion of athletic eligibility, and show that Williams endorses the principle of that movement, that athletics are less important than an average standard of scholarship, a principle that can scarcely be denied.

The entrance condition provision affects only freshmen, and is primarily aimed at football; since not many freshmen have left, by their second half-year, enough entrance conditions to total three points. As a matter of fact, the rule would have affected, even in September, but six men from 1909, two of whom were athletes and none on the football squad. Further, as the old rule (No. 21) for passing off conditions is so amended as to permit trials before Christmas, every football-playing freshman has a fair chance. A disqualification of all freshmen would bear too heavily on the small colleges, where there is no "proselyting"; the present rule gives a chance to separate the athletic wheat from the chaff, from the scholarship point of view.

The other provisions apply to all classes, and will affect many men in each class. Taking any class at random, in the first semester of this college year, had the new rule been in effect, sixteen sophomores would have been debarred from representing the college, ten of whom were in neither athletics, dramatics or the musical clubs. That the freshman needs some check-rein to keep him from neglecting everything for the plain road to college honor that lies in athletics is evident, but the upperclassman is supposed to know his own mind. There is another side, however. Though athletics, like every other outside college interest, tend to lower scholarship, as long as an athlete keeps his scholarship up to a certain standard, no objection ought to be made by the administration of a college to the time and interest he puts in athletics. What this rule does is to lay down a definite standard which we did not have before. One suggestion which would add to the fairness of the rule would be to notify every man immediately in case of disqualification.

The question whether the college will be handicapped in comparison with the other colleges by this rule is a minor one when compared to this greater one of obtaining an accurate, satisfactory adjustment between scholarship and athletics. The rule looks as if it would disqualify more than it really will. That a rule which is so radical a change affects but eight athletes in the two lower classes even when applied, for calculation's sake, to men who had never worked to satisfy its provisions, goes to prove what has long been the contention here, that Williams is as little troubled with "overathletics" as any college. "Satisfactory qualifications at entrance" and "satisfactory scholarship in college" are what one long identified with Williams athletics has given as his written opinion as part of the conditions on which a student should be allowed to represent this college. A definition of "Satisfactory" is what the new rules amount to, and in our opinion the definition is a just one.

AN INTERESTING CITY

Lecture in German on "Munich" by Prof. Wahl

The old Bavarian city, Munich, was the subject of an interesting lecture by Prof. Wahl, Thursday evening. The lecture, given in German, was illustrated by a number of lantern slides, and was well attended.

Munich, founded by Henry the Lion in the twelfth century on a place which had belonged to a monastery, and derives its name from the German word for monk. It has always been one of the principal seats of German catholicism, just as the Kingdom of Bavaria, of which it is the capitol, is one of the strongholds of catholicism in Germany. As reason has had freer sway among the people in North Germany than in South Germany, so catholicism in Bava-

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WESLEYAN WEDNESDAY

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Williams and Wesleyan meet at baseball only twice this season, the first game coming Wednesday on the home diamond. Although the Red and Black have already played fourteen games, they have met only a few first-class teams. Monroe, who was no enigma to the Williams batsmen last season, is pitching good ball this year; Clark, not yet recovered from a recent illness, is not in last season's form.

A list of all the baseball games ever played between Williams and Wesleyan follows:

'94	Williams	8	Wesleyan	9
'95	Williams	4	Wesleyan	8
		0		9
		9		4
'96	Williams	2	Wesleyan	3
'97	Williams	6	Wesleyan	9
		11		6
'98	Williams	4	Wesleyan	3
'99	Williams	7	Wesleyan	4
		3		4
		4		3
		4		0
'00	Williams	7	Wesleyan	5
		13		2
		10		2
		12		3
'01	Williams	7	Wesleyan	3
		2		1
		7		8
		4		3
'02	Williams	3	Wesleyan	5
		2		10
		2		7
		5		2
'03	Williams	9	Wesleyan	2
		15		1
		4		6
		6		0
'04	Williams	7	Wesleyan	1
		10		0
		6		2
'05	Williams	14	Wesleyan	3
		12		5
		4		3
		4		4

The total gives Williams 23 games and Wesleyan 11, five of which were in the first seven games played, and three in 1902. Williams won eight straight in 1899-1901, and Wesleyan has won but once since 1902. Williams has made 227 runs, Wesleyan 140.

The batting orders of the teams follow:

WILLIAMS:—Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Hogan 3b, Osterhout rf, Waters c, Harman 1b, Ford p.

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The portion of the Feiker bill, which passed the Massachusetts Senate 19 to 15 Wednesday, which applied to colleges, is as follows: "But real property owned and occupied by any scientific institution authorized to grant degrees, which is used or appropriated, wholly or in part, for residential, commercial or mercantile purposes, shall not be exempt from taxation."

The college has paid taxes on professors' houses for years, although not obliged to by law. President Hopkins states that in his opinion probably the only property owned by the college, now exempt, which will be affected by the Feiker bill is the president's residence and Weston Field. The bill must pass the House of Representatives before it becomes a law.

Case 1907 President of League

The delegates of the Brown-Dartmouth-Williams debating league met at the Copley Square Hotel, Boston, Saturday morning and elected Case '07 president of the league. Two changes were made in the league rules: the main speech was cut down from twelve to eleven minutes and the rebuttal from five to six minutes. It was also decided that the judges should give their decisions without consultation.

N. E. I. G. A. Meeting

At the annual meeting of the New England Intercollegiate Golf association held Saturday at the Adams House, Boston, the following officers were elected: president, A. W. Mitchell '07; vice-president, W. H. Garby, Dartmouth; secretary-treasurer, F. R. Upton, Bowdoin; executive committee, O. W. Potter, M. I. T.; (chairman), R. B. Jones, Brown, and another member to be selected from Amherst.

The annual New England intercollegiate golf tournament will be held in October on the Ekwanok club links at Manchester, Vt. P. R. Peters '06 represented Williams at the meeting.

1908, 13; 1906, 1

The seniors were saved from a shut-out by the sophomores on Saturday afternoon by Blaisdell's hit followed by a three-bagger by Kenney in the fifth. Kelley got a home run, a triple and two singles.

The score by innings:

							R	H	E
1908	4	2	0	0	4	3	13	16	3
1906	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	3	7

Red and Black Scores

Wesleyan	7	N. Y. U.	3
Wesleyan	11	Springfield T.S.	5
Wesleyan	2	Brown	7
Wesleyan	19	Rhode Island	0
Wesleyan	4	M. A. C.	2
Wesleyan	8	Niagara	13
Wesleyan	3	Princeton	4
Wesleyan	11	Rutgers	0
Wesleyan	3	Army	6
Wesleyan	6	Maine	1
Wesleyan	5	Syracuse	3
Wesleyan	0	Amherst	5
Wesleyan	3	Georgetown	4
Wesleyan	8	Middletown	6

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The summary:

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	4	0	0	0	0	0
Warren cf,	4	0	0	3	0	0
Young ss,	4	0	1	0	2	0
Neild 3b,	4	0	0	1	2	0
Pierce lf, p,	3	0	0	2	0	0
Osterhout rf, lf,	3	0	0	0	0	0
Waters c,	3	0	0	11	0	0
Harman 1b,	2	0	0	6	0	0
Ford p,	2	0	0	1	2	1
Gardner rf,	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	30	0	1	24	6	1

VERMONT

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gardner ss,	3	1	2	0	1	2
Collison 2b,	4	0	0	3	0	0
Woodward lf,	4	0	1	1	0	0
Peck 1b,	4	0	0	8	0	2
Kibby c,	4	0	1	9	1	0
Whitney rf,	4	0	0	2	1	0
Grow cf,	4	0	0	2	0	0
Williams 3b,	4	0	0	2	0	0
Collins p,	1	0	1	0	1	0
Total	32	1	5	27	7	4

Vermont 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 x—1

Two-base hit—Woodward. Stolen bases—Harman, Ford. Sacrifice hit—Harman. Bases on balls—Off Ford, 3. Struck out—By Ford 10, by Collins 8, by Pierce 1. Double play—Whitney to Kibby. Passed ball—Waters. Umpire—Strong.

OBITUARY

'42—John Benjamin Gale, LL. D., for many years a prominent citizen of Troy and Williamstown, and one of the oldest alumni of the college, died at his home on South street early Thursday morning. Mr. Gale was born in Troy May 9, 1824, prepared for college in the local schools, and after graduation took up the practice of law in that city, first with H. P. Hunt, and later in partnership with the late Charles L. Alden, '51. He removed to Williamstown about twenty years ago, when he retired from his law practice, and at once became actively interested in college affairs, although serving the town as auditor, and serving as director of the Williamstown national bank from 1890, and as president from 1893 until his recent retirement. The Gale hose company was named after him. He presented the college with his extensive law library, and gave $1000 for the grading about West College Hill when the Thompson laboratories were built. He was given the degree of LL. D. by the college in 1894. Mr. Gale is survived by his widow, his daughter, and three grandchildren, one of whom is Prof. John G. Hun '99. The funeral was held Saturday, in Troy. All business places in town were closed from 10:30 to 11:30 in honor of the funeral.

Buried in College Cemetery

Mrs. Rebekah Wheeler Griffin, wife of Edward Herrick Griffin, D. D., LL.D., '62, for seventeen years (1872-1889) a professor first of Latin, then of Rhetoric and then of philosophy, in Williams college, was buried in the college cemetery Friday morning. Ex-president Carter '62, Rev. Dr. John H. Denison '62, and President Hopkins took part in the service. Mrs. Griffin died May 15 at Baltimore.

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COLLEGE NOTES

The Greylock will open this week on Friday, May 25.

The glee club will sing at the quarterly meeting of the Greylock Christian Endeavor union to be held in the Braytonville chapel this evening.

Knowlson '43 has been in town.

The new Greylock flag pole has been put up.

Asst.-Prof. Lewis will read a paper entitled "In the wake of the Welsh revival" at the North Berkshire conference of the Congregational church Wednesday at the Church of Christ, White Oaks.

The 1909-R. P. I.-1909 baseball game to have been played on Weston Field last Saturday, was cancelled by R. P. I.

Dr. Bascom has an article on "The Unemployed in London" in the current number of the Bibliotheca Sacra.

The 1907 Gulo. are in town, but will not be put on sale until the end of the week.

The president of the Adelphic Union has invited the delegates of the proposed Williams-Amherst-Wesleyan debating league to meet in Williamstown on decoration day.

The F. M. A. C. baseball team, composed of students, defeated the Bennington nine Saturday 15 to 5 at Bennington. B. Mears '03 and Bates '06 were the athletic club battery.

The 1907-1909 baseball game was postponed from last Thursday till Wednesday afternoon, and will count for two games.

Linen 1907 went to Springfield Saturday to attend a meeting of the Connecticut Valley Missionary association, to discuss plans for the annual fall meeting.

The annual Lit. banquet was held Friday evening at the Richmond Hotel, North Adams.

"A Knot of Blue," by William R. A. Wilson '92, published last summer, has just been started as a serial in the North Adams Transcript.

Pennell 1909 was taken to the infirmary Wednesday evening with a light case of scarlet fever. He had not been feeling well for some time, but on examination his case was diagnosed as a very mild one. He has been improving rapidly at the infirmary and it is thought that his confinement there will be short. Thorough precautions were taken to insure agaist any possible contagion and his college room fumigated.

L. vP. Allen '08 Wins Sercomb Cup

The annual Sercomb cup shoot, held Wednesday and Saturday was won by L. vP. Allen '08 with 41 birds. The scores follow:

L. vP. Allen '08 (17 yds)	19-22,	41
Fitch '06 (18 yds)	22-18,	40
Geer '07 (16 yds)	23-17,	40
Dawson '08 (16 yds)	19-21,	40
Scholle '06 (16 yds)	14-14,	28

At the first shoot held Wednesday conditions were favorable but on Saturday a gale of wind made the targets dip and sky. Allen shot after all the others had finished and, though the wind had increased, made the best score of the day. On Wednesday Geer broke 26 straight, the longest run made by any undergraduate member of the club, with the exception of the 33 straight of Harts ex-'05.

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Dartmouth Champion

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lost third place in the last event when Orr of M. I. T. bettered all his previous performances by a vault of 10 ft., 8 in., giving him third.

The summary:—

100-yd. dash—Risegari Tufts, 1st; Porter M, 2nd; Swasey D, 3d; Jordan D, 4th. Time 10 1-5.

220-yd. dash—Porter M, 1st; Risegari Tufts, 2nd; Swasey D, 3d; Jordan D, 4th. Time, 22 4-5.

440-yd. dash—Howe M. I. T., 1st; Kimball Bow, 2nd; Wyman M, 3d; Honiss B, 4th. Time, 53 3-5.

880-yd. run—Thrall D, 1st; Wilson M. I. T., 2nd; Shipley D, 3d; Carns D, 4th. Time 2:04 3-5.

One-mile run—Wright B, 1st; Tucker B, 2nd; Gray Wes., 3d; Buckingham M. I. T., 4th. Time, 4:37.

Two-mile run—Tucker B, 1st; Bonner W, 2nd; Robinson Bow., 3d; Gallup B, 4th. Time, 10:19 3-5.

120-yd. hurdles—Hubbard A, 1st; Shaw D, 2nd; Griswold W, 3d; Gray D, 4th. Time, 15 4-5.

220-yd. hurdles—Hubbard A, 1st; Shaw D, 2nd; Pond T, 3d; Griswold W, 4th. Time, 25 1-5.

High jump—Farrington M. I. T. and Horrax W, tied for 1st at 5ft. 9¾ in.; Meserve M, and Rapelye M. I. T., tied for third at 5 ft. 7 in.

Broad jump—Mayhew B. 1st, 21 ft. 5½in.; Brown W, and Kent Wes., tied for second at 21 ft., 3 in.; Morton A. 4th, 20 ft. 10 in.

Pole vault—Hazen D, 1st, 11 ft.; Rogers M. 2nd, 10 ft., 10 in.; Horrax W., Newton A, and Farrington M. I. T. tied for third at 10 ft., 4 in.

Shot put—Marshall W., 1st 41 ft., 5 in.; Dearborn Wes, 2nd, 38 ft. 10½in.; Polhemus M. I. T., 3d, 37 ft., 9 in.; Gage D, 4th, 38 ft. 6 in.

Hammer throw—Gage D, 1st, 132 ft.; Knapp M. I. T., 2nd, 125 ft.; Blake D, 3d, 116 ft., 9 in.; LaMent W, 4th, 115 ft., 2 in.

Discus throw—Dearborn Wes. 1st, 120 ft., 11½ in.; Smith B, 2nd 107 ft., 1 in.; Lowe D. 3d, 102 ft., 9 in.; LaMent, W. 4th, 101 ft., 6 in.

For Better Politics

Nineteen colleges were represented at the conference held in Springfield, Thursday afternoon and evening, to form a federation of the various alumni clubs. The object of the organization was defined by the different speakers, as aiming to encourage college men to promote actively civic and social life for the political betterment of the country.

At the afternoon meeting a letter of indorsement from President Hopkins was read. Nearly all of the delegates gave their views on the proposed federation. Edward B. Sellew '90 of New Haven, Conn., said that while he did not speak officially for Williams, he felt sure that all Williams men would favor the plan.

Williams was not represented by any official delegate but the following alumni were present: J. C. Robinson '86, Rev. J. L. Kilbon '86, E. B. Sellew '90, W. H. Brown 1903, R. F. Day 1905.

The Beach-Hyde lecture will not be given this year.

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"W" WITH CROSSED GAVELS

Awarded Debaters by Adelphic Union—Corwin Chosen Asst. Mgr.

At a meeting of the Adelphic Union held in Jesup Hall last evening a motion was passed unanimously to grant a "W" with crossed gavels to 'varsity debaters and managers but not to alternates. This action was taken by the Adelphic Union under the authority granted it by the college body at the college meeting Monday night, "to take complete charge of debating matters". The action will be brought before the college at the college meeting Friday.

A faculty committee composed of Prof. Maxey, Asst.-Prof. Lewis and Prof. Ferry, will have general superintendence of debating affairs in an advisory capacity.

Roy Stanley Corwin 1908, of Riverhead, N. Y., was elected assistant manager of the debating association at the meeting.

Election of a Football Manager

Since the term of the president of the football association will expire Saturday, May 26, and the vice-president has been compelled to resign, it is necessary to fill this office immediately. Consequently with the authority of the Athletic Council I hereby announce an election of a vice-president and assistant manager tomorrow, May 25, at 7:30 p.m. For this election the usual method of class nomination will be omitted. Anyone from the class of 1907 who hands his name to me before 6 p. m. of that date will become a candidate before the college.

W. S. Case, Mgr.

Hurlbut 1907 Chosen Track Capt.

At a meeting of the track team held this afternoon Bert Elmer Hurlbut 1907, of Gouverneur, N. Y., was elected captain for next year. Hurlbut prepared for college at the Gouverneur High school, from which he graduated in 1903. He has been on the 'varsity relay team three years, holds the college record in the quarter-mile run, and has won first in that event in every dual meet but one in which he has contested for the three years.

Two Victories In One

The juniors defeated the freshmen decisively on the old campus Wednesday afternoon 10 to 2 in a game that counted double. Hoyne could not be found, while Sears was batted out of the box and had poor support.

The score by innings:

							R	H	E
1907	2	3	6	0	0	x	10	7	1
1909	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	2	4

Batteries—Hoyne and Bates; Sears, Williams and Hoch. Umpire—Moies '07.

THE FIFTIETH GUL.

1907 Year Book Out Tomorrow—Description of Features

The Gulielmensium of the class of 1907 is here. The first shipment of 400 copies arrived in town a week ago and the books will be placed on sale tomorrow morning at C. G. Smith's and N. H. Sanford's. This issue, Vol. L, is the first of recent years to be delivered on time. The price of the book will be $2.00.

This year's Gul certainly presents a pleasing appearance. It is 10½ inches long by 7¾ wide. The covers are of smooth, tan-colored leather and extend over the edges to meet. The paper stock used is heavy plate India tint, especially adapted to getting the best results from half-tones. The inserts bearing the fraternity seals are of imported French Japan printing paper which harmonizes well with the body of the book. The use of two-tone, or as it is better known, double tone ink of a green tint on a background of black gives the printed page an air of richness impossible of attainment with ordinary one-color ink. The cuts are greatly improved by the use of this ink and are in most cases excellent.

The book contains more drawings and reproductions from photographs than recent Guls, but has fewer headings for the different associations and clubs. The old feature of having a representative drawing preceding the pages allotted to each class has been restored, the four full page pictures having been made by Hanchett 1907. There are a number of excellent drawings from Fred Squires 1900 and George M. Richards 1904, both of whom have been generous in work and suggestions. The photographs are varied in their selection and show many phases of college life. The college and Worcester records have been carefully corrected to the beginning of the track season.

As usual, the "grinds" are fewer in number than the book should have, but this defect has been partly compensated by the addition of pictures. The advertised "alumni section" is also lacking in quantity but this fault may be laid at the door of the alumni themselves, whose co-operation, though absolutely necessary for the success of such a feature, we understand it was impossible to secure to any extent. The alumni have been liberal in subscribing for the book and over 200 copies have been sold to them in advance. The leading article, "The Princess in Purple," is by President George E. McLean '71, of the State University of Iowa.

The typographical work on this year's book was done by the Hausauer-Jones Printing company of Buffalo, the cuts being furnished by the Electric City Engraving company of the same city.

LIGHT AND SHADE

Wesleyan Beaten 9-4—Errors, Triples, Squeeze Plays, Many Bunts

The fifth home game of the season was won from Wesleyan yesterday on Weston Field 9 to 4, in a contest in which only two earned runs were made. Spectacular features were not lacking, two double plays, a perfect short throw with men on first and third, and a pair of squeeze plays figuring in the Williams column. Errors on ground balls were frequent, and altogether those who watched were on edge to see what would happen next. Williams was fast on the bases, and the batting was beautiful to look upon. Wadsworth made the prettiest error seen on Weston Field this year.

Wadsworth opened the first for Williams by trotting around the four bases on a drive too hot for Cunningham, followed by a wild throw under the bleachers. Two singles and a three-bagger by Hogan—who narrowly missed a home run—brought in two more runs. Pierce juggled Cunningham's grounder in circus-ring fashion in the second, and Bristol scored Wesleyan's first tally.

The first squeeze-play came in the sixth when Osterhout, starting from third with the pitcher's motion, scored on Harman's bunt. A wild throw by Young and a wild pitch by Ford, who replaced Pierce in the seventh, accounted for Wesleyan's last two runs. A second squeeze play and Cunningham's three bad errors in the eighth brought Williams' score to nine.

The summary:

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	5	1	3	1	2	1
Warren cf,	5	1	1	2	1	0
Young ss,	3	0	0	3	0	1
Neild 3b,	4	2	2	5	1	0
Hogan lf,	3	0	1	1	0	0
Osterhout rf,	3	2	2	2	1	0
Waters c,	2	2	0	4	1	0
Harman 1b,	2	1	2	8	0	0
Pierce p.	2	0	0	1	5	1
Ford p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	9	11	27	11	3

WESLEYAN

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hancock 3b,	5	1	0	1	3	0
Haley 2b,	5	0	1	1	3	0
Cunningham p.	3	1	0	1	7	3
Smith 1b,	4	0	2	13	0	0
Burke rf,	1	0	0	1	0	0
Day c,	3	0	1	4	1	0
Campaigne cf,	4	0	0	2	0	0
Clark lf,	4	1	1	1	1	0
Bristol ss,	3	1	2	0	1	2
Totals	33	4	7	24	16	5

Wesleyan	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	—4
Williams	3	1	0	1	0	1	0	3	x	—9

Three-base hit—Hogan. Two-base hits—Osterhout, Clark. Stolen bases—Wadsworth 2, Neild, Waters, Smith, Day, Haley. Sacrifice hits—Harman 2, Pierce, Young, Hogan, Burke. Bases on balls—Off Pierce 3, off Ford 1, off Cunningham 4. Hit by pitched ball—By Ford, Day. Struck out—By Ford 3, by Cunningham 1. Double plays—Pierce, Wadsworth and Harman; Osterhout and Neild. Umpire—Jeffrey. Time—1 hr. 44 min.

CALENDAR

FRIDAY, MAY 25

10.00 a. m.—Triangular league tennis matches, Middletown, Conn.
2.00 p. m.—Triangular league matches continued.
7.30 p. m.—College meeting, J. H. Election of asst. football manager from class of 1907.
8.00 p. m.—College sing, J. H.

SATURDAY, MAY 26

10.00 a. m.—Triangular league tennis matches, Middletown, Conn.
1.30 p. m.—Williams - Mt. Anthony golf match, Taconic club links.
2.00 p. m.—Triangular league matches continued.
3.00 p. m.—Williams-Dartmouth baseball. Weston Field.

SUNDAY, MAY 27

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Dr. C. E. Jefferson of New York city will preach.
11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.
4.30 p. m.—Talk to seniors, 4 H. H., Dr. Howard.
7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Jefferson will speak.

MONDAY, MAY 28

10.00 a. m.—New England intercollegiate tennis tournament, Longwood.
2.00 p. m.—Longwood tournament, continued.
8.00 p. m.—Musical clubs concert, J. H.

NEW BASEBALL SONG

To be Used at Dartmouth Game—Practice Sing Tomorrow

A new baseball song has been written by A. M. Botsford 1906 to an air composed by him, the verses of which follow. A college sing will be held on the Jesup Hall steps at 8:00 tomorrow evening to practice the new song for immediate use in the Dartmouth and Amherst games.

We march and sing as all along the line,
We raise our battle cry,
The valley echoes sending back a cheer for men who do or die.
Then onward, steadfast, forward to the fight,
With hearts and voices strong,
The purple floats above us,
Cheering for the team we march along.

CHORUS.

As we go marching, marching, marching on to viet'ry,
Raise our banners high along the way,
As we go cheering, singing glory to the team,
For this is Williams' day.

Forever loyal Williams sons will stand
In battle side by side,
And ne'er a foe is found throughout the land to stem the purple tide.
In football, baseball, basketball or track
Though we be weak or strong,
We'll back the team forever,
Once again we sing our marching song.

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Some Taxation Conditions

The attitude of the legislators who are supporting the bill to exempt certain college property from taxation is moderate. Senator W. H. Feiker, of Northampton, who has given the bill its popular name, is not a radical. He specifically states that he is not "hostile to the educational interests" but does join issue on the "money-making" end of the college, directing his bill against property used for residential, commercial or mercantile purposes." The state senate has voted once or twice for and against the bill every week with confusing regularity, and apparently it is at present about to recommend it to the next general court, although reconsiderations and recommitments have followed so closely that it is hard to say just what it will do.

It seems too bad that, just for the sake of "letting the defeated side down easy", the legislature should put the whole question over without deciding against taxation. To be sure, the most objectional part of the measure, the proposal to tax dormitories and college boarding-houses, has apparently been amended out of the bill. The principal properties affected by the measure as it now reads are professors' houses and athletic fields, enough still to impose a heavy burden on educational institutions.

Space will not permit a discussion of the question of what the town owes to the college. A few points should be mentioned. The expansion of the real property of the college has caused the recent agitation—for it can be shown that fifty years ago college towns were ready to pay to keep the institutions—, yet it must be remembered that in most cases the money paid for the land has been turned over to residents of Williamstown, and the money for the improvements on it paid to Williamstown contractors and laborers. The current funds of the college, non-taxable, have thus become the personal property of Williamstown citizens and therefore taxable, balancing, if the assessors make an accurate valuation of personal property, the loss in taxable real estate. Indeed, in the case of such purchases as the real estate on the north side of Main street recently, there is a gain in taxable property, since the money paid by the college for the real estate is turned from non-taxable to taxable, and the property is still taxed, in fact taxed for larger amounts after more non-taxable college funds have been turned into taxable improvements on that property.

As for the taxation of athletic fields as used for "commercial or mercantile purposes," President Eliot has made the point, that while money is taken in at the gate, the word "profit" has no application, for no individual reaps anything. Certainly the development of the body has a place in the all-round education beside the development of the mind, a common truth which this interpretation of the bill does not seem to recognize.

All colleges are at present undergoing radical adjustment to suit the needs of the time—specialized education, more courses of study, improved methods in the laboratory, the elective system, the small division. It needs money to carry through this adjustment. It is a poor time for the people to lay an added burden on the colleges when they are making an extra effort to keep up with what the people demand.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Matches Between Dartmouth, Wesleyan and Williams at Middletown

The triangular league tennis tournament will be held at Middletown tomorrow and Saturday. Dartmouth, Wesleyan and Williams are the members of the league. The teams will consist of two men each and there will be twelve matches in all. Each man will play a man from both the other teams in singles, and each team will play a doubles match with both other colleges—making six matches to be played by each team. Wesleyan has two championship courts which will be used for the tournament. F. R. Smith 1906 (capt.), Schell 1906 and Thompson 1908 will represent Williams.

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W. H. Scarritt 1908 Asst. Mgr.—Regulations for Class Numerals

William Hendrix Scarritt 1908 of Kansas City, Mo., was elected assistant manager of the basketball association, at a college meeting Monday night. He will manage the team for the season 1907-1908. Scarritt prepared for college at the Central High school of Kansas City, from which he graduated in 1904. He was a member of his class football team and of



W. H. SCARRITT 1908

his class track team freshman year, was on the cane committee and was a member of the class supper committee last year.

At the same meeting Elder 1908 was elected assistant manager of the adelphic union, but later resigned. The adelphic union was empowered by vote of the meeting to take complete charge of debating matters, including the election of debating managers, in the future, thus taking the election out of the direct control of the college body.

The following agreement regarding the granting of class numerals, was adopted by the student body:—

Baseball numerals shall be given to the manager, and to men playing in eighteen innings of the interclass series. Track numerals shall be awarded to those winning an event in the annual sophomore-freshman meet. Announcement of the men who have won numerals shall be made in the Williams Record by the managers of the respective 'varsity teams, and these rules shall be published in the Williams Record.

Rev. Dr. C. E. Jefferson to Preach

Rev. Charles E. Jefferson, pastor of the Broadway Tabernacle, New York city, will preach in the college chapel Sunday. He is a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan and of the Boston University Theological school. He received the degree of D. D. from Oberlin and from Union in 1898. He is the author of several religious works, among them being "Doctrine and Creed." Dr. Jefferson is a powerful speaker, and is considered by many to be the best preacher in New York city, even ranking above Dr. Parkhurst.

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PROM. WEEK

Program and List of Guests for Thirtieth Festivities

The program for thirtieth week, will begin with the Musical clubs concert Monday night and will conclude Wednesday, May 30, with the supplementary dance at the Greylock.

House parties will be given by the Theta Delta Chi and Zeta Psi fraternities. The program and list of guests follows:

MONDAY, MAY 28

8.00 p. m.—Musical clubs concert, J. H.

TUESDAY, MAY 29

9.00 p. m.—Sophomore promenade, Lasell Gymnasium.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30

10.30 a. m.—Cap and Bells presents "The Man From Mexico," Opera House.

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Amherst baseball, Weston Field.

5.00 p. m.—Gargoyle elections, the Quadrangle.

9.00 p. m.—Supplementary dance, Greylock Hotel.

Zeta Psi:—Mrs. F. A. Hubbard of Greenwich, Conn.; Mrs. C. F. Van Inwegen of Port Jervis, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Frear of Troy, N. Y.; Miss Mary Brook of Gambier, O.; Miss Henrietta M. Crawford of Flushing, N. Y.; Miss Helen J. Elliott of Grafton; Miss Anita B. Latson of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss Gertrude M. Sawyer of Worcester; Miss Marion B. Shattuck of Worcester; Miss Kate Van Etten of Kingston, N. Y.

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The list of the guests of the Phi Society and Kappa Alpha fraternity, and the other guests who will attend, as well as the list of dances and the patronesses, will be printed in the next issue.

COLLEGE NOTES

Wm. C. Plunkett, captain of the 1900 baseball team, is in town.

Prof. Cleland and the members of Geology 2b went on a geology trip to Hinsdale yesterday.

Mr. W. S. Pettit spoke last night before the Christian association of the Hill School, Pottstown, Pa., on "Conviction."

Dr. J. T. Porter, instructor in physics, will be adjunct professor of physics next year at Randolph-Macon college, Virginia.

Dr. T. H. Fowler, instructor in German, will be professor of the German language and literature next year at Wells college, Aurora, N. Y.

Williams will send no men to compete in the intercollegiate track meet to be held in the stadium at Harvard university next Saturday.

The speakers for the Sunday afternoon senior talks will be Dr. Howard next Sunday, and President Hopkins on June 3. Ex-president Carter, who was to have given one of the talks, has declined because of poor health.

The Brown-Dartmouth-Williams triangular debating league debates will be held on March 5, 1907. The Brown-Williams debate will be at Williamstown, the Williams-Dartmouth at Hanover, the Dartmouth-Brown at Providence.

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The batting-orders of both teams follow:

WILLIAMS: Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Hogan lf, Osterhout rf, Waters c, Harman 1b, Ford p.

DARTMOUTH: O'Brien lf, McDevitt c, Gardiner 1b, Skillen p, Page ss, Richardson 3b, McLane rf, Main c, Driscoll 2b.

Alumni Cup for Freshmen

Notice has been given for all those desiring to become competitors for the Philadelphia alumni cup to meet Mr. Seeley at his office in Lasell Gymnasium at 7.00 p.m. Friday. The cup, to be given annually, is offered for the second time by Messrs. Felton Bent, F. W. Rawle, and H. D. Riley of the class of 1895, under the following conditions: "to be awarded on the 30th day of May in each year, ... to that member of the freshman class who, in the opinion of the council and the faculty, or a committee thereof, has shown during his first full year in Williams college, the most marked progress in those branches of athletics which now are and hereafter may be prescibed by the faculty as compulsory courses to be taken by the entering freshman class. It is further understood that the recipient of the cup shall have maintained during his first year an average of at least seventy per cent in his other college work.

City Government Club Elections

At a meeting of the City Government club held Monday evening the following officers were elected: President, Linen 1906; vice-president, Sternberger 1907; secretary-treasurer, E. F. Howe 1907. Speakers for next year were discussed, among whom were commissioner McAdoo and Comptroller Grout of New York city and Judge Mayer of Albany.

Preliminaries for Debate

The preliminaries for the Amherst-Wesleyan-Williams debate will be held in the Biological Laboratory Monday, May 28, at 8 p. m. The question will be "Resolved: that it would be for the best interests of American colleges that freshmen be debarred from all 'varsity athletic teams." Five minutes will be allowed each speaker, including two for rebuttal if desired. Contrary to the arrangement last fall, the participants, of whom there are fourteen, have been notified which side they are to uphold.

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At the annual freshman oratorical contest, held last evening in Jesup Hall, the first prize of $20. was awarded to Ernest Hosmer Wood of New York city, the second of $10. to Henry Wolcott Toll, of Denver, Col. The speeches were far above the average of previous years, and were given with much fire. Asst.-Prof. Lewis presided and the judges were Rev. William E. Foley of Williamstown, Hugh J. Drysdale '97 and Mr. Mortimer W. Thomas '87 of North Adams. Music was furnished by the college orchestra.

The program follows:

1 A Plea for Cuba Lodge
STILLMAN FOOTE WESTBROOK
2 Defense of Dartmouth College Webster
MORRIS LEOPOLD ERNST
3 Affairs in Cuba Thurston
CHARLES ALVIN JONES
4 "Orient Yourself" Mann
ROBERT C. MITCHELL
5 Attack on the Gold Standard Bryan
CARROLL EVERTS ROBB
6 Dedication of a Soldiers' Monument Garfield
ERNEST HOSMER WOOD
7 Invective Against Rufus Choate Phillips
HENRY WOLCOTT TOLL
8 The Defense of Pericles
FRANCIS BOWES SAYRE
9 A Plea for Cuba Thurston
HOWARD SAUNIER DODD

THE 1906 CLASS BOOK

Review of Senior Publication by Mr. W. S. Pettit 1905

The 1906 class book is noteworthy among the long series of class books which succeeding senior classes here have edited. The appearance of the book is unusually good; the excellent cover, the two colors of ink, the inserted half-tone cuts, and in general the careful editing and printing make it exceptional.

The chief weakness in the book is undoubtedly among the "write-ups". The review of junior year, for instance, is a hodge-podge of strained metaphors and a capricious style. It suffers much by comparison with the reviews of the other years. Some of the descriptions of the members of the class are well done and have the great merit of emphasizing the more prominent characteristics of the men; others are more poorly written and seem somewhat inane, their humor is too sweet. The old custom of describing metaphorically a man's birth and education is continued, it has too many limitations to be really acceptable in a class book. There is one omission in the account of "sometime members".

With these exceptions the book is most commendable. The 1902 class book is the only one which as a whole can be compared with it and the choice between them must be very nearly even. The book has been more than ordinarily expensive and the editor has done his work with much pains-taking. He and the class are to be congratulated on having produced one of the two best class books ever published here.

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SIXTEEN INNINGS

1-0 Victory Over Dartmouth in Greatest Ball Game Ever Played on Weston

The Game all Ford and Skillin—Each Pitcher Strikes Out Eighteen—Fast Double Play in Fifteenth—Double by Wadsworth and Single by Warren Wins in Sixteenth after Two are Out.

"Allie" Watson can talk no more about the teams a dozen years ago. Even that all-conquering team of '67 never played a sixteen inning 1-0 game. The memory of none closely connected with Williams baseball nor the pages of any of the numerous records can hark back to a ball game in Williamstown that lasted as long as Saturday's, and not since Mr. Lewis struck out 23 men in nine innings back ten years ago has any Williams pitcher fanned so many as did Ford.

At the end of sixteen innings Williams had beaten Dartmouth, when with two out and nobody on bases it had looked as if the game was good for sixteen innings more. Wadsworth came up and hit a two-bagger over the third baseman's head. A moment later he made a clever steal of third. Warren, who had struck out his last two times up, got two strikes on him again, but hit a slow bounder between short and third—which he would have beaten out had not Richardson fumbled—, Wadsworth scored and the game was won.

The game was of a kind that most of us are favored to see but once in a lifetime, and needs unlimited superlatives and unlimited space to do it justice. It was a pitcher's battle, but a pitcher's battle where there was excitement every minute. Ford and Skillin, evenly matched, kept hits down and strike-outs up all the way. In the middle of the game Skillin was the stronger, striking out three men on nine pitched balls in the 11th, but tired towards the very end, while, Ford pitched as strongly in the last inning as in the first. Ford was remarkably steady, giving no bases on balls, and keeping the Dartmouth batters guessing by a puzzling drop ball which he combined with fast shoots, all under perfect control. The umpire's decisions on balls and strikes were often poor.

There were fielding features too. In the fourth O'Brien drove out what he thought to be a triple to right but sharp throwing caught him at third. In the fifteenth came the play of the game. Gardiner singled with one gone. Skillin shot a hard bounder to Young, who fielded it perfectly and a lightning fast double play resulted. Dartmouth never got a man past second, and Williams but three.

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TENNIS AT LONGWOOD

Annual Tournament of the N. E. I. T. A. Begins Today

The New England Intercollegiate tennis tournament will be held May 28, 29, 30 and 31 at Longwood. Amherst, Bowdoin, Brown, Dartmouth, M. I. T., Trinity, Wesleyan, Williams and the University of Vermont will be represented.

Last year the Williams team (Northrop 1905 and Smith 1906) won the doubles championship and Northrop 1905 lost to Fanning of M. I. T. in the singles semi-finals. This year Williams will be represented by F. R. Smith 1906, New England intercollegiate singles champion in 1904, and Wescott 1908. Fanning of M. I. T., last year's singles champion, is still in college and is playing a strong game: Wallis of Dartmouth, the runner-up, has graduated. Tobey of Bowdoin, the Maine champion, promises to be a dangerous man in the singles, while in the doubles McLane and Rotch of Dartmouth are putting up perhaps the most consistent game. The Dartmouth team tied the Springfield Country Club Thursday.

Rain Prevents Matches

(By telegraph to The Record)

Longwood, Mass., May 28, 3:00 p.m.—Rain prevented all tennis matches in the championship tournament today.

TENNIS CHAMPIONS

Williams Defeats Dartmouth and Wesleyan at Middletown

Williams was victorious in all its matches in the triangular league tennis tournament held at Middletown Friday and Saturday, winning the championship silver loving cup. Wesleyan took second place and Dartmouth third. F. R. Smith 1906 (capt.), Schell 1906 and Thompson 1908 represented the Purple. The matches were well contested, though at no time was Williams pressed for the lead. White of Wesleyan and the Dartmouth doubles team made the best showing.

On Friday Thompson defeated Rotch of Dartmouth 6-3, 8-6; Smith defeated White of Wesleyan 6-2, 3-6, 6-1; Thompson defeated Gatch of Wesleyan 6-3, 8-6. In doubles Smith and Schell defeated Rotch and McLane of Dartmouth 6-4, 4-6, 6-2.

Saturday Smith and Schell defeated Gatch and White of Wesleyan 6-3, 6-1. Gatch and White defeated the Dartmouth players 6-3, 2-6, 6-2. The singles matches between Dartmouth and Wesleyan were defaulted to Wesleyan, as the Dartmouth men had to leave.

Schiffer 1907 has resigned from college. He will take a trip to Europe, and in the fall will enter the employ of Pelgram and Meyer, manufacturers of ribbons, New York city.

ADDITIONAL PROM. NEWS

List of Guests Completed—Music and Patronesses

The program of events for prom. week will be the same as published in the last issue of The Record, with the exception that the musical clubs' concert has been changed from Monday evening to Wednesday, at 8:00 p. m. The complete program will be found in the calendar. The price of admission to the balcony at the Prom. is not yet decided.

The list of guests in addition to those published last week follow:

Phi Society:—Mrs. W. W. Scofield of Dalton; Miss Pearl E. Callen of New York city; Mrs. E. C. Bridgman of New York city; Miss Julia B. Prindle of Williamstown; Miss Evelyn T. Bridgman of New York city; Miss Ella F. Wade of Paris, Tex.; Miss Laura E. Cooley of Canandaigua, N. Y.; Miss Olive Bliss of Three Rivers, Mich.; Miss Agnes T. Allen and Miss Charlotte E. Allen of Longmeadow, Mass.

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Other guests are Miss E. M. Winward of Boston; Miss Grace Bedford of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss Margaret G. Maxon of Detroit; Mrs. Clarence M. Smith of Williamstown; Miss Ella Morris of Far Rockaway, L. I.; Mrs. James A. Robinson of Elmhurst, N. Y.; Miss Anna McClelland of Mt. Vernon, N. Y.; Mrs. Miles F. Porter of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Miss Clara P. Porter of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Mrs. Alfred Bedford of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mrs. William Dalzell and Miss Louise Dalzell of Great Barrington; Miss Maud Schouler of North Adams; Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Aitken, Buffalo, N. Y.; Mrs. Charles T. Thompson of Minneapolis, Minn.; Miss Louise Hill of Mineapolis, Minn.; Mrs. C. N. Talbot of New York, Miss C. Talbot of New York; Miss Thornton of Boston; Miss Caroline Montague of Chattanooga, Tenn.

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CALENDAR

MONDAY, MAY 28

10.00 a. m.—New England intercollegiate tennis tournament, Longwood.

2.00 p. m.—Longwood tournament, continued.

7.30 p. m.—Williams-Amherst-Wesleyan debate preliminaries, T. B. L.

TUESDAY, MAY 29

10.00 a. m.—New England intercollegiate tennis tournament, Longwood.

2.00 p. m.—Longwood tournament, continued.

9.00 p. m.—Sophomore promenade, Lasell Gymnasium.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30

10.00 a. m.—New England intercollegiate tennis tournament, Longwood.

10.30 a. m.—Csp and Bells presents "The Man From Mexico," Williamstown Opera House.

2.00 p. m.—Longwood tournament, continued.

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Amherst baseball, Weston Field.

5.00 p. m.—Gargoyle elections, the Quadrangle.

8.00 p. m.—Musical clubs concert, J. H.

9.00 p. m.—Supplementary dance, Greylock Hotel.

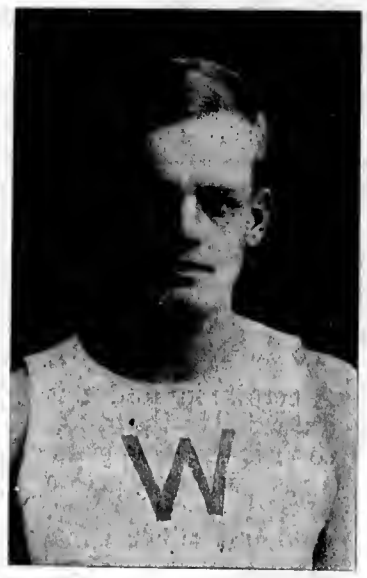
THURSDAY, MAY 31

4.00 p. m.—1906-1908 baseball, old campus.

TRACK INSIGNIA

At a meeting of the athletic council held Saturday at 1:30 p. m. the report of the football manager was accepted. M. Brown '07 was chosen secretary of the council.

It was decided that the Brookline meet be considered the "championship meet" under article VIII. of the By-Laws of the Track Association. In accordance with this decision, the following were granted the track "W": Griswold 1906; A. Brown 1907; LaMent, Marshall 1908; Bonner, Horrax 1909. The following were granted the "AWA": Egleston 1906; Davis, M. Brown, Wilder 1907; B. P. Allen, Clark 1908.



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Prom. Time

For our friends who are with us for a few fleeting hours 'neath the shadow of Greylock by day, and the effulgence retailed by the North Adams light company by night, we this week ungrudgingly tear ourselves from our long unbroken communion with the books. Again we recite to the sympathetic ears of an indulgent chaperone the cost of the new chapel and the explanation of Bryant's sarcasm at the expense of his alma mater, while our roommate chats with her ward on far different and less weighty subjects Again we wipe the dust from our dressing mirrors and leave our dollars with barber, haberdasher, and purveyor of the prancing steeds, for again is prom. time upon us.

Williamstown helps us to bid you welcome. The lawns and trees have anticipated our intention by decking themselves in their best in your honor, and the weather department has anchored down the annoying dust of Spring street under four inches of good Berkshire mud. The Man from Mexico has said he will be here on Wednesday morning and our friends the enemy from Amherst in the afternoon. The road through Torrey's woods is still open to travel and the view from Stone Hill awaits your pleasure. And, incidentally, there is to be a dance in the gymnasium tomorrow night.

Debating Insignia

The question of insignia for debaters is one which seems bound to recur every five or ten years in every college, usually with the same result as at the college meeting Friday.

An impression given at that meeting should be corrected. The colleges near us do not, as a general rule, grant a debating letter. Harvard, mentioned by one of the speakers, gives no insignia at all for debating. At Wesleyan (quoting from a letter from the Wesleyan Argus) "the debating teams are allowed to wear the 'W' with crossed gavels, but none of them ever do it. Last year the members of the team were given watch-fobs with this insignia on them." At Amherst "alumni have awarded victorious debaters with medals", but no insignia are given. Dartmouth this last year granted the "D" with crossed gavels. Whatever argument can be made from the customs of other colleges would be against the proposed action.

The whole question is the basis for awarding the "W". In our opinion the only ground for the granting of the letter is the representation of the college in any intercollegiate athletic contest. This has been the basis at Williams for thirty years; it has been as rigidly adhered to and much more widely extended in other colleges. The letter has always been regarded, throughout the college world, as given for athletic excellence. Current joking comment shows how any extension of the letter outside the athletic field would cheapen its value.

Of course the "W" with crossed gavels would aid debating. There are not many interests in college so dead that they would not take a new lease of life if the "W" was granted their members. We scarcely think debating is in such straits as to demand this radical aid; last year's interest would certainly prove the contrary.

The work done by the debaters is not to be belittled, nor do we think it is wholly realized. Debaters deserve more recognition from the college than they get at present. They deserve the proper kind of recognition, however. Whether they would even wear a letter if awarded them would seem doubtful after the testimony quoted from Wesleyan. The right to wear the purple is not yet definitely crystallized like the right to the "W". To award the debaters this right, while defining strictly those in athletics who should have it, would be our suggestion.

At any rate, if insignia are to be granted, the debating interests ought to be as definitely organized as the athletic interests, as an association under the control of the student-body, and the organized supervision of gradu-

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ates. Undergraduate award and graduate ratification seems necessary in athletics. It is hard to see how, with faculty judges determining the make-up of the 'varsity teams and therefore determining who should wear this college insignia, as is necessary, such undergraduate award could be brought about in debating. The organization must be double; certainly no body composed solely of students should have the power to grant its members "W"s or any other insignia.

FOOTBALL MGR. CHOSEN

M. Brown 1907 Elected—Motion for Debating Insignia Tabled

Montague Brown 1907 of Portland, Maine, was elected assistant football manager to fill the office of Moies 1907, resigned, at a college meeting Friday evening. He became manager of the football association Saturday with the expiration of Manager Case's term.



MONTAGUE BROWN 1907

Brown prepared for college at Hotchkiss school, where he managed the school paper, and was a member of the track team. He was one of the Prom. committee sophomore year, is treasurer of the class, and has been a member of the track team and the football squad for two years.

The question of debating insignia was brought before the meeting. Nomer 1906 moved that the college grant the "W" with crossed gavels to members of debating teams and to the managers, but not to the alternates. Nomer 1906 and Perry 1906 spoke in favor of the motion, Curtiss 1906 and Clark 1907 against it. A motion to lay the matter on the table was passed by a small majority.

Y. M. C. A. Meeting

Dr. Jefferson of New York, who addressed the morning chapel service yesterday, answered questions on religious and ethical matters at the evening Y. M. C. A. service. The discussion was free and informal, and was participated in by nearly all present.

Morrill 1907 has been appointed teacher of French for next year in the Williamstown High school.

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AMHERST BASEBALL GAME

Purple and White on Weston Field Decoration Day

The annual prom. week Williams - Amherst baseball game will be played Decoration day on Weston Field. The game is the second of a series of four, the first of which was won by Williams 2 to 0 on Pratt Field, May 5. Since then Pennsylvania, Wesleyan, Lafayette and Dartmouth have been defeated by Amherst—the last in a pitcher's battle between McRae and Skillin.

The Amherst nine took a western trip last week for the first time since the Chicago World's Fair in 1893. The trip resulted in two victories and two defeats: Michigan was beaten by a large score, but the Purple and White was shut out by Illinois. The Williams game will be the first after the western trip.

The batting orders of both teams follow:

WILLIAMS: Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Hogan lf, Osterhout rf, Waters c, Harman 1b, Ford p.

[By telegraph to THE RECORD this morning.]

AMHERST: Beach ss, Storke 3b, Jones lf, Shattuck rf, Palmer 1b, Wheeler cf, McRae p, Spring c, Allaire 2b.

Amherst Scores

Amherst	1	Yale	0
Amherst	10	Williston	3
Amherst	2	Cornell	7
Amherst	0	Syracuse	3
Amherst	4	Colby	3
Amherst	1	Harvard	2
Amherst	0	Williams	2
Amherst	11	Pennsylvania	8
Amherst	5	Wesleyan	0
Amherst	10	Lafayette	6
Amherst	2	Dartmouth	1
Amherst	10	Michigan	3
Amherst	7	Chicago	10
Amherst	0	Illinois	3

1907 Still Undefeated

The junior team won their fifth victory in the interclass baseball series Thursday atfernoon from the seniors 13 to 10. A shower before the game made good fielding difficult. The game was exciting all the way. In the nervous last inning Redick sent the ball between the baseball cage snd fence for a three-bagger, and put the last 1906 man out by catching a hot liner.

The score by innings:

							R	H	E
1907	2	1	1	2	2	5	13	8	5
1906	1	3	2	3	0	1	10	7	9

Batteries—Van Inwegen and Leland, Hoyne and Southworth. Umpire, Hinman 1907.

COLLEGE NOTES

W. B. Van Inwegen '06 has resigned his office as manager of the golf association, and Assistant Manager Jaeckel '07 has been appointed by the athletic council in his place.

In place of the game with Trinity scheduled for Saturday, but cancelled some time ago by Trinity, the 'varsity will play the Williamstown Athletics on Weston Field.

The following alumni have been in town: Ide '71, Wheeler '73, Cluett '93, Cluett ex-'93, Eaton '95, Ide '98, Rutter '99, Jaeckel 1902, Hite 1904, Austin, Eldred 1905, Eldridge ex-'08, Schenck ex-'09.

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Sixteen Innings

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The fifth was Dartmouth's first bad inning. Osterhout got a hit, Waters was safe on Gardiner's error and Harman's bunt put the men on third and second with one out. Ford hit the ball hard and on a line, but straight at O'Brien and then Skillin struck out Wadsworth. Again in the eighth, with two out, Wadsworth walked and stole. Warren smashed a long liner to the track just in foul ground in left field and then hit to the pitcher. In the twelfth and fifteenth Williams came near winning again but Skillin's strike-outs, like Ford's, came at the right time.

The summary:

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	6	1	2	4	5	1
Warren cf,	6	0	1	2	0	0
Young ss,	5	0	0	2	2	0
Neild 3b,	6	0	1	4	4	0
Hogan lf,	6	0	1	0	0	0
Osterhout rf,	6	0	1	1	1	0
Waters c,	5	0	0	18	0	0
Harman 1b,	5	0	0	17	0	0
Ford p,	6	0	1	0	6	0
Totals	51	1	7	48	18	1

DARTMOUTH

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
O'Brien lf,	6	0	1	1	0	0
McDevitt cf,	5	0	1	0	0	0
Gardiner 1b,	6	0	2	17	0	1
Skillin p,	6	0	1	1	8	0
Page 3b,	5	0	0	0	6	0
Richardson ss,	6	0	0	2	3	0
McLane rf,	4	0	1	2	0	0
J. Glaze rf,	1	0	0	0	0	0
Main c,	5	0	0	21	0	0
Driscoll 2b,	5	0	0	3	2	0
Hazelton**	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	50	0	6	47*	19	1

Dartmouth—runs—0000000000000000—0
hits—0000001110001100—6
S. O.—0212122021221000—18
Williams—runs—0000000000000001—1
hits—1010100000010012—7
S. O.—0011101122312111—15

Two-base hits—Wadsworth, Neild, O'Brien, Gardiner. Sacrifice hits—Warren, Waters, Harman; Page. Stolen bases—Wadsworth 2, Young, Hogan; McDevitt 2. Struck out—By Ford 18, by Skillin 18. Bases on balls—Off Skillin, Wadsworth, Young. Hit by pitched ball—By Ford, McDevitt. Double plays—Harman (unassisted); Young, Wadsworth and Harman; Skillin and Richardson. Time—3 hr. 8 min. Umpire—Jeffrey. *Two out when winning run was made. **Batted for McLane in 13th.

Record's Batting Averages

	GAMES	AB	H	R	BA
Warren cf,	11	46	14	8	.304
Gardner rf, 1b,	4	7	2	1	.286
Wadsworth 2b,	11	49	12	7	.245
Osterhout lf, 1f,	11	38	9	7	.237
Hogan lf,	8	30	7	2	.233
Neild 3b,	11	40	8	10	.200
Waters c,	11	34	6	6	.176
Harman 1b,	11	30	5	5	.167
Young ss,	11	40	5	6	.125
Ford p,	8	23	2	1	.091
Pierce p, lf,	5	15	1	3	.067

Record's Fielding Averages

	GAMES	PO	A	E	BA
Warren cf,	11	23	2	0	1.000
Hogan lf,	8	9	0	0	1.000
Gardner rf, 1b,	4	3	0	0	1.000
Waters c,	11	106	8	1	.991
Harman 1b,	11	99	0	2	.980
Neild 3b,	11	16	16	1	.970
Young ss,	11	16	11	2	.931
Wadsworth 2b,	11	19	24	4	.916
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Osterhout rf, 1f,	11	7	2	2	.889
Ford p,	8	2	16	8	.857

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2 Two-Step—"Little Johnny Jones" selections.
3 Waltz—"Happyland."
4 Two-Step—"Won't You be My Lovey Dovey?"
5 Two-Step—"You're a Grand Old Rag."
6 Waltz—"The Only One."
7 Two-Step—"Cheyenne."
8 Waltz—"I Was Just Supposing."
9 Two-Step—"Silver Heels."
10 Two-Step—"Can't You See I'm Lonely?"
11 Waltz—"Land of the Midnight Sun."
12 Two-Step—"Flying Arrow."
13 Waltz—"Friends That Are Good and True."
14 Two-Step—"Milo."
15 Two-Step—"Major Marjorie."
16 Waltz—"My Cabin Door."
17 Two-Step—"Umpire" selections.
18 Waltz—"Dream of Heaven."
19 Two-Step—"Rufus Rastus Johnson Brown."
20 Two-Step—"Come Fill Your Glasses Up."

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21 Waltz—"Absiothe Frappe."
22 Two-Step—"La Mattchichee."
23 Waltz—"Loveland."
24 Two-Step—"Pearl and the Pumpkin" selections.
25 Waltz—"Dearie."
26 Two-Step—"Under the Double Eagle."
27 Waltz—"On the Banks of the Mediterranean So Blue."
28 Two-Step—Williams Medley.
29 Two-Step—Princeton "Jungle Song."
30 Waltz—"You're Just the Girl I'm Looking For."
31 Two-Step—"Down the Field."
32 Waltz—"On the Rhine With a Stein."
33 Two-Step—"My Campfire Maid."
34 Waltz—"The Blue Danube."
35 Two-Step—"Happy Heine."
36 Waltz—"Lady of the North."
37 Two-Step—"The American Patrol."
38 Waltz—"In My Merry Oldsmobile."
39 Two-Step—"Robinson Crusoe's Isle."
40 Two-Step—"A Ride on the Choo-choo Cars."
41 Waltz—"Just My Style."
42 Two-Step—"All Aboard for Broadway."
"So Long Mary."

GUL. REVIEW

The Year Book Criticised by Asst. Prof. Perry

The work of editing a "Gul." is the most laborious and least appreciated of all the literary or semi-literary tasks which come outside of the curriculum in the college and one feels like offering sympathy rather than criticism to a board which has for so long a time striven to produce something of an original quality, only to have the book read for a day and then relegated to back shelves where it is seldom seen except by future "Gul." boards who use it mainly as a book for prejudiced comparison.

The fiftieth "Gul." is elegant in appearance with its tan colored leather binding and its French Japan printing paper. The general tone of the book, the printing, and the careful editing must be conceded at the start. The cuts come out well, and the drawings, while not of unusual excellence, are satisfactory. The snapshots, showing distinctive glimpses of Williams life, appeal to more men than any other feature of the book and one wishes there were more of them. Here the "Gul." is performing a function for the college which is worth while. They give real charm to

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the book. The full page cuts of the captains of the athletic teams are disappointng.

From a literary point of view the "Gul." is distinctly mediocre. The verse at times is pointless doggerel and never seems to have a reason for existence. The poem which purports to have come from the pen of Morris Rudnick is a cruel libel on Mr. Rudnick, and in "Aspirations of a Freshman" the lines:

"I'd walk up near the grand stand then.
And you with shining eyes
Would toss a rosebud through the net—
Ah, what a victor's prize!"

do justice neither to Williams poetry nor Williams athletics. The prose is better, but never rises above the average of preceding "Guls". The humor does not seem to be spontaneous and in the "Sunday Evening Vesper Service" it is quite absent. It is unfortunate and in poor taste that our beautiful vesper service should be held up to ridicule, but when the ridicule is pointless it seems to the critic that the result is doubly distressing. Real humor could not be denied in "The Ten Commandments of Williams," and in certain other of the prose selections which are of too personal a character for particularization.

Is the "grind" department of the "Gul." worth while? For the last fifteen years there has been a steady decrease in the space allotted these personal comments. The fact that at present only a few men are honored makes the position far more conspicuous than it used to be and in the choice of subjects precedent seems to be the controlling factor. At the universities this part of the year book has been entirely eliminated, with a distinct gain in dignity. The "grinds" mean nothing except to a very few, and they do not add to the value of the "Gul," as the authentic record of the happenings of the college year. Certainly to the alumni and to those who read the "Annual" with an iden of choosing a college the "grinds" are of no interest. Perhaps there would not be such a large sale if the "grinds" were omitted but this has never been proven. The difficulty of getting original matter in this department is becoming yearly more evident; the bitterness which some of these innocent thrusts causes is seldom realized, and they do not further the real purpose of the "Gul".

Lewis Perry.

Mt. Anthony G. C. Defeated

The Williams golf team defeated the Mt. Anthony G.C. of Bennington 12-0 on the Taconic links, Saturday, Tuxedo system. The visitors brought but two men; Doughty '98, who played with them, forced L. Mitchell to play the course in 38-39, 77, to win 1 up. A return match will be played June 6 in Bennington.

The score:

Williams		Mt. Anthony	
A. Mitchell	4½	Worthington	0
Wilcox	6	Chisholm	0
L. Mitchell	1½	Doughty '98	0
	12		0

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GARGOYLE

Fifteen Men Chosen from Class of 1907

The elections to Gargoyle, the senior society, were held in the usual manner on the Quadrangle yesterday afternoon. The following fifteen were chosen:

ARTHUR MILTON BROWN
MONTAGUE BROWN
ROY HERBERT CASE
NORTHROP CLAREY
WILLIAM MANSFIELD CLARK
GEORGE BURWELL DUTTON
JOSEPH CHANDLER FORD, JR.
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MEMORIAL SERVICE

Held in New Chapel and at Soldiers Monument

Informal Memorial day exercises were conducted in the chapel yesterday morning before about two hundred people. President Hopkins spoke briefly upon memories of the civil war and stated that the purpose of the holiday was to serve as a reminder of the sacrifices and sufferings of that struggle and to aid us in realizing the tremendous cost of religious and civil liberty.

Further exercises were held at the Soldiers' monument where President Hopkins read the names of twenty-eight Williams men who died in the war and mentioned many of the two hundred and twenty-six Williams men who fought in the conflict.

THE MAN FROM MEXICO

Cap and Bells Plays in Opera House—Changes in Cast

Cap and Bells gave its prom. week performance of "The Man from Mexico" before a large audience in the Williamstown Opera house yesterday morning at 10.45. The lines were given smoothly and the acting was of even excellence, with the caricature parts not overdone. As usual, A. M. Bostford 1906, as Benjamin Fitzhew, the Man from Mexico, was the life of the show, keeping the audience in laughter all the while he was on the stage.

Tifft 1909 made more of the part of Nettie Majors than has been done in the previous performances, and the German dialect work of Case 1906 received merited applause. Latson 1909 played the part of Pierce 1907 as Timothy Cook, and Hanson 1909 did creditable work in the part of Miranda, played in previous preformances by Carlisle 1909. The Spanish dance, by Botsford 1906 and Combes 1907 suffered by comparison with Donald MacDonald, but by this only.

Ex-president Carter will preach in the chapel next Sunday.

WILLIAMS 3; AMHERST 1

Large Crowd Sees Purple and White Outplayed in Dull Game

The annual Decoration day game with Amherst was won by Williams yesterday afternoon 3 to 1 in ideal weather before one of the largest crowds ever gathered on Weston Field. The game was unusually fast, and not very interesting, though perhaps after Saturday's contest an ordinary game looked commonplace. Not a run was earned, but Amherst was outbatted, outfielded, and outpitched. Two of Amherst's hits were scratches.

Each team was credited with a run at the end of the first inning. Storke drew a pass to first, reached third when Young missed Jones' grounder, and crossed the plate on Shattuck's single. Warren scored for Williamson Young's single after gaining second on a muffed fly.

In the second, Osterhout drew a wild throw in stealing second, and another wild throw to third by Wheeler brought him home. With two out Jones lined out a three-bagger to center-field in the third inning and was the last man to reach third for Amherst. After Wheeler's singls in the fourth no Amherst man saw first. The third run came as a result of Ford's three-bagger which took a lucky bound past the left-fielder, Harman coming in from first.

For Williams, Harman made his usual good pick-ups, and Wadsworth covered much ground at second, accepting nine chances brilliantly without an error. Spring's accurate throwing caught four men who attempted to steal.

The summary:

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	4	0	1	2	7	0
Warren cf,	4	1	1	0	0	0
Young ss,	4	0	3	0	5	1
Neild 3b,	4	0	0	0	0	0
Hogan lf,	2	0	0	0	0	0
Osterhout rf,	2	1	0	0	0	0
Waters c,	3	0	1	8	1	0
Harman 1b,	2	1	0	17	0	0
Ford p,	3	0	1	0	4	0
Totals	28	3	7	27	17	1

AMHERST

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Beach ss,	4	0	0	5	3	1
Storke 3b,	3	1	0	2	3	0
Jones lf,	4	0	1	1	0	0
Shattuck rf,	4	0	1	1	0	0
Palmer 1b,	4	0	0	11	0	0
Wheeler cf,	3	0	1	0	0	2
McRae p,	3	0	0	0	3	0
Spring c,	3	0	1	3	4	1
Allaire 2b,	3	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	31	1	4	24	13	4

Amherst 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
Williams 1 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 x—3

Two-base hit—Young. Three-base hits—Ford, Jones. Stolen base—Osterhout. Sacrifice hit—Harman. Bases on balls—Off Ford 1, off McRae 2. Struck out—By Ford 7, by McRae 3. Wild Pitch—Ford. Double play—Wadsworth and Harman. Umpire—Geoffroy. Time—1 hr. 14 min. Attendance—4,000.

WILLIAMS IN FINALS

Men in Both Singles and Doubles at Longwood Tournament

The New England intercollegiate lawn tennis association meeting at Longwood was delayed by rain on Monday. The singles matches began Tuesday, when all the colleges in the association, Amherst excepted, were represented. Westcott '08 was defeated by Rotch of Dartmouth in the second round in a close match, winning the second set 8-6.

In yesterday's matches, the semi-finals of the singles left Smith 1906, intercollegiate champion two years ago, and Fanning of Technology, last year's chsmpion to fight it out for the championship. Both men hsd hard matches in the semi-finals. In doubles Smith and Wescott play Fanning and Nichols this afternoon.

CHAMPIONSHIP SINGLES

First Round—Nicholl of Technology defeated Hanscom of Tufts by default.

Second Round—White of Wesleyan defeated Wolff of Amherst by default; Psine of Bowdoin defeated Burgess of Brown, 6-3, 6-2; McLsne of Dartmouth dsfeated Pease of Vermont, 6-3, 6-3; Smith of Williams defeated Nicholl of Technology, 6-3, 0-6, 6-4; Rotch of Dartmouth defeated Westcott of Williams, 6-4, 6-8, 6-2; Porter of Brown defeated Gatch of Wesleyan, 6-4, 6-4; Tobey of Bowdoin defeated Wyckoff of Tufts, 6-0, 6-2.

Third Round—Paine of Bowdoin defeated White of Wesleyan, 7-5, 7-5; Fanning of Technology defeated Porter of Brown, 7-5, 6-1; Smith of Williams defeated McLane of Dartmouth, 6-3, 6-4; Rotch of Dartmouth defeated Tobey of Bowdoin, 7-5, 6-0.

Semi-Finals—Smith of Williams defeated Paine of Bowdoin, 3-6, 6-3, 6-3; Fanning of "Tech." defeated Rotch of Dartmouth, 6-4, 3-6, 7-5.

CHAMPIONSHIP DOUBLES

First Round—Porter and Burgess of Brown defeated Hanscom and Hopper of Tufts, 6-2, 7-5; Smith and Westcott of Williams defeated Sturgis snd Wolff of Amherst by default; Tobey and Paine of Bowdoin defeated Gatch and White of Wesleyan, 6-3, 6-3; Fanning and Nicholl of "Tech." defeated McLane and Rotch of Dartmouth, 0-6, 6-2, 6-2.

Semi-Finals—Smith and Westcott of Williams defeated Porter and Burgess of Brown, 6-2, 6-2; Fanning and Nicholl of "Tech." defeated Tobey and Paine of Bowdoin, 6-3, 6-4.

Horrax Wins Alumni Cup

The athletic council have awarded the "Philadelphia Alumni Cup," given annually by Felton Bent, H. D. Riley, and F. W. Rawle of the class of '95, to Gilbert Horrax 1909 of Montclair, N. J., whose strength test of 933.3 kilograms represents a gain of 125.3 since last fall. Eight freshmen competed for it. When the cup arrives it will be exhibited for a short time in Azhderian's window.

CALENDAR

SATURDAY, JUNE 2

10.00 a. m.—Track meet of the Williams Interscholastic Track association, Weston Field.

2.00 p. m.—Clark Scholarship examination, major snbject, 4 H. H.

2.30 p. m.—Williams-Springfield C. C. golf match. Pittsfield C. C. links.

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Berkshire Athletics baseball, Weston Field.

4.30 p. m.—1907-1908 baseball, Weston Field.

SUNDAY, JUNE 3

10.30 a.m —College Chapel. Ex-president Franklin Carter will preach.

11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.

4.30 p. m.—Talk to seniors, 4 H. H., President Hopkins.

7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Prof. Russell will speak.

SOPHOMORE PROMENADE

Annual Dance in Lasell Gymnasium Tuesday Evening

The sophomore prom. is over and Nineteen-eight has joined the list of Williams classes which have given successful proms. But to say that the 1908 prom. was a success, is to be prosaic. An efficient committee, many diligent assistants, and no end of painstsking labor prepsred the gymnasium for the event. An unsurpassed evening, cool and clear, a management that provided for every need, and by far the largest number of guests at any recent college dance, contributed in making 1908's a truly perfect promenade.

Lasell gymnasium was transformed from its barn-like gymnastic aspect, into a splendid ballroom, the color scheme of light green and white being followed throughout. The walls downstairs were concesled by bunting, with many Williams and 1908 banners and pennants. Over the center of the floor was a canopy of green and white, with the bunting draped from the running track up to the center-piece of electric lights from which hung a large Japanese umbrella. Electric lights shone from the eastern end of the track, while from pendants of greenery above the hall hung numerous electric-lighted Japanese lanterns. At the eastern end of the gallery back of the running track, were cosy corners. The usual easy chairs, divans and sofas lined the walls downstairs, and rugs surrounded the dancing floor.

The sophomore promenade committee consisted of Richard Bradley Rising of Springfield, chairman; Richard Meldrum Brady of Washington, Pa.; Payson Stone Douglas of East Orange, N. J.; Harold Hull Griswold of Meriden, Conn.; and William Ernest Slattery of Troy.

Gioscin's complete orchestra of

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Another Baseball Victory

A victory over Amherst is always pleasurable; a victory in the midst of prom. time doubly so. And yet it was hard to get up enthusiasm. In comparison with Saturday's Dartmouth game, this or any other seemed dull. The Williame pitcher was too obviously superior to the Amherst batsmen. Tbnt no men got to first in five innings shows that pitchers and fielders were playing baseball as best they knew.

The team has won a series of victories seldom equalled. Amherst, Harvard, Syracuse, Yale, Wesleyan, Dartmouth and again Amherst have been successively defeated, and Williams has scored as many runs in a single game as its opponents in all twelve. And now for Princeton!

Where Improvement is Necessary

Is it not strange that when the object of the interscholastic meet held Saturday is avowedly to give track men in the near-by preparatory schools an impetus to come to Williams, that so little interest is taken in the meet by the college? In other colleges these future students are made to feel that they are the guests of the college; here at Williams that majority of us who are not awake to the interests of the college have ignored them.

The time of the meet, determined by train connections, is inconvenient, to be sure, but the meet is naturally run primarily to suit these guests of the college rather than the college body. Recitations, it is realized, interfere somewhat, but not all the college are reciting every hour Saturday morning; certainly there are not many of us unable to take a few etxra steps to see the end of the meet in the afternoon. That it is necessary to run the meet through the noon hour and therefore difficult to entertain at the fraternity houses makes it all the more necessary that each man do all he can, for this is the one chance of the year that every one has to help men to come to Williams.

It takes something more than an impression of the beauty of Williamstown to get these men here. A little personal interest, and quite a little, if not in some one individunl, at least in the Here at any rate is our opportuntiy down on Weston Field, by united effort, with cheer and song leaders present, to give these visitors an impression of college spirit and college interest in themselves that will help make them realize that Williams is the very best place for them to come to.

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The paper, the post-office, the package, each yield some things to be thrown away, and to make a trail of refuse behind them. We wish to request the young men of the college, whose general consideration we have occasion to recognize, to hold fast to the fugacious paper, the treacherous peel, till they have reached a place of deposit, and to baffle the disorder which dogs our steps in the street.

We do not go so far as to ask you to "keep off the grass", but we would like to request you to keep off the places where the grass ought to grow. Our walks are bordered with paths on either side, in ridicule of their proper service. The young man who makes no offense in going, and leaves no offense behind him, is entitled to the world, even if it be the beautiful world of Williamstown.

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The 'varsity baseball team will play a third game with the Williamstown Athletics Saturday afternoon on Weston Field in place of the scheduled game cancelled by Trinity. The college team broke even with the Athletics in two practice games early in the season, the Athletics winning the first 7 to 6, and the 'varsity the second 15 to 7. The Athletics will be considerably strengthened Saturday by the presence of Murphy of Adams, recently released from the Utica team of the New York State league, and Howells, a former player in the Western outlaw league. Mackey, coach of Wesleyan's team last year, and Rudman, both of Blackinton, are also players of league experience. Asst. Prof. Lewis will probably pitch for the Athletics, but Bryant, who pitched in the other two games, may be in the box.

The line-ups of both teams follow:

ATHLETICS: — Walden c, Lewis p or 3b, Mackey 1b, Prindle 2b, Murphy ss, Bryant 3b or p, Rudman lf, Howells cf, Mears rf.

WILLIAMS— Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Hogan lf, Osterhout rf, Watera c, Harman 1b, Pierce p.

COACH DOWD LEAVES

Will Manage Holyoke Team of Connecticut League

Thomas J. Dowd, coach of the baseball team, has accepted an offer to manage the Holyoke baseball team of the Connecticut League, and left on Wednesday. Holyoke is Coach Dowd's native town.

He was captain of the Holyoke High school team for four years before going to Brown and Georgetown, and, in his career of professional ball, was left fielder on the Holyoke team in 1904 and captained the nine for a time.

He will begin his duties as manager today. Although he had agreed to stay with the team until the end of June, his offer from Holyoke was so large that the management did not think itself justified in keeping him for the remainder of the year. He was at the game yesterday, will go on the trip to Princeton June 6 and will be with the team at the Amherst game at Amherst June 23. Asst.-Prof. Lewis will act as coach of the team in his place from now on.

Williams-Springfield C. C. Golf

The Williams golf team of five men will play the Springfield country club team on the links of the Pittsfield Country Club at 2:30 Saturday afternoon. The Springfield team is the strongest country club team in Massachusetts west of Worcester, and has not been defeated yet this year. Ralph P. Alden and S. N. Stickney, the old St. Paul's school player, are the best men. The Williams team defeated Springfield 9-6 last fall, the latter's first defeat on its home course in three years.

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Sophomore Promenade

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The supplementary dance was held at the Greylock last evening.

INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET

Held on Weston Field Saturday—Eleven Schools Competing

The annual track meet of the Williams college interscholastic athletic association will be held on Saturday morning and afternoon on Weston Field. The entry list is the largest ever received. The schools which are to compete this year are the Adams High school, Albany academy, Ballston Spa High school, Cambridge High school, Drury High school, Hoosick Falls High school, Pittsfield High school, Searles High school, Troy Conference academy of Poultney, Vt. and the Williamstown High school. The Troy Conference academy is entered for the first time.

The meet promises to be even better than last year when Drury High school unexpectedly won with one-quarter of a point more than Pittsfield. The usual thirteen events are on the program and the first heat of the 100-yd dash will be started at 10 o'clock sharp. The meet will continue through the noon hour and will be over by about 3:00.

A banner will be awarded to the school winning the largest number of points and gold, silver and bronze medals will be given to winners of first, second and third places in each event.

First Preliminary Debates

The following men were chosen from the contestants in the Amherst-Wesleyan-Williams debating league preliminaries in the Biological Laboratory Monday evening: Fowle '08, Dodd, Ernst, Howe, Maclay, Robb, Wood '09. In addition to these men Case, Matthews '07, Byard, Groben, Murray '08, Sayre, Toll '09, the 'varsity debaters and alternates, are eligible. No further trial debates will be held this year. The judges were Prof. Maxey, Asst.-Prof. Wetmore, and Asst. Prof. Perry.

Debaters Meet at Amherst

Case '07 will represent Williams at a meeting to be held at Amherst Saturday to complete arrangements for the formation of the proposed Amherst-Wesleyan-Williams debating league. This meeting takes the place of the one to have been held in Williamstown yesterday.

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Theprogram follows:

PART I.

1 a) The Royal Purple
Bartlett '95
b) "Come Fill Your Glasses Up" H. S. Patterson '96
Glee and Mandolin Clubs
2. Spanish Dance
Moszkowski
Mandolin Club
3. Bells of St. Michael's Tower
Knyvett Stewart
Glee Club.
4. Peter Piper S. R. Henry
Banjo Club.
5. Solo—Selected
Selwyn Reed Pevear 1907
6. Alma Mater Song
Marvin '01
The Calico Ball.
Glee Club.

PART II.

1. The Mill in the Forest.
Eilenberg
Mandolin Club.
2. Readings—Selected
Arthur James Pierce 1907
3. Chinese Tragedy
L F. Gottschalk
Glee Club.
4. Williams Two-Step
C. B. Gale '06
Banjo Club
5. Solo—Selected
Selwyn Reed Pevear 1907
6. The Mountains
Washington Gladden '59
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Alumni in Town

The following alumni have been in town over Prom. time: Jerome '67, Hollister '70, Abbott '72, Benedict '82, Hawkins '84, Leonard '86, Gillett '88, Evans, Miller '90 Updyke '93, McMurtrie '94. Parmenter. Frear '95. Huyck '96, Burns, Drysdale, Roy' 97. Philip Brown, Sherry, Ide '98, Lehman, Rutter, Conger '99, Stoddard 1900, Rutter, Berking 1902, Cox 1903. Erskine, Chase, Jones, Mitchell, Peckham, Hollister, Quirk 1904, Huggins, Thompson, Beiermeister ex-'04, Austin, Watson, Everitt, Judson, Eldred, Lincoln, Parsons, Boland 1905, Westervelt ex-'06, McEwan, Temple ex-'07, Curtis, Eldridge ex-'08.

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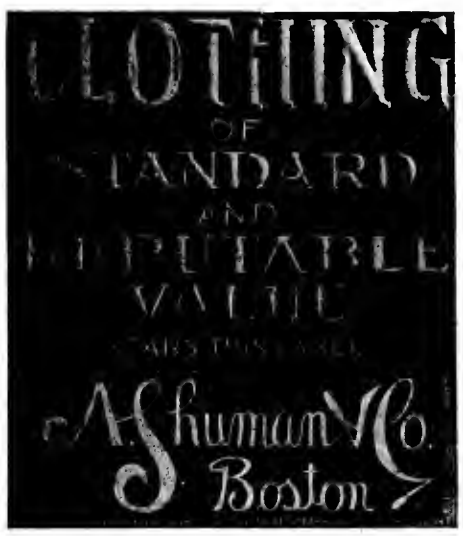
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Review of the June Number by Professor Nelson

In the very few moments that I may almost truly say are given me to "review" the Literary Monthly, I am forced to content myself with an inadequate amount of general observation. As the editorial parts of this number are not submitted to me, let me say of these elements of the magazine, that they are open to the objection that may justly be made to this effort of my own when it is considered in reference to this particular number of the monthly publication,—they deal too generally with life in the large and too skimpingly with the concrete and often interesting life about us. Students, who are usually inchoate men, give the better promise of an earlier manhood if they like the kind of thrust, say as that which Mr. Pettit gave in the last Record for the education and mental enlargement of the editor or editors, of this year's class book.

The monthly publication of this college is well worth talking about, and as it is so, it is worthy of hard and honest handling. No deadlier insult can be offered to the literary work of young men who are taking their first steps in a pleasant, but exacting, art than unacidulated praise. Untempered honey is nauseating. To administer it in a so-called criticism is, in effect, to say that the vices of the thing criticised are so truly basic that the bettering of them is impossible, or that the promise is so slight that it is not worth while to suggest a better way for its fulfilment.

The monthly has so much of excellence, the writing in it is so often good, so surprisingly good occasionally, that it may plainly be improved. Much more space than the Record has to bestow upon the subject might be profitably filled with illustrative remarks.

I must confine myself to a mere suggestion. The fiction and verse of the monthly lack authenticity. Imaginative literature is of no value, speaks no word of moment, is not instructive or inspiring, is not even amusing, unless it comes from the experiences of the writer,—unless his message is from his mind or his heart, unless he speaks the truth that is in him, the truth that he has seen or the truth that he has felt. Human life may not adequately, for the artist, be learned from books, nor can passionate longings be implanted through the eye or ear. These are simple, fundamental truths, the application of which may be left to some of the very best of our young writers. That those who put in pleasing verse the emotions of others or who imitate with facility, and with good taste, the social or personal studies, the inherent peculiarities often, of more or less popular favorites, is not to the point. The maker of a scrap-book may do as much. Those whom I have in mind can do better.

As to essays: there are two in the present number, written for a college exercise, which suggest that the work and reading of the college courses often furnish abundant subjects for better treatment than is possible for subjects

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that have not been studied with some degree of intensity. And again it may be said to the versifiers, that there is here about them daily inspiration for nobler singing than half-tamed nature often affords. But the suggestions must be left thus vague, for the allotted moments have stopped.

Henry Loomis Nelson.

THE TEN-YEAR CLASS

Decennial Reunion of 1896—Two Members on the Faculty

The class of 1896 will celebrate at this Commencement a decennial reunion which promises to be the largest and most enthusiastic in the history of the class. A committee of sixteen has been appointed to make arrangements, consisting of the class secretary, F. A. Alden of Montour Falls, N. Y.; John W. Beekes of Brooklyn, Horace G. Brown of Worcester, chairman; E. Harold Cluett of Troy, Clarence W. Dunham of Warrensburg, N. Y., Edward C. Durfee of New York, George B. Kilbourne of Columbus, Edward M. Lewis of Williamstown, William A. Lockwood of New York, Thomas C. McDowell of Boston, Henry S. Patterson of New York, Edmonds Putney of New York, James W. Reed of Groton, N. Y., Sanford Robinson of New York, Theodore H. Simmons of Providence, R. I., and Dudley W. Stricklsnd of Denver. The class has secured the entire second floor of the Adams Block (with the exception of the co-operative store rooms) as headquarters, and will there entertain its friends. The class banquet will be held at the Wilson House, North Adams, on Tuesday evening, June 26. The committee expect that between forty and forty-five members of '96 will attend. The class boy will be among those present. There will be no tax and the committee is depending on subscriptions to pay expenses The class will probably drive to North Adams for the banquet. Corwin McDowell will be toastmaster. At the banquet a number of toasts will be given, including tributes to the two members of the class who have died, and to Professors Dodd, Fernald and Safford. Ass't.-Prof. Lewis will respond to the toast "The College Today." Lamoureux's Italian band of North Adams will furnish the music.

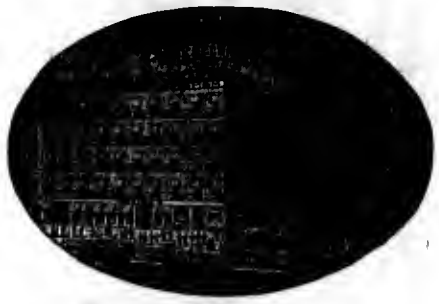
The class of 1896 graduated 62, and has lost by death Walter W. Cooper in 1904 and Paul C. Mitchell in 1902. The remaining sixty are scattered in 15 states and territories, with one member in Paris, France, and one in Honolulu. Of the sixty members, fifteen are lawyers, eleven doctors, and eleven teachers. There are two of its members on the Williams faculty, Ass't.-Prof. Karl E. Weston, who is in Paris, and Ass't.-Prof. Edward M. Lewis.

The last of the class prayer-meetings for this year will be held tomorrow evening at 7:15. Leaders: 1907, Russell; 1908, Aldrich; 1909, Horrax. Topic and references, The mission of a Christian student, John 17:14-26.

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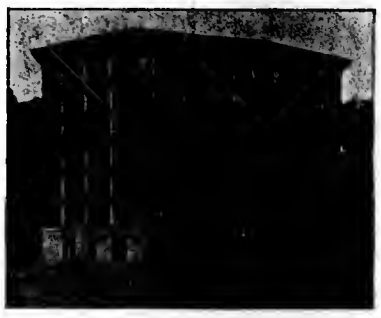
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NEW DEBATING LEAGUE

Constitution Drawn Up at Amherst—Two-Man Debates

Case '07 represented Williams at a meeting held at Amherst on Saturday to complete arrangements for the formation of the Amherst-Wesleyan-Williams debating league Amherst's delegate was Wilson, Williams ex-'07, and Wesleyan's Travis '06. Wilson was elected president of the league, which will be completely formed after the ratification by the several debating societies of the colleges of the constitution drawn up on Saturday. This constitution is similar to that of the Brown-Dartmouth-Williams league except for two important points. There will be two men on the debating teams instead of three, allowed fourteen and six minutes respectively for main speech and rebuttal. The judges are to be chosen by a committee of three men, one representative from each college, meeting in New York city before October 15.

The debates will be held Friday, December 7, 1906. The Amherst team will debate at Wesleyan, the Wesleyan team at Williams, and the Williams team at Amherst, the home team debating the affirmative. Some outside coaching will be permitted. The question for debate will be decided on or before June 23 by delegates meeting in Springfield.

SPRINGFIELD SHUT OUT

Williams Wins Golf Match by Unexpectedly Large Score

The Springfield Country Club golf team proved unexpectedly easy for the college players Saturday afternoon. The match took place on the links of the Pittsfield Country Club, and was won by Williams 16½ to 0, Tuxedo system of scoring. The nine hole course, an even 3000 yards in length, was in fair condition; a slight rain shortly after the match started did not interfere with the play. Williams played a strong match game, while the lowest medal score was 2 under bogey. L. Mitchell, in third position, was matched against Brand and more than reversed the same opponent's score against him last fall. A. Mitchell again won a hard-fought contest from R. P. Alden, playing first on the Springfield team. Clapp and Parlett were even up going out, but the Springfield player weakened coming in and lost four out of the last five holes. Gregory defeated Rowley, the Amherst captain, 6 up. Lynde and Morton had the hardest match of the day, and finished all even on the last green.

The score:

WILLIAMS		SPRINGFIELD	
A. Mitchell	2½	R. P. Alden	0
E. A. Clapp	3	E. J. Parlett	0
L. Mitchell	3½	J. W. Brand	0
H. Wilcox	3½	H. W. Baker	0
G. Lynde	0	R. K. Morton	0
A. Gregory	4	A. M. Rowley	0
	16½		0

SMITH SINGLES CHAMPION

At Longwood Tennis Tournament—Williams Loses Doubles

Floyd Reeves Smith 1906 for the second time won the New England intercollegiate tennis championship in singles by winning from F. B. Fanning of M. I. T. in the final round of the tournament at Longwood Thursday afternoon, 6-3, 8-6, 7-5. Smith was New England intercollegiate champion in 1904, and last year lost to Fanning in the last round. In the morning Fanning and Nicholl of M. I. T. beat Smith 1906 and Westcott 1908 in the final round of doubles in a hard fought five-set match 3-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-8, 7-5. By the Williams



FLOYD REEVES SMITH

victories the college now has six of the eight points necessary for permanent possession of the cup.

The Williams–M. I. T. doubles were the most interesting matches of the tournament, both teams fighting it out to the very end. In the fourth set M. I. T. braced with the score 5-1 against them and lost only by 8 games to 6. In the last set, with the games 5-4 against them the Tech. team made another rally, tying the set, and finally winning the match and the championship.

In the afternoon Fanning seemed tired out by the morning's play, and lost largely on account of his errors. Smith's play at the end was as fast and steady as it had been at any time during the morning.

In the doubles, although Technology won, Williams scored 184 points to their 181. In the singles Smith made 126 points to Fanning's 109. Smith had 28 place shots to 29 by Fanning, but the latter made 98 errors to Smith's 70.

The summary:

Championship doubles, final round—Fanning and Nicholl of M. I. T. defeated Smith and Westcott of Williams, 3-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-8, 7-5.

Championship singles, final round—Smith of Williams defeated Fanning of M. I. T. 6-3, 8-6, 7-5.

A LISTLESS GAME

Berkshire Athletics Defeated 9 to 3—Double and Triple by Neild

Williams won a poorly played and uninteresting game from the Berkshire Athletics Saturday afternoon on Weston Field by the score of 9 to 3. Contrary to expectation the Athletics were not athletic enough, and did not prove a hard proposition even to the somewhat ragged playing of the 'varsity. The game was an unhappy contrast with that on the previous Saturday, the four errors by the team being mostly of the glaring sort. Two easy double plays by Wadsworth and Harman and a double and triple by Neild were the only features of the game.

In the first inning, after the Athletics had gone out in order, Wadsworth walked to first and stole second. Warren's bunt gave him first, and he scored with Wadsworth on Neild's double. Osterhout's single brought in Neild for a third run. The third gave three more runs to the 'varsity, with Neild's long three-bagger responsible. Mr. Lewis went into the box in the seventh, but was not quite in old-time form.

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	4	1	1	6	3	2
Warren cf,	4	2	2	1	0	0
Young ss,	4	1	0	3	2	1
Neild 3b,	4	2	3	3	3	0
Hogan lf,	3	1	1	1	0	0
Kelley lf,	1	0	0	1	0	0
Osterhout rf,	4	1	2	0	0	0
Waters c,	3	0	0	5	1	1
Harman 1b,	4	0	0	7	0	0
Pierce p,	4	1	0	0	2	0
Totals	35	9	8	27	11	4

ATHLETICS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Howells cf,	4	0	1	2	1	0
Prindle rf, 3b,	3	1	0	2	2	0
Rudman lf,	4	0	0	4	0	1
Watson 1b,	3	1	0	10	0	1
Mackey 2b,	4	1	2	0	1	1
Lewis 3b, p,	4	0	0	0	0	1
Murphy ss,	4	0	1	2	0	1
Bryant p,	3	0	0	0	6	0
Mears rf,	1	0	0	1	0	0
Southworth c,	3	0	1	3	0	0
Totals	33	3	5	24	10	5

Athletics—0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—3
Williams—3 0 3 1 1 0 1 0 x—9

Two-base hit—Neild. Three-base hit—Neild. Stolen bases—Wadsworth, Hogan 2, Warren, Pierce, Murphy, Bryant, Howells, Watson. Bases on balls—Off Pierce 2, off Bryant 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Lewis, Waters. Struck out—By Pierce 4, by Bryant 1, by Lewis 1. Double plays—Wadsworth and Harman 2. Umpire—Geoffroy. Time—1 hr, 40 min.

Organ Recital at Commencement

On Baccalaureate Sunday, June 24, Mr. Sumner Salter will give an organ recital in the chapel at 7:30 p. m. The recital will take the place of the address delivered on that Sunday last year by Rev. Dr. Washington Gladden '59.

CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6

2.30 p. m.—Williams-faculty tennis match, Taconic courts.

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Princeton baseball, University Field, Princeton.

3.00 p. m.—1908-1909 baseball, old campus.

3.00 p. m.—Williams-Mt. Anthony golf match, Bennington links.

APPLIED CHRISTIANITY

Its Relation to Every-Day Life—Address by Prof. Russell

Prof. Russell spoke last evening at the Y. M. C. A. service on the subject of Christian faith and its place in every-day life. Personal religion does not consist primarily in acceptance of prescribed dogma regarding the person of Jesus, but in having the kind of principles and faith that Christ had, those which, by his example, he still inspires in the average man. Christ believed in an eternal ruling spirit whom he called Father, in the supreme value of good character in its multifold forms, and in the immortality of the human soul. Whatever else one may hold, if his life shows a response of his heart to these simple beliefs, he is essentially a Christian.

Action tests faith. The mark of the real Christian is his passion for excellence and his daily ambition to make his life the best he can. Laziness and aversion to sustained effort are unchristian, and it is here that Christianity meets the greatest need of modern college men—the need of more earnest mental effort, of moral backbone, and of more sympathy with the rest of the world. The first aim of a man in his college course should not be pleasure, keenness without principle to support it, cultured polish, or athletic perfection, but this awakening of a just appreciation of values and a determination to make the best use of the talents in him.

Examples could be drawn from every line of college activity. If each student sought to do his best in curriculum work, there would be no constant agitation to decrease its amount, more classroom competition would bring more respect for brains, and the requirements there would not conform, as in many labor unions, to the inclinations of those that want to do the least work, but be raised to the real capacities of those able to do the least work. The realization of these aims of the college course would increase Williams' influence among other colleges and enlarge the service of her graduates to the world outside of college.

Tennis With the Faculty

The tennis team will play the faculty team on the Taconic club courts Wednesday at 2:30. The faculty team will be composed of Asst.-Prof. Perry, captain; Prof. Howes, Mr. Shepard, and either Prof. Wild or Asst.-Prof King.

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The Grand Old Duke of York

Some years ago a Williams nine lost an important college game solely because men of that college crowded onto the base-lines, jeered at the players and threw fire-crackers and torpedoes at the man in the box. In Williamstown, fortunately, we have never reached that stage, so far as base-line thronging is concerned. However, there are more ways than one of putting a team into the air. Vocal fire-crackers can be just as effective as powder and fuse.

Just what is "The Grand Old Duke of York"? It was once a n college song, but is not so treated now. A man not able to sing a note is not afraid to start "The Grand Old Duke". It has no reference to Williams in it and what little music it has is drowned out by hand-clapping, foot-stamping and other attempts to disconcert opponents that are not even disguised as music.

If it is a yell, it is certainly a yell like those fire-crackers of our opponents. It can scarcely fail to be admitted that its purpose is to "rattle" a visiting team. It is never used when Williams is in the field, and apparently does not help the man at the bat towards home runs. It is noticeable that the runs it causes come more through errors than through hits. If further evidence is necessary, it need only be remembered that it is used rarely save in baseball, the sport where momentary nervousness and a single bad play are most apt to prove serious.

Trying to "rattle" visiting players in this or any other manner doesn't win many games, and even if it did games so won would not be worth the winning. We can see no difference at bottom between going down on the base-lines and hooting out victory and winning it by "The Grand Old Duke". We may save self-respect by staying in the stand, but what we are trying to do is the same.

The great hold of the song—for that is what it must be called—comes from association. It is Williams' by virtue of constant use rather than patriotic verbiage. This, however, cannot justify its use to our opponents, to whom its sim to "rattle" is only too apparent. Our attitude toward visiting friends and visiting ball-players should not be different—both are the college's guests and should be treated like gentlemen. If custom has demanded the song, it seems time that that custom was broken in this a gentlemen's college.

Let no unenthusiastic person—for in spite of the excellent cheering given this spring there are always a few spiritless impassives—interpret this as directed against cheering. The two things differ at the root. Cheering is to encourage those of your own number, to express to them the confidence of the college in their efforts; "The Grand Old Duke", as now used, is to disconcert those who oppose you, to jeer their efforts, to try to win by ungentlemanly means what fair have failed to bring. It would be too bad to give up a song of such long association, but we feel that no expression of enthusiastic spirit whose purpose is to shake the nerve of a visiting team ought to be given in Williams college.

The Football Report

The report of the football management, published in another column, shows a season conducted with unusually efficient business ability. The balance of $634, turned over to the athletic council, though $100, less than that of last year, is with this exception $300, larger than any other ever made, in spite of the many thorns that this year have bordered the managerial path.

The receipts of the Dartmouth game at Newton Center have always been what every football manager has counted upon to bring the season's balance over to the right side of the ledger. That $700.—practically the entire 1904-5 balance—was taken from the association pocket-book when Dartmouth changed the place of the game to Hanover was offset only by the $300. that the Amherst home game brought in above the Wesleyan. There was no appreciable cutting-down of the amount spent on the team to make up for

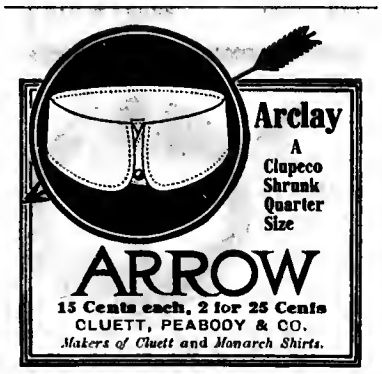
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In the matter of subscriptions the report makes clear one defect in common with other football reports of the last few years, a growing tendency of the men in the three upper classes to show too little of the contributory spirit. That the members of the freshman class felt able to average over $6. a man shows commendable support of college interests, but in all justice the upper classmen should pay a larger share. In 1901 these classes paid 62 per cent of the total amount, in 1902 53 per cent, this year 46 per cent, while the absolute amount paid in by them was actually $100. less than five years ago. Particularly noticeable this year is the small amount received from the seniors, the least amount in years. It seems strange that these three classes cannot pay at last half of the total subscriptions. If college spirit grows with the years, this tangible expression of it in support of college athletics ought to grow with it.

Report of Football Association for Season Ending Nov. 1905

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Training table,	528.26
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Umpires,	265.64
Miscellaneous,	3.
Balance paid to graduate treasurer,	634.49
Total	$5658.10

RECEIPTS.

Account of previous manager,	1.
Advertising,	20.
Athletic supplies,	2.
Gate receipts,	1,275.06
Graduate treasurer,	145.
Guarantees,	1862.50
Subscriptions, class 1906	140.50
1907	248.
1908	492.
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Nearly all the schools in the association sent entries and the meet was closely contested, with the times and distances generally good. Three records of the interscholastic association were broken, in the quarter half, and mile runs, the last two by Amell of Drury and the quarter by Wheeler of Troy. Amell of Drury was the star of the meet, securing first in the mile, half, and pole vault and third in the 100-yd. dash. Hay of Pittsfield won first in each dash, and Ashton of Cambridge won firsts in the discus and shot. Green of Cambridge did the best all-round work, with 15 points won by a first in the 220-yd. hurdles, second in the 120-yd. hurdles, shot put and discus throw, and a tie for second in the pole vault.

The summary of events follows:

100-yd. dash:—Won by Hay of Pittsfield; Robson of Hoosick Falls second; Amell of Drury third. Time, 10 3-5s.

220-yd. dash—Won by Hay of Pittsfield; Wheeler of Troy second; Robson of Hoosick Falls, third. Time, 23 3-5s.

440-yd. dash—Won by Wheeler of Troy; M. Daniels of Adams second; Guilds of Pittsfield third. Time 53s., breaking the interscholastic record of 55s. held by Flynn of Troy.

Half-mile run:—Won by Amell of Drury; Stone of Troy second; Hall of Searles third. Time, 2 08, breaking the interscholastic record of 2.10 held by Mears 1903.

Mile run:—Won by Amell of Drury; Hall of Searles second, Stocking of Williamstown third. Time, 4.52 3-5, breaking the interscholastic record of 4:53 3-5 held by Curtis ex-'08.

120-yd. hurdles:—Won by Lawton of Cambridge; Green of Cambridge second; Bunce of Drury third. Time, 19s.

220 yd. hurdles:—Won by Green of Cambridge; Bunce of Drury second; Stewart of Pittsfield third. Time, 28 4-5s.

High jump:—Won by McInerney of Adams, 5 ft., 4¼ in.; Sisson of Pittsfield second, 5 ft., 3¾ in; Barron of Drury and Collamer of Cambridge tied for third, 5 ft., 2 in. In jump-off for medal the latter won.

Pole vault:—Won by Amell of Drury, 8 ft., 9 in.; English and Green of Cambridge and Sisson of Pittsfield tied for second, 8 ft., 6 in. In jump-off for medal, English secured second and Sisson third.

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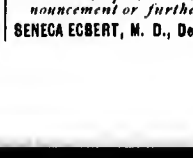
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Discus throw:—Won by Ashton of Cambridge, 94 ft., 7½in.; Green of Cambridge second, 91 ft., 3½in.; Stocking of Williamstown third, 87 ft., 6 in.

Pittsfield C. C. Ties Tennis Team

The tennis team tied the Pittsfield country club team at Pittsfield Saturday afternoon, each team winning three matches. Smith and Schell 1906, Linen 1907 and Thompson 1908 represented Willisms. The courts were in good condition, though a light shower had made them somewhat heavy. The Williams team was overconfident at the start, and had to play first-class tennis to tie the match at the end.

The summary:

Doubles—Schell and Smith defeated Brigham and Gardiner, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5; Linen and Thompson defeated Kernigan and Trimble, 6-3, 8-6.

Singles—Gardiner defeated Smith, 6-1, 9-7; Kernigan defeated Thompson, 6-3, 2-6, 6-3; Linen defeated Brigham 4-6, 6-4, 7-5; Trimble defeated Schell, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

COLLEGE NOTES

Wilder 1907 has been appointed college guide for the summer.

C. P. Moies 1907 has resigned from college.

At a 1906 class meeting held Friday evening plans for commencement were discussed.

Walter Harris Smith, Jr., 1907, of LeRoy, N. Y., has been elected leader of the banjo club for next year.

Smith '69, Hall '76, Dewey '78, Geer '79, Banks '90, Hall '97, James '98 and Root 1904 have been in town.

George D. Kellogg, Ph. D., assistant professor of Latin in 1903-4 and 1904-5, and now at Princeton, has been in town.

Philip M. Brown '98 played the chapel organ Saturday morning in place of Mr. Salter. After the service he gave a short informal recital of classical music.

The senior class pipes were distributed Saturday. The pipes are straight-stemmed, with a "Williams '06" monogram carved on the bowl.

Mr. George T. Northrup '97, instructor of French here in 1903-4 and 1904-5, now an assistant professor in Princeton, has been in town.

The following men took the major examinations for the Clark scholarship Saturday: 1906, Brady; 1907, Matthews, Morrill; 1908, Baomeister, Bullard, Westermann.

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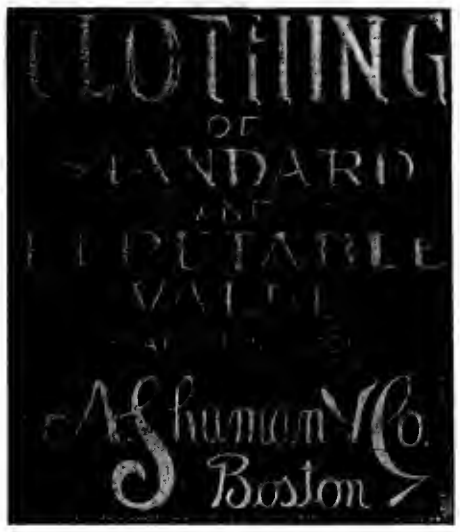
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The summary:

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1907—	1	0	0	0	0	1	—2	1	1
1908—	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1	2	2

Batteries:—1907, Hoyne and Southworth; 1908, Gillett and Bedford. Umpire, Rutter '99.

The Obituary Record

The April number of the Williams College Bulletin, being the obituary record of the past year, has just been issued by Dr. Parsons. It contains biographical sketches of Williams alumni who have died within the last year. Thirty-six obituaries are recorded of alumni in classes from 1836, that of George P. Nelson, to 1905, that of Ezra Fisk, and ranging in ages from 88 to 24 years.

Among alumni of prominence that have died during the past year are Arthur L. Perry, LL. D., '52; two members of the board of trustees, Judge James M. Barker, LL. D., '60, and Rev. Robert Russell Booth, D. D. LL. D., '49; Gen. Merritt Barber '57, and Samuel P. Blagden '62. Knox Johnston '77, for thirty years before 1904, holder of the Williams quarter-mile record, is among those whose obituaries are recorded.

The register also contains an index of all obituaries published during the last ten years, and statistics of obituary sketches published during the last 25 years. 865 have been recorded by the necrologist, of whom 5 died at an age of over 95 years, 22 between 90 and 95, and 572 over 60.

OBITUARY

Ex-'58—Edgar M. Wood, one of the oldest members of the Berkshire bar, died at his home in Pittsfield, Saturday afternoon, aged 74 years. Born in Cheshire March 19, 1832, he prepared for college at the Connecticut Literary institute, Westfield Academy, and Charlotteville Conference seminary, and entered Williams in the class of 1858. He left Williams in his junior year with Phi Beta Kappa rank, and graduated from Union in 1858. He immediately entered the study of law, graduated from Albany law school, was admitted to the bar in 1859, and was engaged in the practice of law in Pittsfield from then until the time of his death. Since 1868 he had been a commissioner of the circuit court of the United States. It is considered probable by many that Mr. Wood had tried more cases than any other attorney in Berkshire county, if not in the state.

Ex'-07—Hubbard is now at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

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PRINCETON WEDNESDAY

Williams to Meet Strongest College Team in Country

For the second time since 1893 Williams and Princeton meet on the diamond Wednesday, at Princeton. Williams was defeated by the Orange and Black in 1903 by the score of 8 to 5. Rain has prevented scheduled games since. Princeton has this year one of the strongest college teams in the country, and has been beaten by only three college nines, and by very close scores. It is generally given the first rank among college teams. Princeton has beaten Harvard twice but has been shut out by Brown and Penn. State and beaten by Georgetown. The team leaves at 5:13 p. m. tomorrow and will return Thursday morning. Kelley 1908 will play in left field in place of Hogan.

The batting order of the Williams team follows:

WILLIAMS: Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Kelley lf, Osterhout rf, Waters c, Harman 1b, Ford p.

Princeton Scores

Princeton	5	Dickinson	0
Princeton	7	Fordham	1
Princeton	0	Boston	3
Princeton	0	Washington	2
Princeton	4	Georgetown	1
Princeton	2	Georgetown	3
Princeton	9	Lafayette	1
Princeton	2	Virginia	1
Princeton	3	Cornell	1
Princeton	4	Wesleyan	3
Princeton	0	Brown	2
Princeton	4	Brown	2
Princeton	5	Pennsylvania	0
Princeton	2	Cornell	1
Princeton	3	Georgetown	2
Princeton	8	Harvard	6
Princeton	1	Mercersburg	2
Princeton	2	Dartmouth	1
Princeton	5	Harvard	0
Princeton	0	Penn. State	1
Princeton	3	Yale	2

Wilcox 1909 in N. J. Tournament

H. Wilcox 1909 played in the 7th annual New Jersey championship tournament held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday on the links of the Morris County golf club. Percy R. Pyne, 2nd, was first in the qualifying sixteen with 77, Wilcox fourth, with 41, 41-82. In the first round Thursday he won easily 5 and 4, but was defeated in the second round by P. H. B. Frelinghuysen of Morris County, 3 up and 1 to play. Other prominent golfers in the tournament were Marshall Whitlach of Montclair, Archie Graham of North Jersey and C. F. Watson of Morris County.

Interclass Baseball Standing

The standing of the teams in the interclass baseball series is as follows:

	W.	L.	Per cent.
1907	6	0	1.000
1909	2	2	.500
1908	1	3	.250
1906	0	4	.000

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PRINCETON HITS BUNCHED

Williams Shut out by Orange and Black at Princeton

Bunched hits in the fifth and sixth innings gave Princeton the victory over Williams by a score of 3 to 0 at Princeton yesterday. The pitching of Heyniger and Byram was typically collegiate—very wild, but very effective in critical moments. Outside of innings four and five, Ford was as much of an enigma as the Princeton men. Princeton worked the hit and run game successfully, for Young, by forcing Wadsworth to cover second as the Princeton base-runner left first, left the right side of the diamond open for Princeton hits. A large number of alumni came from New York to the game by special car, and Rutter '99 led Williams cheers from the first to the ninth.

In the first, with two out, Young was hit and took second on an error, when Neild struck out. In the third bases on balls put men on first and second with two out, but Young popped to Sides. After further wildness by Byram in the fifth Warren struck out with two out and two on bases, and again in the eighth, after Warren had bunted safe—Williams' lone hit—and Young had received the sixth Princeton free ticket to first, Neild fanned. With two out in Princeton's half of the fifth, Wadsworth fumbled Cooney's grounder, and the two hits that followed gave two runs. Harlan's triple to left center and Vaughn's single scored Princeton's last run.

The baseball association's summary follows:

WILLIAMS

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wadsworth 2b,	2	0	0	0	1	1
Warren cf,	3	0	1	2	0	0
Young ss,	2	0	0	0	1	0
Neild 3b,	4	0	0	1	3	0
Osterhout rf,	4	0	0	1	0	0
Waters c,	4	0	0	6	0	0
Kelley lf,	4	0	0	2	0	0
Harman 1b,	3	0	0	12	0	0
Ford p,	2	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	28	0	1	24	7	1

PRINCETON

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Reid ss,	4	0	1	0	4	0
Dillon cf,	4	0	0	1	0	0
Harlan lf,	3	1	2	0	0	0
Vaughn 2b,	4	0	1	0	2	0
Sides 3b,	3	0	0	1	1	0
McLean rf,	3	1	1	1	0	0
Bard 1b,	3	0	0	13	0	0
Cooney c,	2	1	0	9	2	0
L. Doyle c,	1	0	0	2	0	0
Heyniger p,	1	0	0	0	0	1
Byram p,	2	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	30	3	6	27	11	1

Williams—0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Princeton—0 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 x—3

Three-base hit—Harlan. Stolen base—Wadsworth. Struck out—By Ford 7; by Heyniger 5, by Byram 5. Bases on balls—Off Ford 1; off Heyniger 2, off Byram 3. Hit by pitched ball—By Heyniger, Young. Time—1 hr., 13 min. Umpire—Adams of Philadelphia.

FACULTY SUMMER PLANS

What Those on Teaching Force Will do During Vacation

A glance at the resumé of faculty summer plans shows that the members of the faculty will be widely scattered. They may be found in at least fourteen different states, in Canada, and in several European countries. Thirteen will be in Williamstown part or all of the summer, and five will go abroad. Six of the faculty will devote some of their vacation to publications which they are producing. President Hopkins will be among those absent in Europe.

Mr. Billetdoux will spend his summer in Paris, France. Part of the time he will travel in Brittany and Normandy.

Mr. Bruns will attend the Wisconsin University summer school, where he will work on his thesis for his doctor's degree.

Rev. Mr. Burr will probably remain in Williamstown.

Mr. Capron will be at his home in Raleigh, Mass., all summer.

Dr. Franklin Carter will spend his summer at Meenhaga Lodge, Rainbow Lake, New York, the Adirondack camp of his son-in-law, Paul C. Ransom '86, headmaster of the Florida and Adirondack schools.

Prof. S. F. Clarke will leave immediately after Commencement to remain in Grove, N. Y., all summer.

Prof. Cleland will spend the first part of the vacation in Williamstown. He will go later to the region around Milwaukee, where he will gather further data for his geological report for the state of Wisconsin.

Mr. Cook will be at his home in Troy during the summer.

Mr. DeBeaumont expects to remain in Williamstown most of the summer.

Prof. Ferry will be in Williamstown most of the time in connection with college business, but will make occasional outside trips.

Dr. Fowler will be in eastern Maryland in the early part of the summer; later he will go on a tramping trip through the North Carolina mountains.

Dr. Gerig will be in Southern France all summer working on a biography of Catel, a Toulouse historian. He will also work jointly with M. Picot, a member of the French Academy, in publishing the letters of Arlier.

Mr. Green will be in Williamstown all summer.

Associate Professor Hardy will spend part of the summer in Williamstown, and will go on a Canadian fishing trip during the last of the vacation.

Prof. Hewitt will spend the entire summer at Castine, Me.

President Hopkins will sail on July 11 for a tour of England. He will be gone about six weeks.

Dr. Howard will be in Williamstown.

Prof. Howes will have charge

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WITH BLUE AND WHITE

Williams Meets Columbia in Baseball Saturday

Williams and Columbia meet in baseball on Weston Field Saturday for the first time in three yeare. Rain prevented the contest scheduled at New York last year. In 1903 the teams broke even, Columbia winning the first game 12 to 3, and Williams the second 14 to 6. Columbia is on a New England trip this week, and has games scheduled with Trinity, Amherst and Wesleyan, the game with Williams Saturday completing the trip.

The Blue and White started the season well, winning the first eight games from such teams as Annapolis, West Point and Pennsylvania. Yale, Syracuse and Cornell, however, have beaten them, the last mentioned shutting out Columbia twice by the same score.

The batting orders of the teams follow:

WILLIAMS:—Wadsworth 2b, Warren cf, Young ss, Neild 3b, Hogan lf, Osterhout rf, Waters c, Harman 1b, Pierce p.

COLUMBIA:—Lyons lf, Armstrong 2b, Collins ss, Mittenberg 1b, Kimbel cf, Oxnam, Nohowell 3b, Schmidt rf, Tilt p.

Columbia Scores

Columbia	14	Pratt	3
Columbia	14	N. Y. U.	5
Columbia	7	Annapolis	5
Columbia	5	Johns Hopkins	1
Columbia	5	George Washington	3
Columbia	6	Rutgers	4
Columbia	3	West Point	2
Columbia	4	Pennsylvania	3
Columbia	5	Yale	15
Columbia	2	Seton Hall	3
Columbia	2	Syracuse	6
Columbia	0	Cornell	4
Columbia	2	Lafayette	3
Columbia	4	Pennsylvania	6
Columbia	0	Cornell	4
Columbia	2	Crescent A. C.	3
Columbia	3	Norwalk	2
Columbia	12	Norwalk	13
Columbia	1	Trinity	3
Columbia	0	Amherst	2

Dr. Van Dyke Unable to Speak

Word was received Tuesday morning that Dr. Henry Van Dyke, who was to have preached in chapel Sunday, will be obliged to be in Princeton on that day to give the baccalaureate sermon in place of President Woodrow Wilson, who has recently been taken ill. Professor Russell will preach in his place.

A. Mitchell 1907 Breaks Record

Ardo W. Mitchell 1907 broke the 18-hole record for the Taconic golf club Tuesday, playing the eighteen holes in 39 and 37, a total of 76. The record was formerly held by George Parr, E. D. Clapp 1904 and E. A. Clapp 1906 with 78.

Mitchell's card follows:

5 5 5 3 4 4 4 4 5—39
4 4 4 3 4 5 4 5 4—37—76

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, JUNE 7

8.00 p. m.–10.00 p. m.—Reception to seniors by President and Mrs. Hopkins, president's residence.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8

7.30 p. m.—1900 class meeting, J. H.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9

12.30 p. m.—Recitations end.
2.30 p. m.—Williams-Amherst tennis match, Amherst.
2.30 p. m.—Williams 1900—Amherst 1900 baseball, Pratt Field, Amherst.
2.30 p. m.—Williams-Tekoa G. C. golf match, Taconic links.
3.00 p. m.—Williams-Columbia baseball, Weston Field.

SUNDAY, JUNE 10

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Prof. Russell will preach.
11.30 a. m.—Bible classes.
7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Prof. Hewitt will speak.

MONDAY, JUNE 11

8.30 a. m.—Semi-annual examinations begin.

SATURDAY, JUNE 16

3.00 p. m.—Williams-M. A. C. baseball, Weston Field.

SUNDAY, JUNE 17

10.30 a. m.—College chapel. Rev. Dr. Henry Sloan Coffin of New York will preach.
7.30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. meeting, J. H. Dr. Coffin will speak.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20

11.30 a. m.—Semi-annual examinations end.

SATURDAY, JUNE 23

2.30 p. m.—Williams-alumni golf match, Taconic links.
3.00 p. m.—Williams-Amherst baseball, Weston Field.
8.00 p. m.—Graves prize speaking contest, Congregational church.

A calendar of Commencement week and of entrance examinations will be printed in the COMMENCEMENT RECORD.

GAME WITH HOLY CROSS

Negotiations Under Way—To be Played June 13 or June 20

Negotiations are under way for a game with Holy Cross. If a game is scheduled it will be played on either June 13 or June 20 in Williamstown. The Holy Cross manager conferred with Manager McAllister and Dr. Olds Tuesday, and the schedules of examinations for the members of both teams will be investigated with a view to arranging a game.

Alumni for Sixty Years

Among the oldest alumni who are expecting to be present at Commencement are two members of the class of sixty years ago, 1846. There are three members of the class living, Dr. Gabriel Grant of New York, Hon. John N. Murdock, M. D., of New York, and Hon. Emmons T. Mockridge, LL. D., of Philadelphia. Mr. Murdock is abroad, but the other two members are planning to visit Williamstown this month. The class numbered fifty, of whom thirty-three graduated.

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Announcements

The Record announces the election to the office of associate editor of William Smith McClellan 1908, of York, Pa., and David Burnet Scott 1908, of New York city.

At the meeting of the board held Monday evening an amendment to the constitution was passed, reducing the number of members of the board to nine. According to this amendment, which will go into effect with the election of new members next winter, three men will then be chosen to take the place of the five 1907 men on the board.

This issue will be the last number of the paper for the year.

The Commencement Record

The 1906 Commencement Record will be issued during the first week of examinations. The book will be modelled after that of last year, will be of the same shape, and about the same general appearance, but will not be as elaborate. It will contain the usual write-ups, brought up to date, of the different branches of college activity, a program of Commencement week, and two special articles, and will contain more reading matter than any previous Commencement Record. President Hopkins has kindly consented to write a review of the year, treating the broader side of the undergraduate life, as well as the year among the faculty and the alumni, and the physical condition of the college. The Record also desires to thank Rev. T. C. Richards '87 of Torrington, Conn., the authority on the life of Samuel J. Mills 1809 who, when a freshmen a hundred years ago this August, was the moving spirit at that prayer-meeting about the haystack in old Sloan's meadow, which has done more to spread the name of the college than any other one event. Rev. Mr. Richards has written especially for The Record an article on Mills' influence on President Griffin, the man who above all others kept Williams from going to Northampton in the dark days of the twenties.

The book will be illustrated by thirty-three half-tones, more than in any previous book of this kind. The cuts are all new, of the best quality that can be secured, and will be more expensive than ever before. In addition to the usual half-tones, there will be separate prints of the captain and manager of each of the four teams. Among the prints will be the first one of Berkshire Hall to be run in a college book. No expense has been spared in printing the book. The cost is larger than that of any Commencement Record previous to 1905, but has been reduced slightly from that of last year to enable the book to be sold at the price of thirty-five cents. It will be put on sale at Sanford's news room, at W. O. Adams', and at Jesup Hall.

The book will be entirely creditable to the college. We would respectfully ask the support of every student wishing a concise review of the year in the various forms of college activities along with illustrations of the teams, boards and men that have represented Williams college.

For Seniors Going to New York

Mr. Harry D. Nims, '98, of New York city, has communicated with President Nomer of the City Government Club requesting a list of names of those members of the senior class who are to be in New York city next year. Mr. Nims is secretary of the College Men's Political Association of New York and is active in the politics of the city. His plan of getting in touch with the men as they graduate is to afford an opportunity for any who intend to enter upon a political career in the city.

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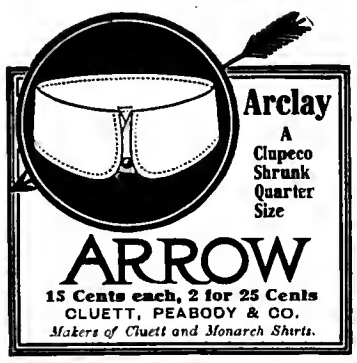
A game between 1906 and 1908 was scheduled for this afternoon. If played, the interclass schedule is completed for the first time in three years.

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Most of the rough plumbing work has been installed and all of the plumbing on the first floor completed. The wide marble coping around the roof has just been completed. The new dormitory will resemble Morgan Hall in having shower baths on each floor and in the basement.

A large retaining wall to the north of the building and running in that direction will be built. This also is to be faced with marble and will enclose a flight of granite steps leading to the last entrance on the west side. The slope on the northern end will be graded and filled in nearly to Main St. The building will be entirely finished before September, and in all probability brief exercises will be held at the opening of the building when college begins.

The South College extension will contain seven suites, each with a study, two bedrooms and with one exception, a private bath, all connected by an interior hallway. The rooms are to be lighted by electricity, as in Berkshire, and each study will contain a large open fire-place as in the south entry of Berkshire. An iron staircase in the southern end leads to the entrances. Of these, one will be on the first floor, opening east, and the other in the west wall of the basement. The windows on the southern end of South College will be bricked in and the wall will serve as a fire-wall between the extension and old South. The plumbing and wiring is now being installed, and as soon as the walls are lathed the plaster will be set. Mr. Smedley expects that the extension will be completed by the contract date, Aug. 25.

The tiles for the swimming tank have arrived and are being put in place. All of the tank will be tiled, with the exception of the ceiling, which is to be of white enamel. Ten electric-light clusters will furnish illumination. Hot and cold water will enter through two pipes in the western end; the outlet is at the east end. All the contract material is now on hand for the pool.

Many of the older buildings on the college property will be torn down during the summer and the general appearance of the grounds improved. The old Albert Hopkins house, at the foot of Consumption Hall, will be removed and the ground levelled. Ground will be gradually filled in at the side of the baseball cage to provide for a handball court planned to be built there in the future.

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Freshmen Fall Twice

Two more games of the interclass baseball series were played on the old campus yesterday afternoon. The freshmen lost both games, one to the sophomores and one to the seniors. The field was very wet and slippery, hence many of the numerous errors.

In the 1908-1909 game, nine sophomores splashed around the bases to two of the freshmen. Williams was in the box at the start for 1909 but was very wild and was replaced by Sears, whose work was little better. Brown made some good stops at first.

The score by innings:

	R	H	E
1908—2 1 5 1 0 x	9	2	2
1909—2 0 0 0 0 0	2	6	8

Batteries—Gillett and Bedford; Williams, Sears and Hoch. Umpire, Watson 1905.

The seniors won their first game by defeating the freshmen 8 to 6. Six hits and two passes to first gave the upperclassmen a lead of six runs in the third, which the freshmen were unable to overcome.

	R	H	E
1906- 1 0 6 1 0 x	8	7	3
1909 -1 0 1 0 2 2	6	7	6

Batteries -Van Inwegen and Leland; Williams, Sears, and Hoch. Umpire, Watson. 1905.

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COLLEGE NOTES

The Netherleigh baseball team will play the faculty nine as soon as a date can be arranged.

The banner won in the Williams-M. I. T. track meet has been hung in the trophy room in Jesup Hall.

It is expected that about twenty-five Williams men will attend part or all of the Northfield Conference.

The 'varsity-faculty tennis match, which was to have been played off yesterday afternoon on the Taconic club courts, was indefinitely postponed on account of the rain.

The following will represent Williams at the Amherst-Williams tennis match to be held this Saturday at Amherst: Schell, Smith, (capt.) 1906, Linen 1907 and Thompson 1908.

McGown and Woodbury 1906 and McGown 1907 will take a trip on a cattle-ship to Europe this summer. They will leave Boston on a Leland line steamer on July 4 and will spend six weeks abroad.

A meeting of the co-operative store directors will be held soon to decide whether to affiliate with the American College Stores Corporation again next year, or become an independent co-operative store.

At a meeting of the Philelogian society held last evening, the following officers were chosen for the coming term: President, Matthews '07; vice-president, Murray '08; secretary, Ernst '09; treasurer, Toll '09; critic, Case '07.

The following men will be added to the Commencement choir, which will give a special musical service on Baccalaureate Sunday: W. H. Doughty '98, B. Mears 1903; Botsford, Gale, Mears, Morgan, Osterhout, Zahner 1906; Russell 1907; Bedford, Byard, Hite 1908; Strong 1909.

At a meeting of the adelphic union held last evening the constitution of the Amherst-Wesleyan-Williams debating league, drawn up at Amherst last Saturday, was adopted. Nomer 1906 was elected to represent Williams as delegate at the meeting to be held in Springfield next week to determine the question.

The senior class banquet will be held Wednesday evening, June 27, at 11:00 p. m. at the Greylock hotel. The three lower class banquets will be held Wednesday evening, June 20, as follows: 1907 at the Wendell, Pittsfield; 1908 at the Richmond, North Adams; 1909 at the Rensselaer, Troy, N. Y.

Williams 13 1-2; Mt. Anthony 0

Williams won the return match with the Mt. Anthony golf club, played yesterday afternoon at Bennington. The score was 13½ to 0, Tuxedo system. The best medal scores were made by the Williams players, 37 and 39. Bogey for the course is 39. B. R. Wellington '05, a former member of the Williams team, played with Mt. Anthony.

The score:

WILLIAMS		MT. ANTHONY	
A. Mitchell	1½	Worthington	0
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H. Wilcox	3	Wellington	0
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	13½		0

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of the Greek department in the Columbia summer school during July and will join his family at Greensboro, Vt., in August.

Prof. Kellogg expects to remain in Williamstown.

Asst.-Prof. King is going to spend most of his summer in Nova Scotia.

Asst.-Prof. Lewis may go abroad, visiting Scotland and Wales, also some of the Continental cities.

Prof. McElfresh will lecture on elementary physics in the Harvard summer school during July, and will go to the seashore later.

Prof. Maxcy will be in Waterford, Me., during the entire summer.

Prof. Mears is uncertain as to his plans, but will probably go to Maine or New Hampshire.

Prof. Milham will be at Kinderhook, N. Y., during July and will probably go to the seashore for the rest of the season. He will work on a meteorological pamphlet to come out soon.

Prof. Morton will spend part of the time in Williamstown, and will probably be at the seashore later in the season.

Prof. Nelson will remain at his home on South street all summer engaged in preparing his biography of George William Curtis.

Asst.-Prof. Perry will sail on July 4 on the "Rotterdam" of the Netherlands-American line for Europe, where he will spend his fifteen months' leave of absence as stated in the May 10 issue of The Record.

Dr. Porter will spend most of the summer at Front Royal, Virginia.

Dr. Pratt is to take a southern trip before taking up his duties in August as teacher of psychology in the Glenmore summer school, Glenmore, N. Y. He will be at his home in Elmira, N. Y., for some time before college opens.

Mr. Rees will be in Williamstown all summer.

Prof. Russell will spend part of the vacation at Putney, Vt.

Mr. Salter will be found in New York all summer, where he will be musical director in the Marble collegiate church.

Mr. Shepard is to spend most of his summer at Winona, Minnesota.

Mr. P. Smith will attend the Columbia summer school during July and will go to the seashore later.

Prof. T. C. Smith is undecided as to his summer plans. His book, "Parties in Slavery," vol. 18 of "The American Nation Series, Albert Bushnell Hart editor-in-chief, will appear in August.

Prof. Spring will spend July at Marblehead Neck, Mass. During August he will take water trips along the St. Lawrence, and along the coast near Halifax.

Prof. Wahl will travel in Germany during the entire vacation.

Asst.-Prof. Webster will spend his entire summer at the northern end of Lake George.

Asst.-Prof. Wetmore is to be in Lebanon, Conn., till the middle of July when he will go to Cliff Island, Me., where he will remain till college opens. He will work on his Vergil lexicon during the summer.

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Dr. Woodruff will devote most of his vacation to teaching at the Woods Holl, Mass., laboratory, but during the latter part of the summer will conduct research work at the marine laboratory, Woods Holl, under the United States government.

Prof. Goodrich, Asst.-Prof. Clark, Mr. Collier, Mr. Brainerd Mears, Mr. Seeley and Mr. Lord are undecided.

Class Day Program

The program of events for class day, June 26, has been definitely arranged by the senior class day committee and is the same as in former years. The program follows:

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

President's address, M. D. Griswold; "The Mountains"; Class poem, A. F. Buchanan.

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"Come Fill Your Glasses Up"; ivy poem, C. H. Brady; planting of the ivy; ivy oration, J. E. Perry.

ON LIBRARY CAMPUS

Library oration, L. H. Andrews; song; pipe oration, B. M. Hogan; class oration, H. A. Nomer.

THE QUADRANGLE

Address to lower classes, S. A. Morgan; class yell.

The 1906 banquet will be held on Wednesday evening, at the Greylock, instead of Thursday, as heretofore announced. The dedication of the Gargoyle Gate will take place Monday.

ALUMNI NEWS

'62—Joseph Edward Simmons, president of the Fourth National Bank in New York, and a trustee of the college, has been appointed chairman of the water board supervising the construction of the new water system for New York, to be the most extensive and costly in the world.

'84—John H. Safford, who formerly taught at San Rafael, Cal., has returned to the east, and has accepted a position in the Polytechnic institute, Brooklyn.

'90—George K. Turner, for ten years local editor of the Springfield Republican, has joined the staff of McClure's Magazine.

1904—Dennett has gone on a six weeks' trip to Labrador for his health.

Ex-'04—The engagement is announced of Miss Marie Robinson, of North Adams, daughter of the late Judge Arthur J. Robinson, to Lawrence Frink Smith, of New York city, a former member of the class of 1904.

Ex-'07—Patton has entered the employ of the Wisconsin Fidelity Trust and Safe Deposit Company, with offices in the Wells Building, Milwaukee.

Tennis Matches

The following matches in the second round of the handicap tennis tournament have been played:—Johnson '08 beat Hazen '08, 6-3, 6-4; C. Brown '09 beat Woodcock '08 by default; Dodd '09 beat Redick '07, 4-6, 7-5, 6-1; Case '06 beat Gutterson '09, 6-3, 6-3; Crittenden '08 beat Forgan '09, 6-1, 4-6, 6-1.

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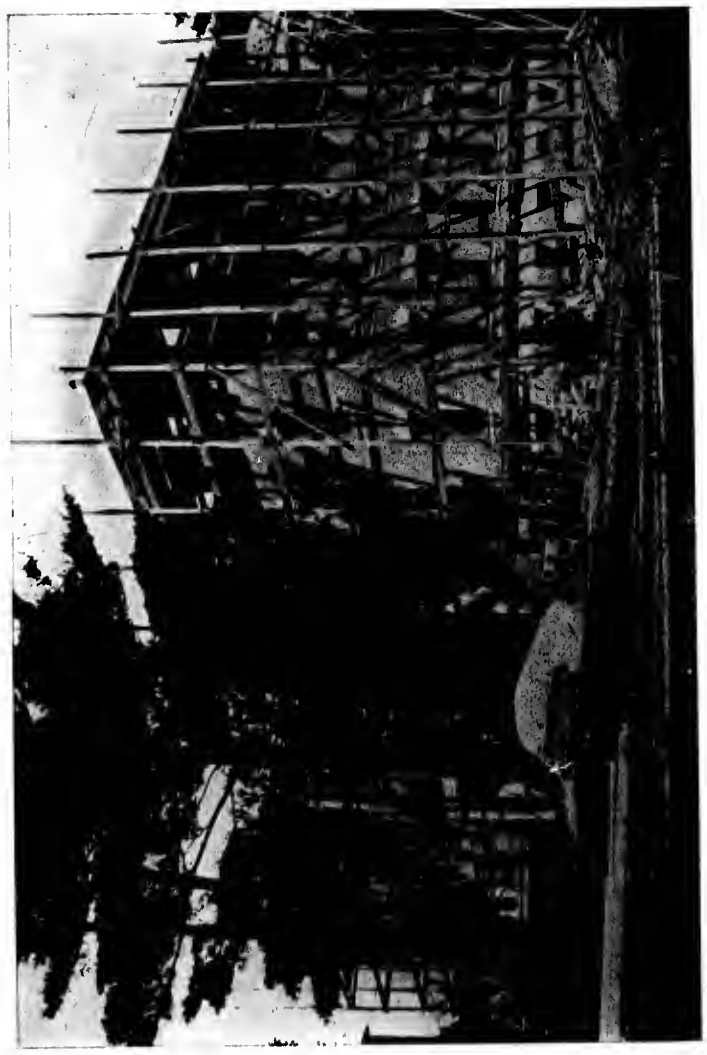
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Soon Commencement day will be here, and with its passing will pass the class mainly responsible. It remains for those of us in the three lower classes to strive to continue this same healthy, vigorous spirit of optimism, but an optimism of a never-say-die sort. And may this optimism which the men of 1906 have fostered in college go with them in the world beyond the Berkshire hills, as they go out from their four-year's home "safe within our little valley" this June.

Review of the Year

(By Request of the Editor)

THERE has been no halt. The march of improvement has gone steadily on.

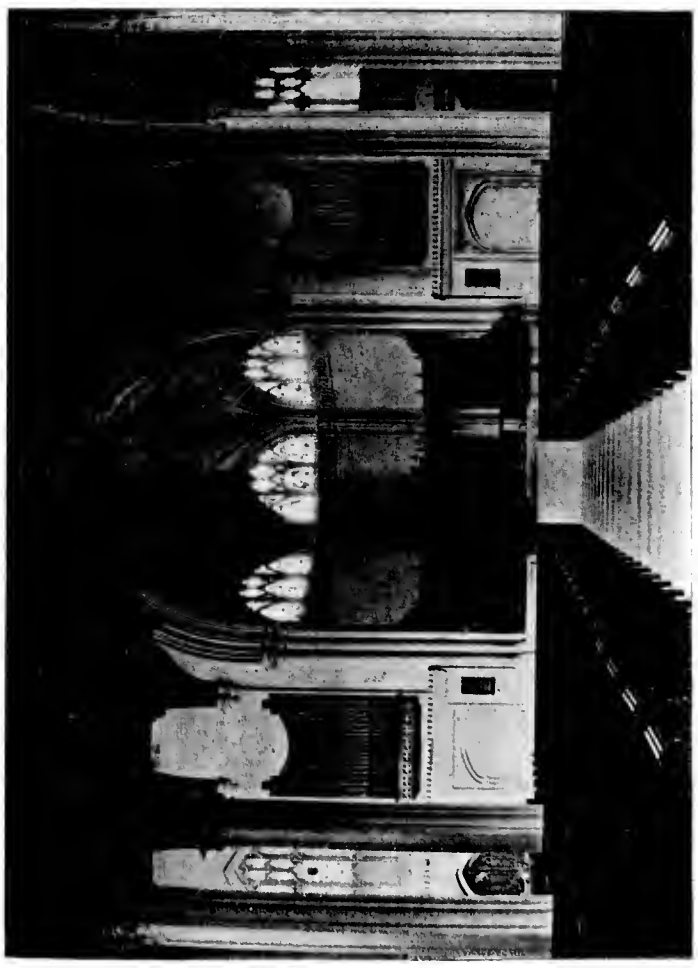
A new man, Prof. George E. Howes, from the University of Vermont, has come to the Garfield Professorship of Ancient Languages. An eager scholar, an enthusiastic and successful teacher, his advent marks a distinct advance in the declared policy of the college to strengthen and make attractive the classical department.

Mr. Sumner Salter, an accomplished organist and experienced leader, has as musical director given the whole musical life of the college a marked uplift. The choir has been increased from fifteen to twenty-four men. This, with the new organ in the new chapel, has imparted increased dignity and fresh power to all religious services.

The experiment of "the small division" has been carried on by a further addition of five teachers. It is still an experiment.

There has been this year a much needed and highly appreciated increase in the salaries of professors, assistant professors, and administrative officers, who were receiving less than three thousand dollars. A system of rules for the employment, promotion, pay, and pensioning of the officers of instruction is for the first time in operation.

Four new recitation rooms in the old chapel, now called Goodrich Hall, have been supplied. There has been a large increase of illustrative material, apparatus, specimens, lantern slides, books, maps, etc. To the general library there have been added 2359 volumes.



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OVER THE TREES

The acquisition of the Woodbridge and Mather properties and the improvement in the same has given five desirable residences to college teachers, has resulted in a great improvement to the village street, and has opened large possibilities of further development. The building of Berkshire Hall, a new dormitory, plain but elegant, fireproof and substantial, and the extension of South College, will furnish a much needed enlargement of dormitory accommodations.

A large and permanent baseball cage for winter practice has been constructed and connected with the steam plant. A spacious swimming pool is nearly completed and the availability of a largely increased water supply for this purpose and as a defense against fire, is assured. New shower baths and other bathing facilities have been added. Electric lighting has been extended to the gymnasium and other buildings and the better warming and lighting of the libraries and reading rooms has been realized.

In athletics a sound, sane, and sportsmanlike spirit is on the increase. We have had our share of good as well as bad luck, and by brave and patient hard work have won more than victories enough to make every Williams man proud of the purple. The number of tennis courts has been increased. There is to-day a greater variety of outdoor sports than ever before, and better than all the things which I have mentioned is the hearty appreciation of them all by a majority of the students, as evinced by the careful and well-mannered use of facilities offered, and by a growing spirit of co-operation with the authorities of the college.

For the first time, there has been during the past year the employment, with alumni suggestion and support, of a general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association. The two upper classes have made choice each of four of their own number as deacons. This movement is intended as the beginning of a reconstructed college church, now being planned for, with the hope of deepening, broadening, and unifying the religious life of the college.

The college has met with great loss in the death of Dr. Robert Russell Booth and Judge James Madison Barker, two of its oldest and most honored trustees. We have lost men from the teaching force as well as from the student body whom we would gladly have retained.

Upon the whole it has been a year of harmony and progress. College spirit was never better.

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THE HAYSTACK MONUMENT

Samuel J. Mills and President Griffin

NO MAN has done more to arouse interest at Williams in the men and scenes of the haystack meeting just a century ago than President Edward Dorr Griffin. President Griffin came here in the darkest days of the history of the college. When the college had no prospects he saved it and made possible its future. His interest in the college and his willingness to come as president and lead a forlorn hope arose largely from his friendship for Samuel J. Mills, and because he believed a college made sacred as the birthplace of American Foreign Missions could and should be preserved.

At one time Mills studied with Dr. Griffin, bringing sermons to be criticised. After the criticism of the sermons Mills would read to his teacher various statements and letters in regard to different missionary projects. The doctor saw that studying divinity was only a secondary object and that the young man's permanent business was to interest his senior in his many plans. And he did interest him, for the doctor afterwards said that not only did the American Board, the American Bible Society, the United Foreign Missionary Society, the African School in New Jersey, owe their origin to Mills and his plans, besides the impetus he gave to home missions and the Colonization Society, but also Dr. Griffin added, "If I had any instrumentality in originating these measures I here publicly declare that in every instance I received the first impulse from Samuel John Mills."

Still further back we can go and trace the connection between Griffin and Mills. Williams College received its charter the same year that the world was shocked by the moral and social earthquake called the French Revolution. The spirit of that Revolution was felt in the early days of the college as a dominant force. So popular was it with the students that a member of the first freshman class, Jedediah Bushnell, says, "French liberty and French philosophy poured in upon us like a flood and seemed to sweep everything serious before it." A general laxness of morals in accordance with French ideals was the result of this infidelity. If any man had serious thoughts as to becoming a Christian, "the wicked would load him with ridicule and shocking abuse." It is true that "there were two or three old professors of religion whom

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the wicked rarely treated with indignity." During the first seven years of the existence of the college there were only seven Christian men among the ninety-three who graduated and in three of the classes not a single Christian man. "The influence of prevailing skepticism and general laxness of morals received a check," says Professor Albert Hopkins, "from a few persons of decided religious character who took a bold stand in favor of Christianity and decidedly advocated its principles. This they did not so much by public discussion as by private example and a determined and faithful use of the prescribed means of religious influence."

The story of this new era which broke on the college in 1800, and of the moral heroism of a few young men from Litchfield County who turned the tide, was told for the first time by President Griffin in a sermon which he preached at the dedication of the chapel (Griffin Hall) in 1828. He was pastor at New Hartford in Litchfield County when a great revival broke out in that county in 1798–9. In the neighboring parish of Torringford Mills' father was pastor, and there with him was the younger Mills, a boy of fifteen. With both of them Griffin was intimately acquainted and strongly influential.

"It was from Litchfield County," says Doctor Griffin, "that the spirit of the new era crept on this college." Two young men from Norfolk came back from this revival filled with the enthusiasm of a new religious zeal. "But the next spring (1801) the religious character of the college received an important change from the accession to the freshman class of four young men from Litchfield County,"—Timothy P. Gillett and James Beach of Torrington, and Asahel Gaylord and one other from Norfolk. These young men turned the tide, the religious life deepened, until in 1805–6 the college was in the midst of a revival.

In April, 1806, Samuel J. Mills, Jr., entered the freshman class. He threw himself into the religious life of the college with all his matchless enthusiasm. In a few weeks he was a mighty power in helping his comrades into the Christian life. The ground was ready for the seed. The other young men from his native county had prepared the way and the master soul had come. But as President Griffin makes clear it was "by the influence of this revival that he (Mills) was enabled to diffuse his spirit through a choice circle who raised Williams College to the distinction of being the birthplace of American Missions."

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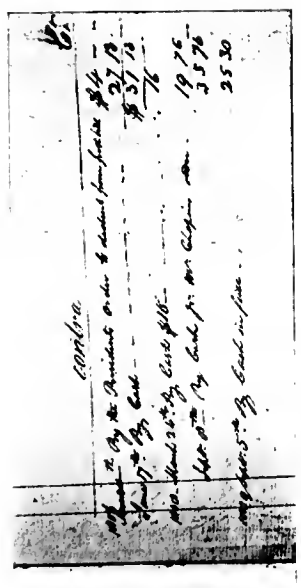
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Commencement Program

SATURDAY, JUNE 23

3.00 p. m.—Amherst-Williams baseball game, Weston Field.

8.00 p. m.—Graves prize speaking contest, Congregational church.

SUNDAY, JUNE 24

10.30 a. m.—Baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class by President Henry Hopkins, D. D., LL.D., Congregational church.

4.30 p. m.—Open-air prayer meeting at haystack monument, Mission Park.

8.00 p. m.—Organ recital by Mr. Sumner Salter, assisted by Mrs. George E. Howes, contralto, and Mr. J. B. Lord 1905, baritone. Thompson Memorial Chapel.

MONDAY, JUNE 25

9.00 a. m.—Meeting of the board of trustees, seminar room, Griffin Hall.

10.30 a. m.—Cap and Bells presents "The Man from Mexico," Williamstown Opera house.

2.00 p. m.—Presentation of the Gargoyle gate, entrance to Weston Field.

7.30 p. m.—Prize rhetorical exhibition by members of the senior and junior classes, Congregational church.

9.00 p. m.—Musical clubs concert, Library campus.

TUESDAY, JUNE 26

10.00 a. m.—Meeting of the society of the alumni, Jesup Hall.

2.00 p. m.—Class-day exercises, Congregational church, by Hopkins Hall, on the Library campus, and on the quadrangle.

4.00 p. m.-6.00 p. m.—Reception of the president and trustees of the college to the alumni and friends of the college, Jesup Hall.

7 30 p. m.—Reunion banquets of the classes of 1856, 1866, 1876, 1881, 1886, 1891, 1896, 1901 and 1903 in Williamstown, North Adams and Pittsfield.

9.00 p. m.—Senior promenade, Lasell Gymnasium.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27

9.30 a. m.—Annual business meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa society, Jesup Hall, Rev. Stephen W. Dana, D.D., '61 presiding.

11.00 a. m.—Commencement exercises, Congregational church.

1.00 p. m.—Alumni banquet, Lasell Gymnasium.

3.00 p. m.—Williams college-Williams alumni baseball game, Weston Field.

11.00 p. m.—Banquet of the class of 1906, The Greylock.

Alumni Registration

Jesup Hall

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 3.00 p. m.-6.00 p. m.: MONDAY, JUNE 25, 9.00 a. m.-12.00 m.; 3.00 p. m.-6.00 p. m.: TUESDAY, JUNE 26, 9.00 a. m.-12.00 m.; 2.00 p. m.-4.00 p. m.; 7.00 p. m.-9.00 p. m.: WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 9.00 a. m.-11.00 a. m.

Entrance Examinations

4 Hopkins Hall

MONDAY, JUNE 18

9.30 a. m.—Mathematics *a*.
3.45 p. m.—Physics.

TUESDAY, JUNE 19

9.00 a. m.—Mathematics *c*, *d*.
1.30 p. m.—History *a*.
3.45 p. m.—German *a*.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20

9.00 a. m.—Latin *b*.
10.45 a. m.—Latin *m*.
1.30 p. m.—French *a*.
3.45 p. m.—German *b*.

THURSDAY, JUNE 21

9.00 a. m.—Latin *c*.
11.15 a. m.—Latin *a*.
1.30 p. m.—Latin *d*, *q* (*n*).
3.45 p. m.—French *b*.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22

9.00 a. m.—English *a*.
1.30 p. m.—English *b*.
3.45 p. m.—Chemistry, Greek (Iliad, Homer at Sight).

SATURDAY, JUNE 23

9.00 a. m.—Greek (Anabasis), Mathematics *b*.
11.15 a. m.—Greek (Grammar, Composition).
1.30 p. m.—Mathematics *f*, Greek (Sight Prose).



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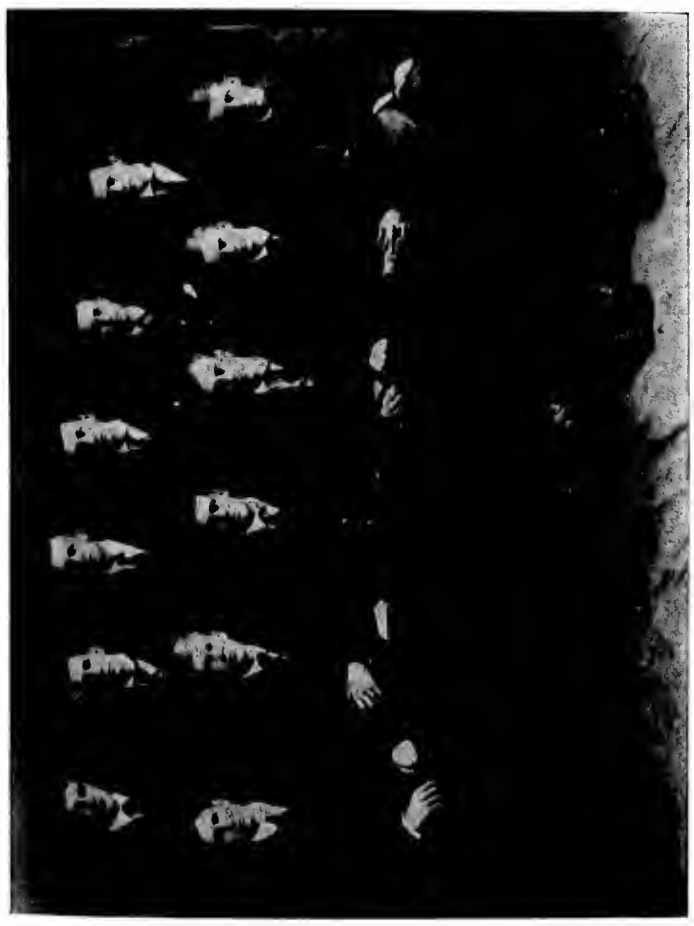
Literary Interests

THE baseball team practices in broad daylight, where anyone can watch it, and when the time comes, the results materialize. The *Lit.* and the *Record* boards usually work in the dark, and, like mushroom growths, the publications do not materialize while you watch, they always come into being suddenly, and though they may not be there when you look first, when you look again, they have appeared.

But usually the *Record* has been there when you looked first,—which is equivalent to saying that it performs its function as a news retailer. The news service of the *Record* the past year has been good, out-of-town games have been written up and sent in by telegraph when such despatch was advantageous, and the events in college have been chronicled without bias, intelligently, and always with an eye to their value as news. The freshness of the news in the *Record* has alone amply justified the change from the old *Weekly*. Time was when we read the accounts of games with an effort of memory, trying to recall when precisely that particular game took place. But the *Record* in its two years of life has changed all that, and in its pages we usually have found the first full account of college occurrences.

But the news service is not the only thing. In fact, it was not uncommon during the past year for one to turn immediately to the editorial page. The comment there has always been fair and very judicious. Edward A. Clapp has been responsible in those columns for the expression of opinions conducive to a spirit of manhood and respect for what is right.

The *Lit.* began life last fall with a new cover and the other mechanics of the magazine in improved order. Among the college publications of the country the Williams *Lit.* holds and this year has maintained a position relatively high. The most noteworthy contributions have been those by George Burwell Dutton, and of his work the best is a dramatic poem "Until He Cometh," which appeared in the very unusual Christmas number. The rest of the verse has been creditable, especially that which expressed the love Williams is wont to inspire for Nature. Certain of the fiction has shown the same tendency, and in this the naturalistic element was carried to excess. But for the most part, the short



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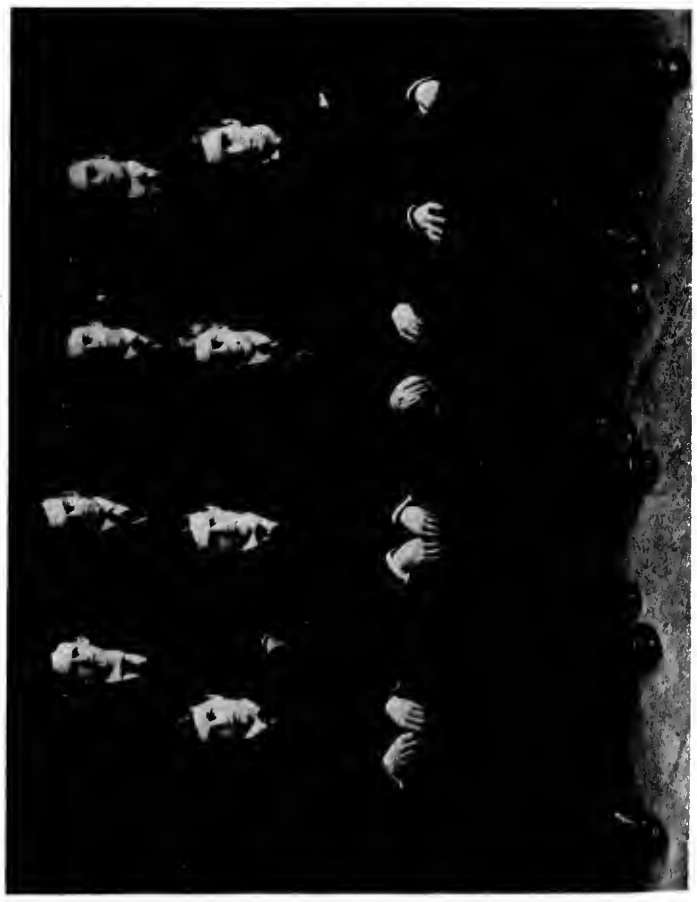
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stories have been short stories,—not sketches or abbreviated novels, but short stories of the proper mechanism and scope. The essay of comment on college activity, which played a prominent part in the 1904–1905 *Lit.*, except in a single instance, has been wanting and the essay of literary criticism has been present in its place. The most original feature of the magazine has been the series of illustrations depicting Williams of yesterday, with the appropriate descriptive comment, written by John Adams Lowe, whose intimate acquaintance with the college fitted him particularly for the work.

The *Gul.* appeared too late to receive the attention which it might otherwise have secured. The most noteworthy feature was the introductory essay, "The Old College and The New," which Dr. Mabie wrote especially for the book, and the poem "Alma Mater," by Dr. Gladden. The fact that the *Gul.* contained no grinds of the spleenish type, reflecting on students or faculty, is a point worthy of emulation.

SHEPARD ASHMAN MORGAN

Debating

THE past year has witnessed a great extension in the debating interests of the college. The first season of the triangular league has proved a complete success, a new league has been assured with Amherst and Wesleyan, and the contest between the two lower classes has become a fixture. With four 'varsity debates and numerous competitions in the college, our next season promises to be the most active one in the recent history of Williams.

And this activity seems entirely justified by its results. Last winter, the trials for the triangular league called forth the largest entry list in many years. The sophomore-freshman contest has proved its usefulness, by furnishing experience for men who in the following year have become members of 'varsity teams. The principle seems well established that the greater the opportunity for making various teams, the larger will be the number of competitors. There is one serious drawback, however, to the present system. With the opening of competition to all members of the

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THE DEBATING TEAMS

college, the literary societies have become, more than ever before, mere figureheads. Mock trials and college senates will not arouse more than a temporary enthusiasm. The instilling of a new life into Philotechnian and Philologian is one of the problems which will have to be settled within the near future.

Our annual contest with Wesleyan, held at Middletown last fall, resulted in a defeat. However, this was more than atoned for in March by a victory over Dartmouth, and a remarkably strong debate against Brown, won by the latter only by a majority decision of the judges. The Purple thus won second place in the league, incidentally recovering the lead in the series of debates with the Green, the total now standing six to five in our favor.

The prospects for the coming year are exceedingly bright. A wealth of veteran material will return to college, and will be augmented by those who have gained experience in the minor contests. Moreover, a general spirit of confidence and hope has taken the place of former indifference, and bids fair of itself to bring success.

A review of the season would not be complete without an acknowledgment of the assistance which the members of the faculty have rendered. Whenever called upon, they have done all in their power to help the teams, and it is to their disinterested sacrifices that a large measure of all our achievements has been due.

HOWARD ABRAHAM SCHOLLE

The Religious Life of the College

THE story of the formally organized religious life of the college for the past year is a simple one. Compulsory chapel, in which some real worship does occasionally enter, has continued with the utmost regularity; day by day the different professors have led the service and on successive Sundays the preachers have tried to minister to our religious needs. The Young Men's Christian Association, striving, for the first time with the assistance of a graduate secretary, to do more good in the college, has regularly held its Sunday evening meetings. These have been attended on the average by about fifty men and have been addressed on pertinent themes by the preachers of the morning and other well-known men. The Association's bible classes have been more

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successful than ever before. 170 men entered the study and 110 of these continued in attendance for over two months. These have been notable, also, in that four or five members of the faculty have led classes. The class prayer meetings have been poorly attended and demand some radical action. Thus, together with countless less definite and less known efforts to contribute to the college life, the religious activities have continued.

There are various concrete difficulties which need to be overcome. The inactivity of the college church is a loss; fortunately this is about to be remedied. The relation of faculty and students is far from ideal and, while the cause is difficult to determine, the fact is that many members of the faculty have little direct influence in shaping the spiritual natures of their students.

Perhaps neither students nor faculty make advances to each other along these lines because neither really knows how to proceed. We all lack that certainty of conviction which was the tremendous inspiration of other times. We drift along, each with his more or less aimless thesis that, after all, doing good is probably the best thing in the world. We see in the college a wide-spread development of individualism; even within organizations for a single purpose, there is a keen difference of opinion. And life here is somewhat too comfortable and easy to be rich ground for the growth of conviction; the average undergraduate has a very pleasant existence and the expression of his religious impulses is often habitual or at most conventional. Here and there, as an exception, a man is more mature and thoughtful, his worship is real and not formal. Among the faculty, scholarship ideals are too tempting and the details of civilization too engrossing to leave many men actually possessed of the great instincts of spiritual and truly intellectual leadership.

But this is but a recent phase of a continuous process; the college is certainly, though slowly, growing better. In time the accurate adjustment will appear and the teacher will be the great leader in all the attributes of manhood. However immature the student may appear, however busy in unimportant things, he still is happy and suffers, lives and knows the bitterness of death. The eternal questions are in our midst, searching us to the heart, and the eternal answer of religion is vibrant here and yearly growing more audible. We are soon to emerge into a season of unusual religious honesty and progress.

WILLIAM SMITH PETTIT

Football

THE graduation of the class of 1905 lost the college seven "W" men, six of whom were regulars. To offset this loss the freshman class brought only one man who made the eleven. Yet the team of 1905 won a majority of its games, reversed last year's M. A. C. score and turned Colgate's defeat of their predecessors into a victory.

Williams opened the season by defeating Williston 26–0. In the next game the team lost to Harvard by the smallest score



HENRY DIKE BIXBY
CAPTAIN



WALTER SUMMERHAYES CASE
MANAGER

the Crimson had made since 1902, 12–0. The same score, in Williams' favor, was the result of the Union and M. A. C. games. At New York the team lost to Columbia 11–5 in a game in which it gained 282 yards to its opponents' 86. This was the first time the Purple has ever scored on the Blue and White. Dartmouth's 4–0 victory the next Saturday lost its sting after Dartmouth's defeat of Princeton a week later. The next two games, at home, restored confidence and developed the offense. Then came the

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happiest contest of the season. Colgate's heavy team, with the prestige of a victory over Dartmouth, could neither penetrate the Williams line nor get around the Williams ends. After short, consistent gains the Purple made the winning touchdown.

At Middletown the eleven could not gain consistently, while the Red and Black's wing shift, with the spectacular runs of the quarter-back, gave her three touchdowns. The team lost the Amherst game after a great exhibition of football and Williams spirit. Amherst scored the first touchdown in five minutes, took nineteen for the second and secured the third only after twenty-seven minutes of play, by a 103-yard run. Williams, outweighed twelve pounds to the man, held Amherst for downs on her two-inch line.

Although the past season closed with defeat, the prospect for next year's is unusually good. In the first place, in the nine "W" men left in college there is a splendid nucleus for the 1906 eleven. In the second, the radical changes in the game made by the new rules should end the undue advantage which mere weight has given in the games of the past years. Lack of weight has been an insurmountable obstacle for recent Williams teams. Now, however, that speed, cleverness and grit have become the principal factors in determining victory, Williams should hold a high place in the football world.

WALTER SUMMERHAYES CASE

Baseball

BASEBALL seems paradoxical. The poorer the prospects, the better the team. The 1905 nine started with the best prospects a Williams baseball team had had in years, but played very uneven ball. The 1906 season, according to all canons of the prophets, should have been as gloomy as its outlook. Four "W" men had graduated, Captain-elect Westervelt and an infielder were unable to return to college, and the nine began the season with but two players of two years' 'varsity experience.

The sky was not all black, however. The fine new baseball cage presented the college by Hon. Francis Lynde Stetson '67 and Hon. Eugene Delano '66, gave the nine facilities for practice that brought them to their first game able to play fast ball. For once in the history of the college the bellows had not been used on freshman reputations, and all the veterans began to play



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the game of their lives. Coach Dowd's work showed results from the first day, and the policy of retaining a coach through the year received abundant justification.

After two minor victories, Amherst was shut out 2–0 on Pratt Field in a game where pitching, fielding, batting and base-running were at their best. On the Eastern trip Andover won out with but five hits, but for the first time since 1901 Harvard was defeated 5–2 on May 5 in a game which left no doubt which was the better team. Syracuse was shut out the following Saturday.

Next came Yale, and by winning from the Blue this 1906 team equalled the record of the famous nine of ten years ago. The



FRANK ROLLINSON NEILD
CAPTAIN



ALEXANDER WINCHELL McALLISTER
MANAGER

result of the northern trip was two defeats, but that by Dartmouth was more than made up for by a sixteen-inning 1–0 victory on Weston Field, the longest ball game ever played in Williamstown, when Ford proved himself better than Skillin during a nervous three hours of ball-playing not much different from that in the leagues. Amherst was beaten easily 3–1 on Decoration day, and the team in the Princeton game took us back to the days of '67, when Yale, Harvard and Princeton were all defeated.

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Track Athletics

THE trouble with Williams track teams in the past has been the old story of the small college, a few star men, without others to take seconds and thirds. Since 1898 Williams had won 190½ points at Worcester. Of this, four men, Bray 1900, Potter 1901, Blackmer 1903, and Leavitt ex-'07, had won 103½. In consequence, when a season comes where fourteen men win points in one dual meet and nineteen in another, and six men win "W"s at "Worcester", with none scoring more than five points, track athletics seem to be on a more satisfactory basis.



MORTON DANIEL GRISWOLD
CAPTAIN



PHILIP RISING PETERS
MANAGER

Ten of the thirteen points won by the 1905 team at Worcester were made by Ex-captain Leavitt, who did not return to college. The seniors, too, took away two relay men of four years' experience. It was realized, however, that the track team had had hard luck during the season, and had Leavitt returned to Williams, the outlook would have been unusually good.

The relay team started the trophies toward Jesup Hall. Victories from Wesleyan and Brown, both won on the last relay,



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began the year right. The spring trials proved that the team was well-balanced, and the Wesleyan meet, won 79 to 47, showed that 1909 was going to help keep the scorer's pencil busy in the Williams column. Technology, in a dual meet a week later, was defeated by a narrow margin on its own oval. Meanwhile, in the Olympic games at Athens, Williams had won more honor than any dual meets could give when Ex-captain Leavitt won the high hurdles from the hurdlers of the world.

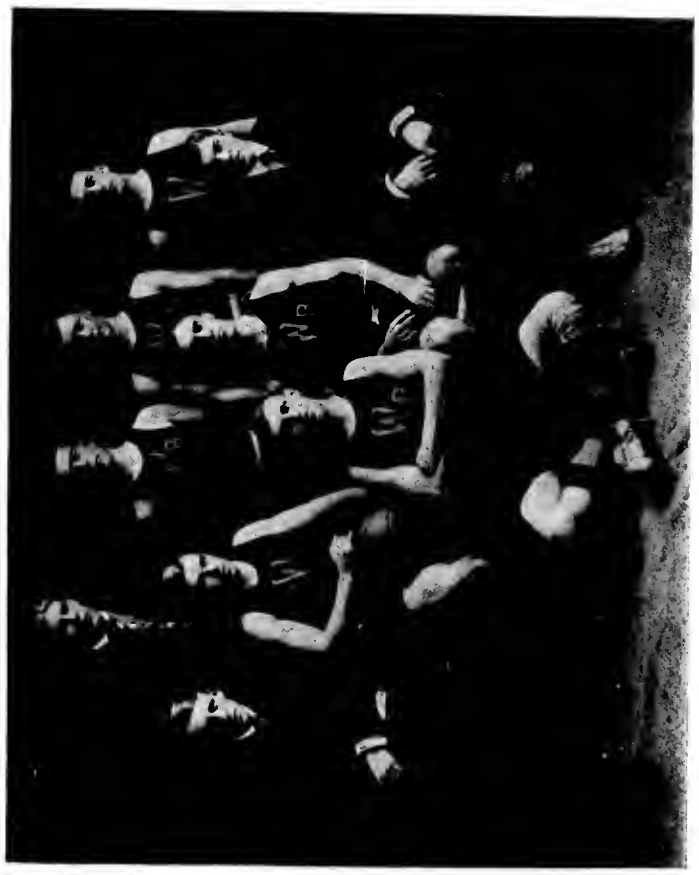
At the "Worcester" meet, at Brookline, the team, though scoring 19⅝ points, won fourth place, two points behind M. I. T. An analysis of the points won there is the best way to show what can be done next year. Of the men from the other colleges, eight who won firsts and five who won seconds were seniors. With these 1906 men out, and the other point-winners placed as before, Williams has 22 points to start next season with, Dartmouth 21, the rest well under 20. If 1910 can equal 1909, and there are no more misfortunes waiting for the team than it had this year, the 1907 season ought to justify the mathematicians, and make the college hark back to the days of the giants from '99 to 1901.

PHILIP RISING PETERS

Basketball

THE team that follows a season which can be described only in superlatives is unconsciously expected to do too much. The 1906 basketball five, though unable to repeat the winning of a national championship, made a record which few Williams athletic teams have ever equalled. Three games were lost, two to Dartmouth—the only college team than can claim to outrank the Purple—and one to a strong non-collegiate team, and one tied. The fourteen victories were from colleges as much larger as Yale, Pennsylvania and Brown, and from teams that count as large in the basketball world as Syracuse, Wesleyan, Williston, Colgate and the Fitchburg Y. M. C. A. The other victories were from W. P. I., M. I. T., Rochester, Tufts and Hamilton. The intercollegiate champions were beaten in a conclusive game, and Dartmouth's decisive victories seemed due to weight rather than speed. 432 points were scored to 242 by opponents.

Captain Wadsworth, the most accurate basket-shooter of the five, was the only man lost from the 1905 team. Four of the members of the team were seniors. The brilliant all-round game of the captain, the pivot around whom play centered, the long



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baskets and accurate foul-shooting of one forward, the fast passing and hard guarding of the other and the steady blocking of the man who was played at back guard, have made 1906 share honors with 1903 as the basketball class of the college.

One athletic lesson taught by the season should be mentioned—the value of a hard-working scrub. The team that won the class championship for two seasons owed part of its success to constant practice with a scrub team. At the start of the season a strong player was developed from the squad, just as when, three years



EUGENE IRVING COWELL
CAPTAIN



RUSSELL VALENTINE HOBSON
MANAGER

ago, the captain of the 1905 team played his first games of college basketball. The hard practice from the constantly improving scrub was a big factor in helping the 'varsity to win.

The outlook for next season is not so dubious. Captain Tower has had three years' experience, has proved the best guard on the team, and is always in the passing game. Two experienced men remain from the substitutes of last year. Four years of victory has spread the opinion in college that a Williams basketball team cannot lose, and confidence, felt and expressed, will mean everything.

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Tennis

THERE were forty-nine entries in this year's spring handicap tournament, a fair sign of the hold the game has on the college. The new courts of the association have been in constant use throughout the season, and have shown clearly that they filled a long-felt want.

In the matches, the loss of Northrop 1905 has been severely felt. In the national intercollegiate tournament in the fall, Smith 1906, though beaten in the first round, gave Karl Behr of Yale, one of the best men in the tournament, a hard match. The Springfield Country club was tied on their home courts early in the spring, and the championship of the triangular league (Williams, Wesleyan, and Dartmouth) won, as last year, without the loss of a single match.

In the New England intercollegiate tournament Floyd R. Smith won the championship in singles for the second time in his college course, and Smith and Westcott 1908 lost the finals of the double championship only after five sets had been played. The results of these matches raised Williams' number of points to six, of the eight necessary for permanent possession of the championship cup. Other men who have represented the college in tournaments during the year are Schell 1906, Linen 1907, and T. K. Thompson 1908.

JAMES ALEXANDER LINEN, JR.

Golf

LAST fall the golf team played five matches and won them all. No team had won from the strong Springfield Country club team for three years until the Williams match and the Mohawk Golf club of Schenectady, champions of central New York, were beaten 14–9. In the final round of the New England intercollegiate tournament M. I. T. lost in a fairly close match, and Williams won its first intercollegiate championship. In the individual championship, three of the five men on the team tied for first in the qualifying round, only one of the Williams players was put out by a golfer from another college, and Captain Clapp 1906 won from A. Mitchell 1907 1 up in the final round.

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This spring's schedule was made hard enough to suit the ability of the team. In fact, it was hard to get matches even with teams of medium strength. The score of 23½ to 0 in the Harvard match at Williamstown made up for the 11½ to 1½ defeat last spring at Cambridge. To play Yale and Princeton was an ambitious undertaking, and it is not surprising that Princeton, on its own course, was able to defeat the Purple's six-man team 15 to 5½. Yale, like Princeton, was on its game when it met Williams at Montclair, and the 7½–4½ victory of the Blue was earned by scores below bogie and general brilliant play. The easier matches since then have had satisfactory results.

Next year's team loses by graduation its captain for two years, intercollegiate champion Clapp, and metropolitan champions do not enter college every year. Any small college in New England that should now try to figure itself better than Williams in golf would find the problem difficult. The invitation to join the intercollegiate league, whose members are Yale, Harvard, Princeton, Cornell, Pennsylvania and Columbia, shows the estimate in the golfing world of the team's strength. The season has given Williams golf a big reputation to live up to.

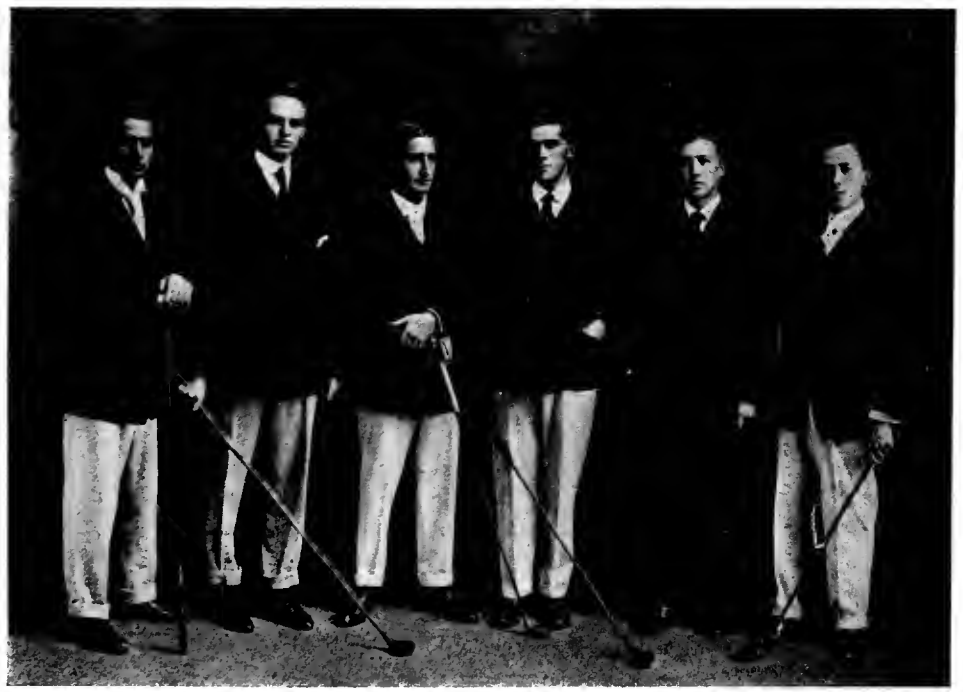
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Hockey

THE hockey team's season was unsuccessful. It is somewhat difficult to trace the causes of this, as unusually good material developed in the freshman class, and the captain's energy was tireless. To be sure, all the teams played were in the first rank. Perhaps the most important factor was the lack of condition of the best players.

The season opened with a defeat by Columbia at New York, where the teams showed equal playing ability, and only the fact that Williams had been unable to practice turned the scale. Dartmouth, in January, defeated the Williams seven in another close game at Albany. In February the Albany Hockey club won 5–3 and lost 1–2, while Princeton's 4–3 victory was due solely to the old story of poor condition, since Williams started fast, got a lead at the beginning of each period, and only tired towards the end.

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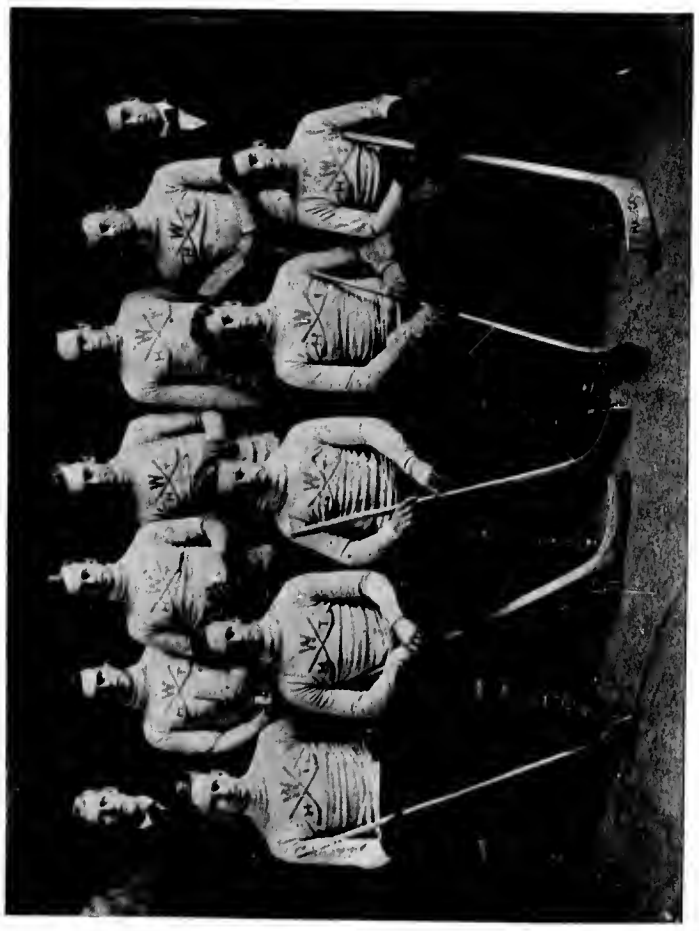
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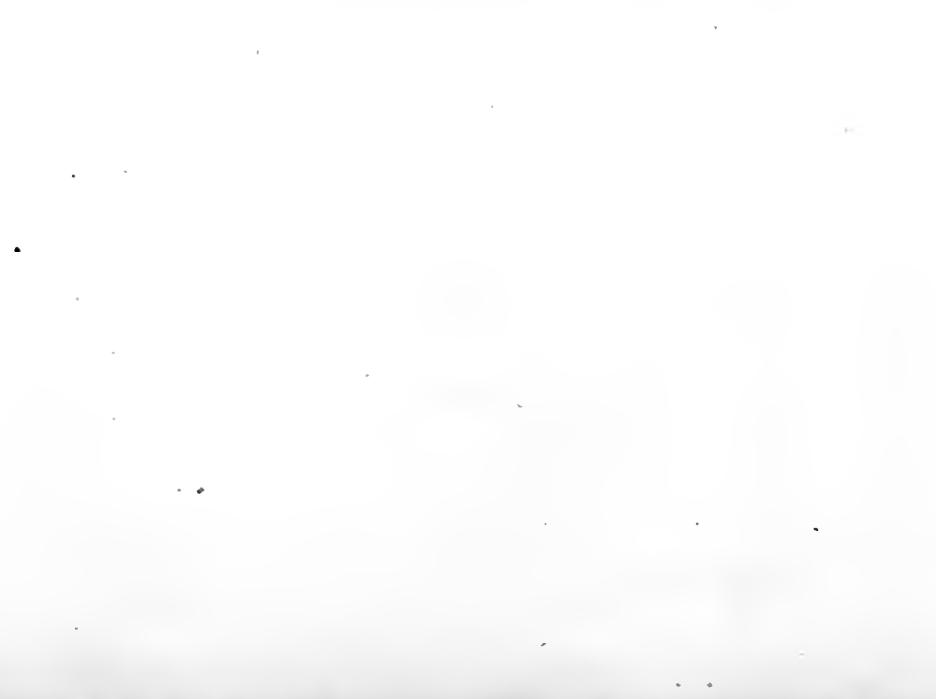
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due probably to the new rink built on Weston Field by the athletic council and the granting of an "11Wt." Class hockey teams should be formed to strengthen this growing interest. There is a strong possibility that Williams may be among the teams in the intercollegiate hockey league next year. The college has the material for a winning team in 1906–1907.

HORACE GILLETTE CLEVELAND

Musical Clubs

OWING to the resignation of Manager Griswold, the season of 1905-6 has not been as successful for the musical clubs, from a financial standpoint, as was expected. The clubs did not organize until quite late this year and consequently the first concert in Williamstown was far from what it should have been.

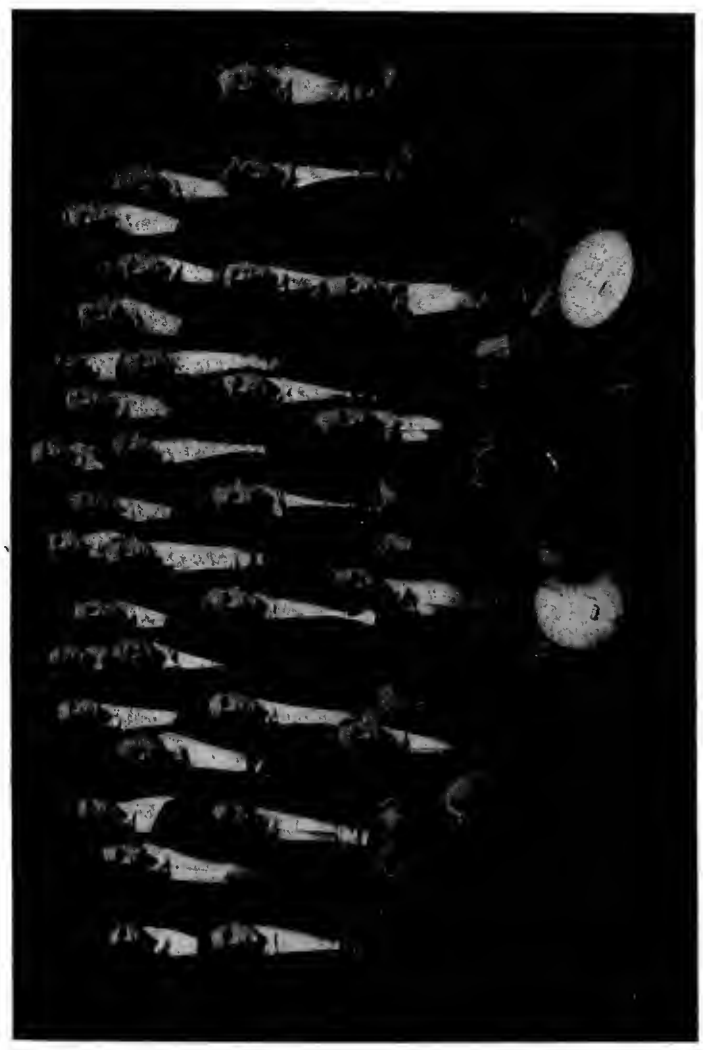
The glee club, under the leadership of W. H. Curtiss, has fulfilled our greatest expectations. The success they have obtained is to a great extent due to the careful work of Mr. Salter, who has kindly given his services to the club. The solo work by W. H. Curtiss and S. R. Pevear has been received enthusiastically everywhere. The mandolin club, in spite of the fact that it was necessary to change leaders in the middle of the season, has done creditable work. The banjo club, under the leadership of C. B. Gale, seemed to be the most popular of the clubs. A. J. Pierce, as reader, never failed to win repeated encores.

With the graduation of 1906, the association loses many valuable men, particularly from the glee club, nevertheless next year we hope to be able to give a concert that will equal any given before.

WILLIAM STOWELL WOOSTER

Dramatics

CAP and Bells has experienced an unusually successful year. The play presented was well-chosen, far above the club's standard in recent years, and in spite of the loss of eight 1905 men from the club, those on the cast were equal to the skillful acting the play demanded. The club appeared in seven performances, and was as heartily received away from home as on the Williamstown stage.



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The play presented was "The Man from Mexico," a three-act farce, by H. A. Du Souchet. The cast of characters was as follows:

BENJAMIN FITZHEW, The man from Mexico....Alfred M. Botsford 1906.
COL. RODERICK MAJORS....Everett L. Hazelton 1909.
TIMOTHY COOK, Tammany sheriff detective....Arthur J. Pierce 1907.
VON BULOW BISMARCK SCHMIDT....Walter S. Case 1906.
EDWARD FARRAR....Atkinson Allen 1908.
RICHARD DAUNTON....Stillman F. Westbrook 1909.
LOVEALL, Warden of the prison....Albert Jaeckel 1907.
OFFICER O'MULLINS....Samuel C. Wooster, Jr., 1906.
LOUIS, Waiter of the Cleopatra....Samuel C. Wooster, Jr., 1906.
CLEMENTINA FITZHEW....Raoul H. Fleischmann 1906.
SALLIE GRAICE, Her sister....Clinton DeR. Combes 1907.
NETTIE MAJORS....Henry B. Pennell, Jr., 1909.
MIRANDA, A maid....John H. Carlisle 1909.

The cast was rehearsed for a month by Mr. Donald MacDonald, the dramatic coach of the University of Wisconsin. To his careful, thorough work with the cast is due much of the credit for the play's success. His Spanish dances were imitations that would have done credit to a señorita.

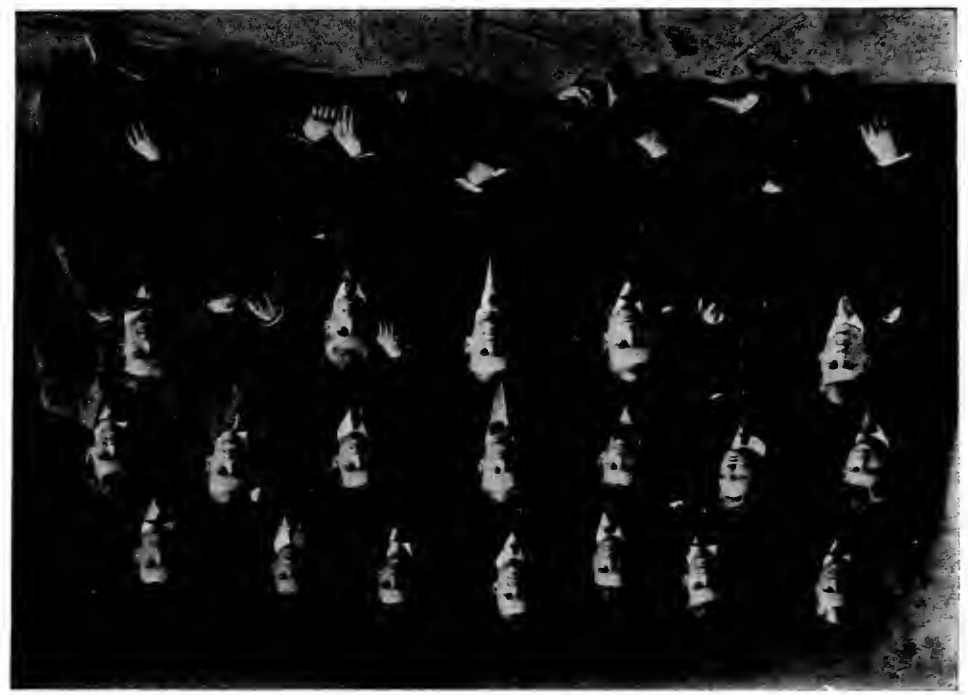
The play was presented seven times, as follows:

Richmond Theater, North Adams, Mass., February 14.
Williamstown Opera house, February 17.
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